

University of Utah



Summer 2018, ENGL 3702 Intro Lit Hist 2 Section 90

Instructor: HALSTROM, ADAM (Primary)

There were: 38 possible respondents. Average is out of 6.

	Question Text	N	RR	Avg	ENGL Avg	ENGL SU18	Div Avg	Div SU18	Sch Avg	Sch SU18								
												Str Disagr	Disagr	Mild Disagr	Mild Agree	Agree	Str Agree	
Grp	Instructor Questions (HALSTROM)			5.69	5.48	5.11	5.35	5.36	5.29	5.40								
Grp	Course Questions			5.77	5.35	5.23	5.21	5.32	5.15	5.29								
1	The course objectives were clearly stated.	17	45%	5.82	5.35	5.25	5.27	5.38	5.24	5.40						18% (3)	82% (14)	
2	The course objectives were met.	17	45%	5.71	5.36	5.26	5.26	5.36	5.21	5.35						29% (5)	71% (12)	
3	The course content was well organized.	17	45%	5.71	5.30	5.11	5.18	5.29	5.12	5.25						29% (5)	71% (12)	
4	The course materials were helpful in meeting course objectives.	17	45%	5.71	5.37	5.24	5.17	5.30	5.11	5.26				6% (1)	18% (3)	76% (13)		
5	Assignments and exams reflected what was covered in the course.	17	45%	5.88	5.44	5.36	5.28	5.42	5.18	5.32						12% (2)	88% (15)	
6	I learned a great deal in this course.	17	45%	5.82	5.31	5.20	5.15	5.25	5.11	5.24						18% (3)	82% (14)	
7	Overall, this was an effective course.	17	45%	5.76	5.31	5.15	5.16	5.25	5.10	5.23						24% (4)	76% (13)	
9	This course was intellectually stimulating.	16	42%	5.81	5.38	5.24	5.38	5.24	5.20	5.35						19% (3)	81% (13)	
10	My writing was carefully read and commented on.	17	45%	5.65	5.42	5.36	5.42	5.36	5.39	5.36				12% (2)	12% (2)	76% (13)		
												SD	D	MD	MA	A	SA	NA
11	The technical assistance provided by the uOnline help desk was timely and efficient.	16	42%	5.2	4.94	4.8	5.01	4.95	5.08	5.1				6% (1)		6% (1)	19% (3)	69% (11)

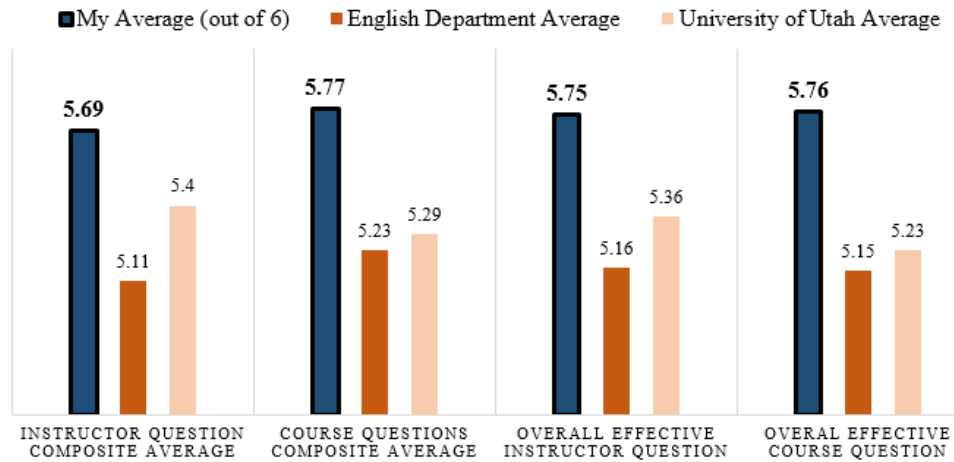
12	It was easy for me to schedule proctored exams.	16	42%	5.5	5.40	5.14	5.17	5.04	5.32	5.18					13% (2)	13% (2)	75% (12)
13	I would like to recommend taking a University of Utah online class to a friend.	16	42%	5.56	5.05	5.36	5.15	5.20	5.19	5.21				13% (2)	19% (3)	69% (11)	
											Str Disagr	Disagr	Mild Disagr	Mild Agree	Agree	Str Agree	
15	The instructor was organized. (HALSTROM)	16	42%	5.75	5.33	4.95	5.25	5.30	5.22	5.33					25% (4)	75% (12)	
16	The instructor presented course content effectively. (HALSTROM)	16	42%	5.56	5.36	4.91	5.22	5.24	5.14	5.28			6% (1)	6% (1)	13% (2)	75% (12)	
17	The instructor created/supported a classroom environment that was respectful. (HALSTROM)	16	42%	5.75	5.50	5.32	5.40	5.44	5.35	5.48					25% (4)	75% (12)	
18	The instructor demonstrated thorough knowledge of the subject. (HALSTROM)	16	42%	5.56	5.65	5.44	5.48	5.49	5.44	5.52				13% (2)	19% (3)	69% (11)	
19	The instructor encouraged student opinions and participation. (HALSTROM)	16	42%	5.62	5.56	5.32	5.43	5.44	5.35	5.45				13% (2)	13% (2)	75% (12)	
20	The instructor was available for consultation with students. (HALSTROM)	16	42%	5.81	5.54	5.36	5.38	5.40	5.31	5.41					19% (3)	81% (13)	
21	Overall, this was an effective instructor. (HALSTROM)	16	42%	5.75	5.45	5.16	5.30	5.34	5.24	5.36					25% (4)	75% (12)	

Instructor	Text Responses
	Question: Comments on course effectiveness
	The curriculum was awesome, everything was organized and the professor was interactive.
	1. Homework was well explains 2. He responded too all my emails
	Instructor made it easy to find the readings if they were not in text book. Weekly quizzes were actually a nice refresher before discussion post.
	The feedback he gave on the assignments, and the fact that we could expand on previous assignments for the final.

	I loved the reading selections; great literature, many books I may not have ever read outside this class. Sometimes it was difficult to know what to look for in the readings, such as important or significant trends, mechanics, or things like that. The Things to Consider section on summary page was often not posted until the day the reading response was due, occasionally not at all. This meant that I had to do most of the readings without knowing what to look for in the text. Overall I really enjoyed reading, but I don't know if I got everything out of the texts that I could have, or should have. But then again maybe that was what the professor had in mind, for the students to approach the texts with a blank slate.
	Adam made each module in a timely manner and kept things moving well even at this accelerated rate. Each module was the same and worked great for keeping things organized and efficient. Expectations were nothing but clear!
	I wish that Prof. Halstrom gave more information in the lecture materials. Oftentimes there was no additional information on either the author, their works, or both. In the beginning of the course he participated in the class discussions and added some great points to students' posts, but after the second week this communication went dead on his end. His engagement with the discussions would have made the course more interesting and rich.
	The selected readings were beneficial and I loved the moderator summary discussion format.
	1. Reading material 2. We had to purchase many books for this class (The anthologies is mostly what I'm referring to) and we only read just a few things in each. I would find it more helpful for the professor to simply upload the readings to canvas so we don't have to buy massive anthologies only to read a few poems. I have had other professors do this effectively.
	The design of the class was very organized. This made it clear and easy to navigate the course and stay on track. The material we studied was effective for such a short course.
	I love the quiz and discussion format. Everything was plainly stated..
	The choice in literature was engaging and interesting to read through out the course.
	Question: Provide comments about the online components of the course
	The professor always got back to me within 24 hours via email- he was very helpful and attentive in that way.
	This was a great class I enjoy the course and the assignment. The reading and assignment help improve my writing skills.
	it was odd that we did not have to respond to someone on each post.
	So good its great: non-existent
	Again, I think it was well organized and easy to navigate.
	Canvas worked well without any bugs
	Question: Provide comments about the online components of the course
	Nothing to say
	Question: Instructor Comments
HALSTROM	Speedy canvas replies and thorough instruction pages! Nicely done
HALSTROM	1. I love the text, great lecture 2. The instructor was concerned about my success
HALSTROM	He was very funny and kind. He wanted us all to have fun in the course and learn at the same time. I learned so much from him.
HALSTROM	the fast response to assignments. and welcoming environment.
HALSTROM	Gave good and helpful feed back on papers, however did not respond on discussion boards throughout the course. Seemed a bit absent after the second week.
HALSTROM	He was quick to respond.

HALSTROM	Professor was very prompt and thorough in email replies. Gave good, detailed feedback on writing assignments. I really appreciate his attention to the students.
HALSTROM	Timothy was personal, despite it being an online course. I felt like he tried to get to know me. However, I wish he'd randomly reach out at times; the only prof's I have that were better than him online made it seem like they breathed the course. And we, as students, got to take a breathe as well.
HALSTROM	Great feedback on essays really helped me. More content/information/participation in each module would have made the course more valuable and engaging.
HALSTROM	I might improve the grading rubric for the essay assignments. Meeting the expectations of what the professor asks of us will only earn an B. You have to perform 'outstanding' to earn an A, and it doesn't say on the rubric the difference between meeting the expectations of what was asked and outstanding. Overall I loved Adam as an instructor, he was very responsive to my emails which helps a lot in an online course. He also provided wonderful feedback on papers and ways for which to improve. I would take a class from him again.
HALSTROM	Professor Halstrom was great with feedback, and set up an effective course where we could learn and participate without confusion.
HALSTROM	professor Halstrom was great when providing feedback.

GRAPH OF QUESTION AVERAGES



WORD CLOUD OF STUDENT COMMENTS

