

# Fall 2021 Individual Report FAS-GOV 20-Foundations of Comparative Politics 001 Jialu Li

Project Title: 2021 Fall Harvard FAS Course Evaluation

Course Audience: 208
Responses Received: 168
Response Ratio: 81%

## **Report Comments**

Note:

The order that the questions appear on this report is not the same as the way the questions were displayed to students. The order has been changed to make the report more readable.

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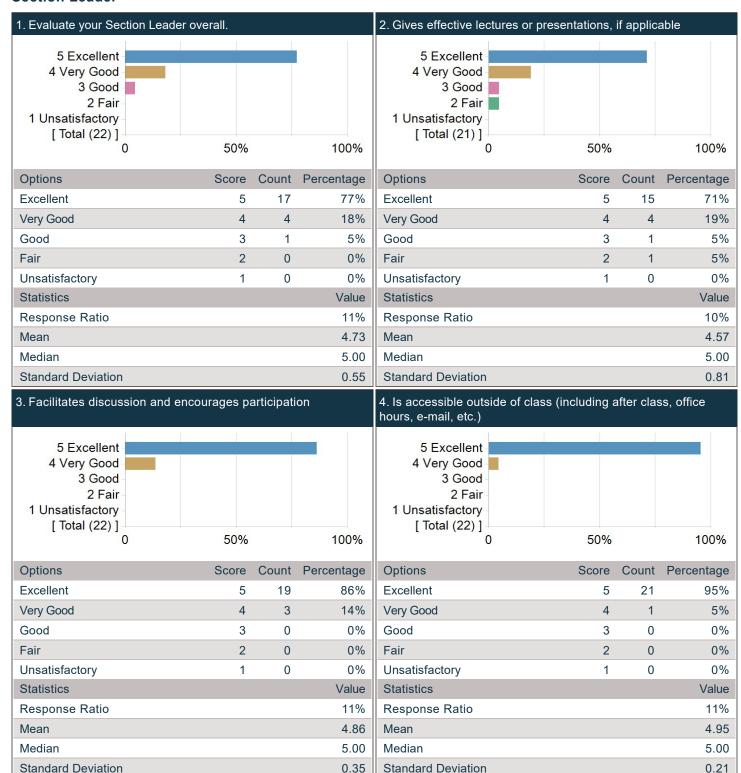
# **Evaluation of Section Leaders**

# **Section Leader Questions**

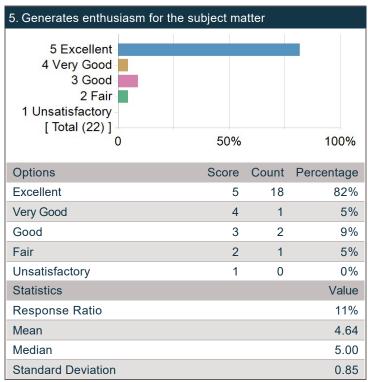
	Count	Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Unsatisfactory	Instructor Mean	Dept Mean	Division Mean
Evaluate your Section Leader overall.	22	77%	18%	5%	0%	0%	4.73	4.59	4.52
Gives effective lectures or presentations, if applicable	21	71%	19%	5%	5%	0%	4.57	4.54	4.43
Facilitates discussion and encourages participation	22	86%	14%	0%	0%	0%	4.86	4.62	4.48
Is accessible outside of class (including after class, office hours, e-mail, etc.)	22	95%	5%	0%	0%	0%	4.95	4.69	4.62
Generates enthusiasm for the subject matter	22	82%	5%	9%	5%	0%	4.64	4.53	4.46
Gives useful feedback on assignments	22	82%	18%	0%	0%	0%	4.82	4.46	4.44
Returns assignments in a timely fashion	22	91%	9%	0%	0%	0%	4.91	4.41	4.47

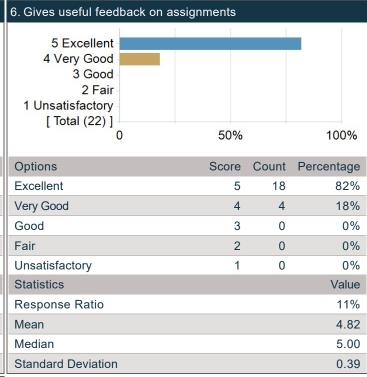
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#### Section Leader



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## **Section Leader Comments**

### Please comment on your Section Leader's teaching.

#### Comments

Amazing section leader. Super helpful and offers a lot of support in understanding the course's material.

Jialu is a godsend. I do not think I would have done very well in the course, nor would I still be interested in Gov without the help of Jialu. She was constantly running around, printing handouts for us, asking questions, and making sure that we understood the concepts. Jialu was also very accessible, often restructuring her Calendly to better accommodate students. She was the best part of GOV 20, and I can't thank her enough.

Jialu is outstanding! She is available at the drop of a hat for any assistance you may need, and is a godsend when exams come.

She's amazing! I just hope she knows that.

Jialu is what made the course for me. She gave incredible feedback and was always available, regardless of how late into an assignment it was. Suggestion to Harvard: Jialu Li — future head of Gov 20.

Jialu is a really likable, kind TF. I think her lectures and teaching could be a bit more effective, but I enjoyed the environment she created during section nonetheless.

Jialu is great at facilitating discussion in section and always stresses the most important takeaways from the readings and lectures. She provides great feedback on assignments and is always willing to answer questions and chat both in and out of the classroom. Overall, I am really glad I had Jialu as my section TF this semester and really sad that Gov. 20 is coming to an end!

Jialu was the most helpful section leader; she went above and beyond to offer her services to help you understand the content and apply it in essays. She is clearly passionate about comparative politics and engages all students in section.

Jialu is so wonderful; she made every section engaging and helped us conceptualise the readings + lecture material. She made sure that there was always a lot of room for student discussion and linking themes across weeks/bringing in outside knowledge. She also gave really good feedback during office hours before the papers were due so that we felt like we were going in the right direction.

I think Jialu did a excellent job. I think my shortcomings when it came to struggling and failing to do many of the readings had nothing to do with her teaching ability. She made lots of effort to give us materials and provide discussion that was helpful to us to be successful in the course.

I loved section!

Jialu is very sweet.

I cannot say Enough good things about Jialu. She not only cared about us as students, but also as people, and made every section meeting feel like a community rather than just an assigned group. She did an amazing job clarifying readings for us (which were often very confusing) and lead a number of fantastic discussions. I hope nothing but the best for her in life.

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