

University of Nebraska, Lincoln
ENGR Summer 2023 Course Evaluations

Course: CSCE-155A-610.1235: COMPUTER SCIENCE I CSCE155A SEC 610 Summer 2023
Instructor: Oleksiy Al-saadi *
Response Rate: 10/11 (90.91%)

1 - I understand that my response will be anonymous and will not include any identifying information.					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Yes	(1)	10	100.00%		1.00
				0 25 50 100	Question
Response Rate		Mean		STD	Median
10/11 (90.91%)		1.00		0.00	1.00

2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:					
I feel welcome and respected.					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Strongly Agree	(5)	8	80.00%		4.80
Agree	(4)	2	20.00%		
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%		
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%		
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	Question
Response Rate		Mean		STD	Median
10/11 (90.91%)		4.80		0.42	5.00

2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:					
I understand course expectations and how my performance is evaluated.					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Strongly Agree	(5)	7	70.00%		4.70
Agree	(4)	3	30.00%		
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%		
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%		
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	Question
Response Rate		Mean		STD	Median
10/11 (90.91%)		4.70		0.48	5.00

2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:					
I feel challenged to learn a lot in this course.					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Strongly Agree	(5)	8	80.00%		4.80
Agree	(4)	2	20.00%		
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%		
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%		
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%		
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2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:

Course activities effectively promote my learning and interest in the subject.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means	
Strongly Agree	(5)	9	90.00%			
Agree	(4)	1	10.00%			
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%			
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%			
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%			
				0 25 50 100	Question	
Response Rate		Mean		STD		Median
10/11 (90.91%)		4.90		0.32		5.00

2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:

The learning tools (e.g. course texts, notes, slides, videos, exams, projects, etc.) support my learning.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means	
Strongly Agree	(5)	7	70.00%			
Agree	(4)	3	30.00%			
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%			
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%			
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%			
				0 25 50 100	Question	
Response Rate		Mean		STD		Median
10/11 (90.91%)		4.70		0.48		5.00

2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:

I am invited to be an active participant in my learning (either face to face or online).

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means	
Strongly Agree	(5)	6	60.00%			
Agree	(4)	3	30.00%			
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	1	10.00%			
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%			
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%			
				0 25 50 100	Question	
Response Rate		Mean		STD		Median
10/11 (90.91%)		4.50		0.71		5.00

2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:

I have opportunities to learn with and from other students in this course.

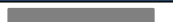



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Strongly Agree	(5)	7	70.00%			
Agree	(4)	3	30.00%			
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%			
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2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:

The feedback I receive on my work is useful to me for making changes and improvements.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means		
Strongly Agree	(5)	8	80.00%			4.70	
Agree	(4)	1	10.00%				
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	1	10.00%				
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%				
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%				
				0 25 50 100	Question		
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median	
10/11 (90.91%)				4.70	0.67	5.00	




2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:

I know where to go for help in this course if, and when, I need it.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means		
Strongly Agree	(5)	9	90.00%			4.90	
Agree	(4)	1	10.00%				
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%				
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%				
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%				
				0 25 50 100	Question		
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median	
10/11 (90.91%)				4.90	0.32	5.00	

2 - Educational research has identified the elements in the below statements as being important to student learning. For each statement, please select your level of agreement regarding your learning experiences in this course:

I find communication with the instructor (e.g. office hours, email, Canvas, etc.) effectively supports my learning.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means		
Strongly Agree	(5)	9	90.00%			4.90	
Agree	(4)	1	10.00%				
Neither Agree nor Disagree	(3)	0	0.00%				
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%				
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%				
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Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median	
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3 - What has been beneficial to your learning? From the following list of teaching elements, what is the one thing that has been the most beneficial for your learning in this course so far? After your selection, please provide written comments about the element.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Inclusiveness	(1)	2	20.00%	<div style="width: 20%;"></div>	
Course Performance Expectations	(2)	0	0.00%		
Course Challenge	(3)	1	10.00%	<div style="width: 10%;"></div>	
Engagement in Assignments or Projects	(4)	3	30.00%	<div style="width: 30%;"></div>	
Course Learning Materials and Tools	(5)	0	0.00%		
Active Learning Opportunities	(6)	1	10.00%	<div style="width: 10%;"></div>	
Quality Interactions with Students	(7)	1	10.00%	<div style="width: 10%;"></div>	
Timely and Useful Feedback for Improvement	(8)	1	10.00%	<div style="width: 10%;"></div>	
Support	(9)	1	10.00%	<div style="width: 10%;"></div>	
Instructor Communication	(10)	0	0.00%		
Other	(11)	0	0.00%		
Not Applicable	(0)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
10/11 (90.91%)					

4 - You selected 'Inclusiveness'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	2/11 (18.18%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Because of the summer class, this is a small class and we are able to work together it is very inclusive • I feel like I am a genuine friend with Oleksiy and he helps students as much as he can. Definitely wants us to learn. 	

5 - You selected 'Course Performance Expectations'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	0/11 (0%)

6 - You selected 'Course Challenge'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	0/11 (0%)

7 - You selected 'Engagement in Assignments or Projects'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	2/11 (18.18%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oleksiy is very good at encouraging a depth of learning with each assignment/project that we do, he also gives us a good high level understanding of every presented topic which allows us to create our own solutions to the code. The TA's are also very helpful in guiding us onto the right path. • The projects, at least for me, have been fun and interactive. They keep my attention and want me to see them to the end. 	

8 - You selected 'Course Learning Materials and Tools'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	0/11 (0%)

9 - You selected 'Active Learning Opportunities'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	1/11 (9.09%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He was able to make the course understandable, 	

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10 - You selected 'Quality Interactions with Students'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

11 - You selected 'Timely and Useful Feedback for Improvement'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 1/11 (9.09%)

• Emailed TAs and never had a response time longer than 15 minutes.

12 - You selected 'Support'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 1/11 (9.09%)

• I feel very supported throughout this class. Prof. Al-saadi does an amazing job helping students out and helping people reach their potential in coding. I have always thought that I was getting a lot of support from him throughout the class.

13 - You selected 'Instructor Communication'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

14 - You selected 'Other'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

15 - You selected 'Not Applicable'. Please provide written comments on why you selected your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

16 - What could use some improvement? From the following list of teaching elements, what is the one thing that could most use some improvement to increase your learning? After your selection, please provide written comments about the element.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Inclusiveness	(1)	0	0.00%		
Course Performance Expectations	(2)	0	0.00%		
Course Challenge	(3)	0	0.00%		
Engagement in Assignments or Projects	(4)	0	0.00%		
Course Learning Materials and Tools	(5)	1	11.11%	■	
Active Learning Opportunities	(6)	0	0.00%		
Quality Interactions with Students	(7)	0	0.00%		
Timely and Useful Feedback for Improvement	(8)	2	22.22%	■	
Support	(9)	0	0.00%		
Instructor Communication	(10)	0	0.00%		
Other	(11)	1	11.11%	■	
Not Applicable	(0)	5	55.56%	■	
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
				9/11 (81.82%)	

17 - You selected 'Inclusiveness'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

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18 - You selected 'Course Performance Expectations'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

19 - You selected 'Course Challenge'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

20 - You selected 'Engagement in Assignments or Projects'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

21 - You selected 'Course Learning Materials and Tools'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 1/11 (9.09%)

• Zybook is awful and doesnt promote healthy learning, but instead googling.

22 - You selected 'Active Learning Opportunities'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

23 - You selected 'Quality Interactions with Students'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

24 - You selected 'Timely and Useful Feedback for Improvement'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 2/11 (18.18%)

• Some feedback on assignments could be more in depth, but it got the job done
• Because it's a 5-week class, we moved on to the next project right away, but i would prefer some more feedback on finished assignments.

25 - You selected 'Support'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

26 - You selected 'Instructor Communication'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 0/11 (0%)

27 - You selected 'Other'. Please provide written comments on your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 1/11 (9.09%)

• One thing I recommend is, you could be recording the course so in case someone miss class he can refer to the video to understand what he missed.

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28 - You selected 'Not Applicable'. Please provide written comments on why you selected your choice.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate 3/11 (27.27%)

- I believe that Oleksiy and his team of TA's do a great job all around.
- Oleksiy is so intelligent and checks all the other boxes for an exceptional learning environment.
- Prof. Al-saadi does an amazing job everywhere and is a great teacher.

29 - This course is:

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Required by my major/degree	(1)	9	90.00%		
Required by my college	(2)	0	0.00%		
A chosen elective	(3)	1	10.00%		
Don't know/choose not to answer	(4)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
10/11 (90.91%)					

30 - I spend the following average number of hours studying and/or preparing for this course per week:

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Less than 1 hour	(1)	0	0.00%		
Between 1-4 hours	(2)	2	20.00%		
Between 4-7 hours	(3)	4	40.00%		
Between 7-10 hours	(4)	2	20.00%		
More than 10 hours	(5)	2	20.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
10/11 (90.91%)					

31 - My attendance in this class so far:

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
I missed 0% of classes	(1)	3	30.00%		
I missed 1-10% of classes	(2)	7	70.00%		
I missed 11-25% of classes	(3)	0	0.00%		
I missed 26-50% of classes	(4)	0	0.00%		
I missed 51% or more of my classes	(5)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
10/11 (90.91%)					

32 - My anticipated grade for this class is:

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
A	(4)	5	55.56%		
B	(3)	4	44.44%		
C	(2)	0	0.00%		
D	(1)	0	0.00%		
F	(0)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
9/11 (81.82%)					

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33 - Please select the one description that BEST represents your primary participation mode in this course.(If 50/50 for two of the modes, please chose one to provide feedback on.)

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
I attended online with the instructor present live via Zoom or other videoconferencing platform.	(1)	0	0.00%		
I attended in person in the classroom with the instructor also present in person in the classroom.	(2)	10	100.00%	██████████	
I attended in person in the classroom with the instructor present live via Zoom or other videoconferencing platform.	(3)	0	0.00%		
I worked through course materials online (by watching recorded videos and/or working through other posted content) with little or no live interaction with the instructor.	(4)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
10/11 (90.91%)					

34 - Given your primary mode of participation, what is helping your learning?

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	8/11 (72.73%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being in the classroom setting and having easy access to help and guidance. • One on one questions during work time • Having so many TAs • teacher and student interactions • Working in class with TAs • The interaction with students individually helping them learn each part of the course and reteaching it if someone does not understand something. • Being able for TAs and Oleksiy to be able to see my code in person and also give me help. Computer Science and coding in general can be difficult to understand sometimes when not presently in a classroom. • I believe that being able to ask questions during lab and getting direct feedback. 	

35 - Given your primary mode of participation, what is hindering your learning?

Oleksiy Al-saadi	
Response Rate	7/11 (63.64%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N/A • Not enough independent work time. • probably just the difficulty of the subject and me trying to catch up. • nothing but myself • I think that the pace at which the course is going makes it more challenging to grasp the concepts and in depth as I would like. • Not enough office hours maybe? • NA 	

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36 - How could this course be changed to better facilitate your learning in your primary mode of participation? Best experience, example, etc.

Oleksiy Al-saadi

Response Rate	
7/11 (63.64%)	

- N/A
- Don't use Zybook as much.
- Really good
- n/a
- Pausing in between working to get a "hint" or better method is kind of annoying, but oh well. When you are in the flow and figuring it out and than having to stop and then remember what you were doing. Maybe saying in 20 minutes exactly we will be given new information would better prepare. Like dont start a whole new block of code when you only have 1 minute left.
- Have some office hours during the weekend for people that also work during the week and can't get help
- I do not think there is any. Prof. Al-saadi does a great job.