

UC RIVERSIDE - Student Comments of Instructor, Discussion Courses - Fall 2020

Course: CS 161 Section: 021 - DESIGN&ARCHTCTR OF COMP SYSTMS Instructor: Yujia Zhai

Question # 18: YOUR CONSTRUCTIVE COMMENTS ON YOUR GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR'S TEACHING SKILLS ARE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT. PLEASE WRITE YOUR COMMENTS IN THE TEXTBOX BELOW. PLEASE LIMIT YOUR COMMENTS TO 2000 CHARACTERS.

- The class was great.
- Nothing to say here, he is a really good TA who knows what he is talking about, and very encouraging
- I loved the class and the teaching style. It was extremely helpful.
- One of the best, if not the best TA I've ever had. His discussions provided supplementary instruction which really helped me get a better grasp of the material.
- Very helpful and reviews the most relevant information from lecture and on what may be on an upcoming exam. Takes time to ensure we have a good understanding by the end of every discussion session.
- Yujia is very helpful and knowledgeable. My only real complaint about Yujia is that he should post discussion recordings on ilearn. I had to share
 the discussion recordings with other students multiple times throughout the quarter. Emailing Yujia to ask for discussion recording was
 unnecessary in my opinion when they can be uploaded for all to access.
- Yujia was just such a good TA there really isn't much to say. He knew the topics well enough to explain them to us and have us understand them.
- Super nice guy and very helpful discussions every week. Keep it up
- Yujia is one of the best TA's I have ever had at UCR. He is so clear and concise during discussions, that you can't help but engage with him. He always goes in-depth to the material and is very detailed in such a way that I never had questions regarding how to do an assignment.
- Very good at teaching the material. I rarely have questions. He is extremely responsive to my questions / requests. He always responds within 1
 -2 minutes.
- The BEST TAI have ever encountered throughout my four years here. Yujia is passionate about the subject, covers material thoroughly, and responds to emails quickly and with detail. Going to discussion is a joy because he is very kind and answers all questions clearly without having people feel bad about asking, which is a lot to say compared to other class experiences I have had. I love that he goes over the class material in discussions to guide us through the homework and works through the problems step by step. Overall, a very kind guy that does his job exceptionally well.