

Question 3

Was the relationship between the section (if any) and the course effective, and how could it be improved? What are the strengths and weaknesses of your teaching assistant (discussion section leader, lab section leader, grader or other assistant) as an instructor, and how might his/her teaching be improved?

Response 1

Ted Carl Rosenbaum

Ted was a great teaching fellow. He was very accessible and accommodating about helping students in his section. Also, he is great at explaining ideas that can be difficult and generally has a good idea of what things from lecture confused students.

Response 2

Ted Carl Rosenbaum

Section was very helpful, especially the sections where we reviewed articles and research papers. Ted made sure to be very accessible to students through both email and office hours. He is very good at explaining all the concepts and answering questions. Section could be made more effective if more time was spent on the articles (assigned readings for class) and on the math gone over in recent lecture. Also, it would be helpful if more time was spent going over problem sets. Both next week's and previous week's solutions because sometimes the problems can be quite challenging. It is important to understand all the correct solutions to the problem sets as this is critical for the exams. Finally it would be helpful if in section, Ted could go over the main takeaways from the articles like the models used and instrumental variables (if any), which is important to know for exams and the final research paper.

Response 3

Ted Carl Rosenbaum

Best TA I've had so far. Always helpful.

Response 4

Ted Carl Rosenbaum

Ted is a great TA- helpful, knows his stuff, and encouraging.