



# Initial Report





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## 1. 1. Was this course required for your degree?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	no, not required		2	25%
2	yes, required		6	75%
	Total		8	



Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.75
Variance	0.21
Standard Deviation	0.46
Total Responses	8

2. 2. On average, how many hours per week did you devote to this course outside of class?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	0-1 hours		4	50%
2	2-3 hours		2	25%
3	4-5 hours		1	13%
4	6-7 hours		1	13%
5	8 hours or more		0	0%
	Total		8	



Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	1.88
Variance	1.27
Standard Deviation	1.13
Total Responses	8

3. 3. Assignments and activities were useful for helping me learn.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		0	0%
4	Agree		3	38%
5	Strongly Agree		5	63%
	Total		8	




Statistic	Value
Min Value	4
Max Value	5
Mean	4.63
Variance	0.27
Standard Deviation	0.52
Total Responses	8

4. 4. This course challenged me to think and learn.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		0	0%
4	Agree		4	50%
5	Strongly Agree		4	50%
	Total		8	




Statistic	Value
Min Value	4
Max Value	5
Mean	4.50
Variance	0.29
Standard Deviation	0.53
Total Responses	8

5. 5. The instructor explains concepts clearly.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		1	13%
4	Agree		1	13%
5	Strongly Agree		6	75%
	Total		8	



Statistic	Value
Min Value	3
Max Value	5
Mean	4.63
Variance	0.55
Standard Deviation	0.74
Total Responses	8

6. The instructor was helpful.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		1	13%
4	Agree		2	25%
5	Strongly Agree		5	63%
	Total		8	



Statistic	Value
Min Value	3
Max Value	5
Mean	4.50
Variance	0.57
Standard Deviation	0.76
Total Responses	8

7. 7. The instructor facilitates critical thinking.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		0	0%
4	Agree		1	13%
5	Strongly Agree		7	88%
	Total		8	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	4
Max Value	5
Mean	4.88
Variance	0.13
Standard Deviation	0.35
Total Responses	8





8. 8. The instructor presented a positive and constructive teaching skill.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		0	0%
4	Agree		1	13%
5	Strongly Agree		7	88%
	Total		8	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	4
Max Value	5
Mean	4.88
Variance	0.13
Standard Deviation	0.35
Total Responses	8







9. 9. This course met my expectations.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		1	13%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		1	13%
4	Agree		2	25%
5	Strongly Agree		4	50%
	Total		8	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	4.00
Variance	2.00
Standard Deviation	1.41
Total Responses	8

10. 10. This course was well organized.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		2	25%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		2	25%
4	Agree		3	38%
5	Strongly Agree		1	13%
	Total		8	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	2
Max Value	5
Mean	3.38
Variance	1.13
Standard Deviation	1.06
Total Responses	8

11. 11. I understood clearly where I stood in this course.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		1	13%
2	Disagree		1	13%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		1	13%
4	Agree		5	63%
5	Strongly Agree		0	0%
	Total		8	



Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	3.25
Variance	1.36
Standard Deviation	1.16
Total Responses	8

12. 12. The visual aids used in this course were effective.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		1	13%
4	Agree		3	38%
5	Strongly Agree		4	50%
	Total		8	




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Max Value	5
Mean	4.38
Variance	0.55
Standard Deviation	0.74
Total Responses	8

13. 13. The instructor stimulated interest in the subject matter.

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1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		0	0%
4	Agree		2	25%
5	Strongly Agree		6	75%
	Total		8	



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Max Value	5
Mean	4.75
Variance	0.21
Standard Deviation	0.46
Total Responses	8

14. 14. The grading policy was fair and clear.

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1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		1	13%
4	Agree		5	63%
5	Strongly Agree		2	25%
	Total		8	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	3
Max Value	5
Mean	4.13
Variance	0.41
Standard Deviation	0.64
Total Responses	8

15. I would recommend this course to other students.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		0	0%
4	Agree		4	50%
5	Strongly Agree		4	50%
	Total		8	

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16. 16. What did you like most about this course?

Text Response	
<p>John Pickering is by far the most engaging professor I've ever had at the university of Georgia. His way of utilizing field trips throughout the course was extremely interesting while at the same time providing first hand experience of ecology.</p>	
<p>The way of the professor teaching I like her knowledge.</p>	
<p>I love how free flowing it was and all of the field trips. Instead of boring lectures it allowed me to think for myself</p>	
<p>The enthusiasm of the professor.</p>	
<p>that it wasn't simply tech is bad nature is good or some other over simplified thing.</p>	
<p>I loved that the class was only on Tuesdays. The three hour blocked worked great for this type of class and was the reason I originally picked this class. The three hour block allowed us to go on field trips to the Botanical Gardens and Whitehall Forest along with other excursions to waste treatment facilities and UGA's steam plant. These field trips allowed us to get hands on understanding of the class concepts that we would not normally gain if we were in a class setting the entire semester. Unfortunately, we were not able go on our camping trip. I feel that the camping trip would have been extremely valuable to our learning because we would have been able to experience and look at ecological conditions and ecosystems that we don't have in Athens. Overall, I think that this class was great and its structural set up of a three hour block works perfect for this type of learning.</p>	
<p>I liked the unconventional structure of the class.</p>	
Statistic	Value
Total Responses	7



17. 17. How could this course be improved?

Text Response	
Get more assignment for practice	
More clear deadlines	
students who register for this class should go in knowing exactly what they dined up for rather than thinking it was a regular type of class. there was no such indication made on athena about the field trips and such.	
I dont really have any improvements	
At times the length of the class can be a bit taxing.	
Statistic	Value
Total Responses	5