

*Bruce Kavelli*

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Course: Course SLGY 2201 Section 006  
Term: 200501  
Instructor: 201007132

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Student Evaluation Summary

N Median Mean

	Strongly Agree		Neither		Strongly Disagree		N	Median	Mean			
	5 %	4 %	3 %	2 %	1 %	No Basis %				No Answer %		
1. The instructor appears to be knowledgeable about the subject.	28	0	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	5.00			
2. The instructor shows respect to individual students.	21	7	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.75			
3. The instructor fosters an environment of openness and respect in which students feel comfortable participating	22	6	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.79			
4. The instructor shows a respect for diversity (e.g. age, ethnic origin, colour, religion, gender, sexual orientation).	20	8	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.71			
5. Opportunities for assistance are available (e.g. office hours, telephone, e-mail, or web-site).	25	3	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.89			
6. The instructor is approachable.	24	4	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.86			
7. The instructor is helpful.	24	4	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.86			
8. The instructor communicates course content in ways that help me learn.	22	6	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.79			
9. The instructor encourages student participation (e.g. questions, comments, or input).	25	3	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.89			
10. The instructor makes effective use of instructional time.	26	2	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.93			
11. The instructor is well prepared.	27	1	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.96			
12. The instructor clearly communicates student responsibilities in this course.	21	7	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.75			
13. The instructor explains clearly how my work will be evaluated.	20	7	1	4	0	0	28	5.00	4.68			
14. The instructor effectively relates the subject matter to areas of study beyond this course.	19	9	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.68			
15. The instructor is responsive to my learning needs as a student.	20	8	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.71			
16. The instructor gives effective examples, illustrations, or applications to clarify concepts.	26	2	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.93			
17. The instructor provides fair assessment of my learning.	18	10	0	0	0	0	28	5.00	4.64			
18. The instructor gives timely feedback to students.	20	7	1	4	0	0	28	5.00	4.68			
19. Instructor feedback aided my learning.	14	10	4	14	0	0	28	4.50	4.36			
20. For this course, I would recommend this instructor to others.	26	1	4	1	4	0	28	5.00	4.89			
21. I would describe the instruction I receive in this course as:	Excellent 5 % 25 89		Good 3 % 0 0		Fair 2 % 0 0		Poor 1 % 0 0		No Basis % 0 0		No Answer % 0 0	

Total Number Of Respondents 28 % responding out of # registered 80 % Overall Mean: 4.79

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A) Learning Environment (Q.1 - Q.4)	5.00	4.81
B) Assistance to Students (Q.5 - Q.7)	5.00	4.87
C) Facilitation of Learning (Q.8 - Q.14)	5.00	4.81
D) Evaluation of Learning (Q.15 - Q.19)	5.00	4.66
E) General Evaluation of Instructor (Q.20 - Q.21)	5.00	4.89
<b>Overall :</b>	<b>5.00</b>	<b>4.79</b>

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1. I thoroughly enjoy the way Bruce teaches. The stories are helpful when it comes to remembering information. Not a huge fan of the reading tests.
2. Thank God for no essays or projects having to be done. Reading tests and premidterm are good ideas. Class is entertaining and informative—always enjoyed. Would definitely recommend Bruce's class to others.
3. I really enjoyed this class. It was interesting and never boring. To be honest it was the best class I took this semester. I wouldn't change anything about it. Except maybe the reading quizzes and make them all an chose.
4. Loved the course, love the class, why oh why can't the rest of my teachers be as entertaining as you. One question though, why do these evaluations when you have the online ones which are a lot more useful? Oh well, I had a blast in your class the college needs more teachers like you. (Not that I'm trying to give you a big head or anything.)
5. I really enjoy your class. You create an open and fun environment, which really helps me learn and encourages me to learn as well.
6. Very good instructor, one of the best I've had.
7. Wow. Honestly the best teacher I have had so far. I never skipped this class once because it was the only class I would look forward to. His teaching abilities are simply amazing, he connects with his students on so many levels. He makes it easy to learn even the hardest concepts by using clear examples. I really liked that he had extra office hours around midterms, and was willing to check over our responses.
8. Bruce is an exciting and enjoyable professor to have. I thoroughly enjoyed listening to him speak on every topic he covered this semester. This school needs more profs like him.
9. I think that Bruce is very knowledgeable and funny instructor. He is always able to tell a story that is related to the topic at hand. This is one class I have enjoyed coming to not only to learn but because of the interesting things that Bruce makes aware to us. He is a wonderful instructor and I would recommend him to other students interested in the course.
10. Bruce is an excellent teacher, I can say a perfect instructor. All students should get an instructor like Bruce—a very talented man with complete knowledge of teaching as well as all other relating topics to studies. Besides this, he is cool looking.....hehehehe!©
11. Great Course! Hopefully other sociology courses are as fun! Thanks, & have a great summer!
12. Bruce is a great teacher. He interprets course material in an interesting and effective way. He is definitely one of the best teachers I've ever had. I would prefer if there were two midterms of equal value instead of one and the mini-midterm. Overall it was a great course and I have recommended it to others.
13. I think the way you teach the class is awesome. Only thing you could be clearer on is grading policy.
14. Great way to teach! Enjoyed the teaching style. I wouldn't change anything. Maybe add a speaker or some sort of field work. Just to allow for some out of class learning. Great job!
15. I really enjoyed this course. It was extremely interesting and enlightening. What I most appreciated was the way in which you argued every theory and idea convincingly without letting your own biases get in the way.
16. Bruce, I just want to say that you make sociology fun. I have never learned as much, nor wanted to actually study so much in any other course. I love your approach and grading system. I think it is beyond fair and allows every student ample opportunity to do well. All you have to do is show up, take notes, make note of things that are going to be on the exam, study those things, and do the readings for a good mark. It is really a students' class, not an instructor's class. Thank you.

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17. Bruce is excellent at holding students attention. and maintaining focus definetly aided my learning. in this class. However, I disliked the Exam format and its emphasis on english (Paragraphs, Essays).
18. Love the course! I will take the information learned with me through life. I wish everyone I know could take this course from you → you have a very unique teaching style but I like it a lot!
19. I like how Bruce teaches the course material, with jokes and stories. It helps me remember material easier. However for exams there is too much emphasis on explaining in detail the information learned in class. I had a few other exams around the same time and I couldn't remember some of the little detail needed for the exam. I also do like the web site that is set up.
20. I think your method of teaching is very effective and you keep us interested in the material. I always enjoy coming to class and hearing your stories.
21. Bruce, your an awesome teacher buddy. A student couldn't ask for much more. Keep it up. Though, capitalism isn't bad. Some define capitalism as the oppresion of the working class, just as others define communism as the smothering of the motivated and hardworking. Good luck to you.
22. Bruce was a very good instructor, course expectation are clear and his stories and examples helped me learn and made the class interesting.
23. I have friends who have taken this course, and they find it dry and boring. However, I am always happy to come to your class. Material that has the potential to be dull is made interesting through your stories. I enjoyed your class.
24. I really enjoyed this class. Its laid back and fun, but still very informative. The course material was very enlightening. I deffinitely appreciate the time and effort you put into things like the website and making yourself available with extra office hours before exams.
25. You are a wonderful instructor, very knowledgable. However, perfection is too much for us to achieve when you consider how demanding life already is for the average students. I still think you are an honourable person!
26. I felt challenged by Bruce in the first class of this course and beyond. I rarely feel really challenged to understand the information in other classes, so I appriciated his sincere desire for me to grasp the concepts. It is obvious Bruce is extremely knowledgable about the subject, and also has a passion for it. I'm never bored in this class due to all the examples Bruce gives which I can relate & apply to my own life.
27. Bruce Ravelli has a dynamic character which really brings the class to life. I find it easier to participate in class and the atmosphere is overall, a lot more relaxed. I appreciate his teaching and would recommend him as an instructor to anyone!!
28. An excellent and enthusiastic teacher that makes sociology interesting more relative to my life and very understandable. What he expects from us is clearly stated and does whatever he can to assist our learning.
29. Mr. Ravelli is an extremely organized & helpful teacher. His lectures are not only well prepared and thought-out, but also very interesting and engaging. I can honestly say that this class and Mr. Ravelli have opened my mind and changed the way I look at the world, for the better! I would recommend this course to anyone. Thanks Bruce!
30. This is/was one of those courses that has an impact on people's lives. Even if I had only taken the first 2 months of this course I would have been affected. It has opened my eyes and my mind. This is exactly what I want/hope to gain from school. Not just a degree but knowledge that will help me (to help others as well) have a more successful life—in all aspects. I am very appreciative and thank ful for having taken this course taught by an instructor, that, in my opinion, is what an instructor should be. Bruce makes this course apply to all areas of life. This course has being an aid to living within a society—not just a sociology class. I don't really have anything to recommend for improvement—well except for those lovely weekly quiz.

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31. I found the instruction great. Bruce made the class interesting, funny & clear in understanding. Although he is very clear of what his expectations are for exams, I found them to be too difficult even after going to see him after class. His marking I found not un-fair, but too hard in expectation. Bruce is a great teacher & a fantastic communicator with course lectures.. although I might be hesitant to take another one of his classes because I know other sociology teachers had less hard tests.