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# Summary of Teachings Evaluations

## 1 Overall teaching evaluation at the George Washington University

The table below shows the average rating across all courses that I taught at the George Washington University. All questions are rated on a scale from 1 (worst) to 5 (best).

Question	My rating	GW Economics Department Average
Overall rating of instructor	4.4	4.1
Knowledgeable about subject	4.6	4.6
Enthusiastic	4.2	4.3
Treats students with respect	4.7	4.6
Fair grading	4.4	4.3
Provides adequate/ timely feedback	4.4	4.3

I was instructor of record in ECON 1012 -Principles of Macroeconomics (Summer 2020). I was Graduate Teaching Assistant for ECON 1011 - Principles of Microeconomics (Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2019), ECON 1012 - Principles of Macroeconomics (Spring 2019, Spring 2020), ECON 1001 - Principles of Mathematics for Economics (Fall 2018) and ECON 2180 - Survey of International Economics (Fall 2020).

## 2 Evaluation as instructor of record (Summer 2020)

### 2.1 Course overview

- Course: ECON 1012, Principles of Economics II (Principles of Macroeconomics), Summer Semester 2020 (May 18 June 27)
- **Textbook:** Stevenson, B., & Wolfers, J. (2020). Principles of Macroeconomics, First Edition. Macmillan Learning.
- Course methods: Lectures, homework assignments, quizzes, midterm exam, final exam.
- Contents:

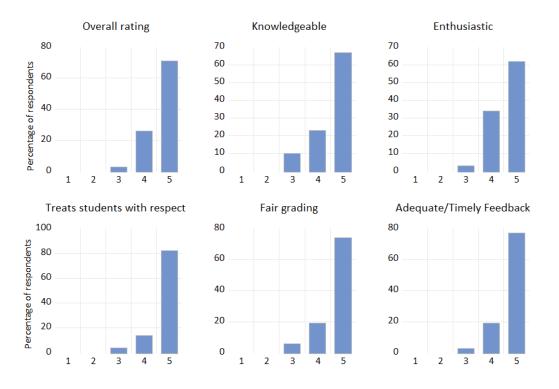
– The 4 Core Principles of Economics	– The Financial Sector	
– GDP	– Business Cycles	
– Economic Growth	·	
– Unemployment	– Aggregate Demand and Aggregate Supply	
– Inflation and Money	- Monetary Policy	
– Consumption and Saving	- Government spending, taxes, and fiscal	
– Investment	policy	

#### 2.2 Overall rating (Summer 2020)

Question	My rating	GW Economics Department Average
Overall rating of instructor	4.7	4.1
Knowledgeable about subject	4.6	4.6
Enthusiastic	4.6	4.3
Treats students with respect	4.8	4.6
Fair grading	4.6	4.3
Provides adequate/ timely feedback	4.7	4.3

All questions are rated on a scale from 1 (worst) to 5 (best).

#### 2.3 Distribution of ratings (Summer 2020)



#### 2.4 Student comments (Summer 2020)

- "I just wanted to write to you and let you know how amazing of an instructor you have been for this summer semester. You have solidified my passion for economics and went above and beyond with resources and extra videos to help our class succeed. From the textbook/platform that you chose to the practice videos and problems you provided, this class has been nothing but enjoyable. I cannot thank you enough for your detailed emails clearing up any confusion that I had over a topic or certain problem. You have really set the standard high for all of my professors to come."
- "I enjoyed the platform we used to do HWs [homework], the professor had great communication with us and I really enjoyed the way she set up the course and taught it."
- "The platform used was very user-friendly and made the class run more smoothly. It was nice to have very thing in one place and to have extra video lectures to correspond with the readings for

added understanding."

- "There is nothing that I would change about this class."
- "I don't see any areas for improvement I thought the course went great overall."
- "Very well organized and good progression of lessons."
- "Everything was amazing, I believe there is nothing to improve."
- "Amazing online lectures! Really enjoyed studying them."

### 3 Evaluations as Graduate Teaching Assistant (Fall 2017 - Fall 2020)

#### Student comments

- "Friederike was fun, enthusiastic, and understanding. She always went over homework and made sure to review before exams."
- "I thought Friederike was very fair, helpful, and timely in grading things."
- "Thank you for being available to answer emails and your office hours. It was so helpful just to talk out the homework problems. I also appreciated how the discussion section gave a good summary of the lecture material."
- "The best econ TA ever. Explains complicated topics in a very simple, non-condescending, unegotistical way. I look forward to attending because I know I will leave understanding the material. Keep doing what you are doing! :)"
- "As a TA, I think she is doing a very good job."
- "Friederike was a great TA, always very helpful!"
- "The last time I took Economics was a few years ago so some basic terms were forgotten, however, the instructor provided some reminders that were helpful."
- "Friederike was very good about staying on task during discussion but not at the expense of students' understanding. She is very dedicated to making sure all students are on the same page in terms of understanding of material."
- "Ms. Langowski is an excellent TA! She is accessible and communicates very well to students. In office hours and discussions, she ensures each student is provided personal attention, if needed. Could not ask for a better TA!"
- "The instructor is very good at teaching the course materials to the students. She is able to summarize the key points that are crucial in solving questions for the next quiz and effectively communicates to the students on what topics will most likely be on the next quiz. She additionally makes sure all the students are well involved during the discussion sections by frequently asking the students to answer the questions she goes over with us on the board."
- "Friederike was the only person who actually taught me Econ. I really enjoyed her classes and found them very helpful."
- "Friederike was always available for students who required extra instruction or had questions about the material. She consistently increased my understanding of the material covered in lecture through her concise instruction in her discussion section."
- "Very thorough in explaining course material and always willing to answer questions."
- "Friederike was an excellent TA, she was always prepared and helped me whenever I had doubts."