#### University of Massachusetts Amherst Student Response to Instruction (SRTI) Individual Section Report

Mean Comparisons (Within Class Size)

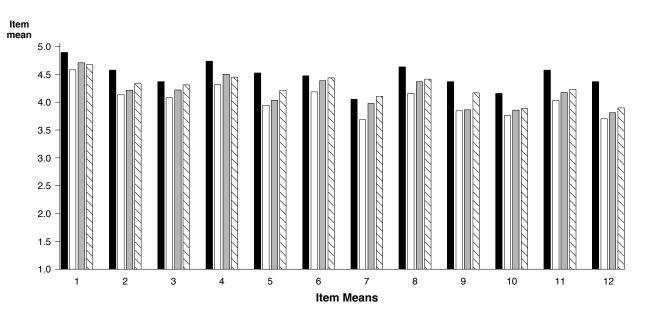
Semester: SPR 2009 Instructor: FU, KEVIN

Course: CMPSCI 201 Section #: 01 Class #: 12924

Forms returned: 19 Total enrollment: 34 Response rate: 56%

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Item #	SRTI Item	Mean	St. Dev.	Mean	St. Dev.	Mean	St. Dev.	Mean	St. Dev.
1	The instructor was well prepared for class. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.9	0.32	4.6	0.39	4.7	0.29	4.7	0.33
2	The instructor explained course material clearly. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.6	0.61	4.1	0.48	4.2	0.57	4.3	0.51
3	The instructor cleared up points of confusion. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.4	0.60	4.1	0.49	4.2	0.54	4.3	0.50
4	The instructor used class time well. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.7	0.45	4.3	0.43	4.5	0.40	4.4	0.42
5	The instructor inspired interest in the subject matter. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.5	0.77	3.9	0.59	4.0	0.59	4.2	0.54
6	The instructor showed an interest in helping students learn. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.5	0.51	4.2	0.48	4.4	0.48	4.4	0.46
7	I received useful feedback on my performance. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.1	0.62	3.7	0.59	4.0	0.55	4.1	0.55
8	The methods of evaluating my work were fair. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.6	0.60	4.2	0.44	4.4	0.39	4.4	0.43
9	The instructor stimulated student participation. (5=Almost always, 1=Almost never)	4.4	0.76	3.8	0.66	3.9	0.61	4.2	0.59
10	Overall, how much do you feel you learned in this course? (5=Much more than most, 1=Much less than most)	4.2	0.69	3.8	0.48	3.9	0.56	3.9	0.52
11	Overall rating of this instructor's teaching. (5=Almost always effective, 1=Almost never effective)	4.6	0.51	4.0	0.56	4.2	0.56	4.2	0.54
12	Overall rating of this course. (5=One of the best, 1=One of the worst)	4.4	0.68	3.7	0.60	3.8	0.61	3.9	0.58





\*\*Reported only if data were available for 10 or more sections. Means were calculated using combined data for academic years 2005-07.

\*\*Dept = all courses from the same department; College = courses from all other departments in the school/college; Campus = All UMass courses.

For more information on comparison groups visit www.umass.edu/oapa/srti. Office of Academic Planning and Assessment, 06/22/2009

### **Faculty Course Evaluation Comments (SRTI)**

### Spring 2009

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CMPSCI 201

Lect 01

# 12924

Architecture and Assembly Language

Enrollment (after Add/Drop) 34 SRTI Enrollment (end of semester) 34

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that he really enjoyed teaching, which work it
enjugate for ne to learn.
What about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it needs change or improvement?
Wish we had none togs to play with
What suggestions can you offer that would have made this course a better learning experience for you?
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Those intermental services
Any additional comments?
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programs.
What suggestions can you offer that would have made this course a better learning experience for you?
Any additional comments?

What do you like most about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it?
- Always interesting teacher is very enthusiastar about feaching the material.
about teaching the ingrerial.
What about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it needs change or improvement?
What suggestions can you offer that would have made this course a better learning experience for you?  Accompany slides with examples on chalk board  like Mr. Fu usually does
Any additional comments?

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I like the order in which the material is presented; it makes a lot of sense.
Pef. Fu is always enthusiostic and listens to questions.
What about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it needs change or improvement?
What suggestions can you offer that would have made this course a better learning experience for you?
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What do you like most about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it?
I liked Kevin's enthusiasm and down to - parth style of teaching.
Kevin has managed to turn what I think is a borne topic
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into an interesting class!
What about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it needs change or improvement?
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The beginning parts were a little slow but it procked up pace well.
What suggestions can you offer that would have made this course a better learning experience for you?
I would have liked more time to play with the available.
Any additional comments?
Thanks for a great cause.

What do you like most about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it?
I enjoy the material immensely and how Port. For delivered very
interesting lectures. The discussion sections were a good time to
review difficult concepts, and the TA's were always harling
clurely with us students.
What about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it needs change or improvement?
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What do you like most about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it?
Instructor was clour and encise with the Material. He
explained topics well and had a good system to
keep organised and make sure he got through every flying
for the day. The circuit lab was very interesting and
helpful
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What about this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it needs change or improvement?  H few of the discussions where exactly the
Some as the lectures, which was a honest mistake
but a lit at a waste.
What suggestions can you offer that would have made this course a better learning experience for you?
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both Coul LCB assembly larguage and have been good.
Any additional comments?
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	this course and/or the instructor's teaching of it needs change or improvement?  Some times, Much of class is spent on clearing up  yents that a student might have a question about hence the class moves slower.
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