



Student Evaluation of Instructor Fall Semester 2009

College of Arts and Sciences

Student Evaluation of Instructor

Course: 84011 CHEM 6600 BIOCHEMISTRY I
Instructor: Aimin Liu
Distribution: Online
Enrollment: 30
Respondents: 27
Percentage: 90%

I. Indicate your current degree program:	Total %
Undergraduate	0 0
Master's	15 62.5
Doctoral	8 33.3
Postbaccalaureate	1 4.2

II. Indicate what % of your program is completed:	Total %
Below 20%	8 33.3
21-40%	3 12.5
41-60%	2 8.3
61-80%	2 8.3
Above 80%	9 37.5

III. This course is:	Total %
Required	18 78.3
Required, but a choice among several	4 17.4
An elective	1 4.3

IV. The grade I expect to earn in this course is:	Total %
A	17 70.8
B	6 25.0
C	0 0
D	0 0
F	0 0
N/A	1 4.2

V. My grade point average (GPA) at G.S.U. is about:	Total %
3.33-4.0	16 76.2
3.01-3.32	4 19.0
2.74-3.0	0 0
2.47-2.73	1 4.8
Below 2.47	0 0

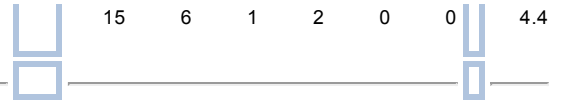
5 - Very Descriptive
 1 - Not at all Descriptive
 0 - N/A

	5	4	3	2	1	0	Inst
1. Explained the goals of this course clearly.	19	3	0	2	0	0	4.6
2. Explained the grading system clearly.	18	3	2	0	1	0	4.5
3. Gave assignments related to the goals of this course.	13	3	2	1	0	5	4.5
4. Followed the plan for the course as established in the syllabus.	17	5	0	2	0	0	4.5
5. Was well prepared.	18	5	1	0	0	0	4.7
6. Spoke in a way that communicated the subject in an understandable manner.	14	7	2	1	0	0	4.4
7. Responded constructively and thoughtfully to questions and comments.	17	4	1	1	1	0	4.5
8. Used class time effectively.	17	5	0	1	1	0	4.5
9. Had designated office and student appointment hours and was available to students during these times.	16	6	1	1	0	0	4.5
10. Assigned grades fairly.	19	2	1	1	1	0	4.5
11. Returned test results and evaluations of my work in a reasonable period of time (typically, 7-10 days or less is considered a reasonable College benchmark).	19	3	1	1	0	0	4.7
12. Met the class according to the published Schedule of Classes.	17	5	2	0	0	0	4.6
13. Stimulated my thinking and gave me new insights into the subject.	17	4	2	0	1	0	4.5
14. Related well to students.	17	3	2	2	0	0	4.5
15. Motivated me to learn.	17	4	1	1	0	1	4.6
16. Assigned readings (including the text(s)) that contributed to what I learned.	14	5	2	2	0	1	4.3

5 - Very High
 4 - High
 3 - Average
 2 - Below Average
 1 - Poor
 0 - N/A

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17. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of the instructor?



Comment Area

1. Dr. Liu had very well prepared slides that helped with studying the material. He tried to incorporate animations which was very helpful. The best part about the class was that he did not focus on memorizing but on understanding the material. I am very glad i took biochem 1 with him.
2. Never in my undergraduate studies have I encountered such a hard working professor. Dr. Liu expects nothing less than perfection, but will work tirelessly to help us achieve it. Despite my best efforts I was never able to pose a question Dr. Liu was unable to answer, even when asking about very specific 3D amino acid interactions unrelated to the material at hand. If every instructor were able to convey the course material, and were as knowledgeable as Dr. Aimin Liu, GSU would be the primary university of choice for a graduate degree in Chemistry.
3. Even though I've already taken a Biochemistry course, I feel like I learned a lot of new things.
4. Very caring professor. Was concerned about his students' progress. Really wanted us all to do well. A lot of professors don't really care but he was different. He played music for us before exams to help us relax and would devote almost one class session to go over the exams. We would dispute with him if the questions were hard etc. and he was always willing to listen. He was available to assist us outside class and is very humble. If he were teaching Biology, I'd be in all his classes! I will recommend him to all my friends.
5. I have never known a better teacher. He puts is effort & TIME. He is capable of teaching graduate biochemistry to even a 10 th standarad kid. He makes things simple to understand. However, I have an advise too. I guess the difficulty level of exam can be increased to keep the students at par with standardized tests. Thank you, I wish you all the best.
6. Very nice, thoughtful teacher. Made the material interesting to learn.
7. overall i thought you did a very good job. biochem is a difficult subject matter and you covered it very well. did a very good job making and going over powerpoints, and your prepared material was easy to follow and made lecture more understandable. class time was very efficient and was a good length for getting the most out of lecture, any longer and it could have gotten a little overwhelming. i thought test questions were very fair, and that you did a good job of preparing us for what would be expected on exams.
8. a very capable and very pleasant instructor

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Instructor: Aimin Liu
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Enrollment: 1
Respondents: 1
Percentage: 100%

I. Indicate your current degree program:	Total %
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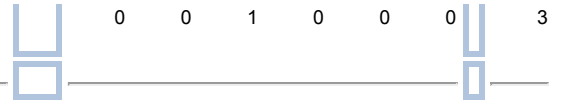
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