

**Student IA Evaluation for Duong Thi Thuy Pham  
Department of Political Science**

POLI 160AA - Introduction/Policy Analysis (Bergman, Matthew Edward)  
Spring 2022

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 10  
Number of Students Enrolled: 148

1. The Instructional Assistant was well organized and prepared for class.

5 (50.0%): Strongly Agree  
3 (30.0%): Agree  
1 (10.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
1 (10.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

2. The Instructional Assistant consistently arrived at lecture, section/lab, office hours and exams on time.

6 (60.0%): Strongly Agree  
4 (40.0%): Agree  
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

3. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

4 (40.0%): Strongly Agree  
2 (20.0%): Agree  
2 (20.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
2 (20.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

4. The Instructional Assistant helped develop my thinking skills on the subject.

4 (40.0%): Strongly Agree  
4 (40.0%): Agree  
1 (10.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
1 (10.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

5. Feedback from the Instructional Assistant on assignments, exams and/or papers was helpful and constructive.

3 (30.0%): Strongly Agree  
2 (20.0%): Agree  
3 (30.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
1 (10.0%): Disagree  
1 (10.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

6. The Instructional Assistant's explanations were appropriate, being neither too complicated nor too simple.

3 (30.0%): Strongly Agree  
3 (30.0%): Agree  
3 (30.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
1 (10.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

7. The Instructional Assistant answered questions clearly and effectively, helping students to make connections among the course readings, assignments, and lectures.

4 (40.0%): Strongly Agree  
3 (30.0%): Agree  
2 (20.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
1 (10.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

8. The Instructional Assistant was genuinely interested in and enthusiastic about teaching.

4 (40.0%): Strongly Agree  
4 (40.0%): Agree  
1 (10.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
1 (10.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

9. The Instructional Assistant was accessible to students outside of class (office hours, e-mail, etc.).

4 (40.0%):	Strongly Agree
3 (30.0%):	Agree
3 (30.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

10. The Instructional Assistant effectively connected the section/lab exercises with the material covered in lecture.

4 (40.0%):	Strongly Agree
3 (30.0%):	Agree
2 (20.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
1 (10.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

11. In terms of communication skills, did the Instructional Assistant demonstrate any of the following? (check all that apply)

7 (70.0%):	No issues
2 (20.0%):	Too quiet
0 (0.0%):	Too loud
1 (10.0%):	Too fast
0 (0.0%):	Too slow
0 (0.0%):	Poor grammar and/or English language skills
0 (0.0%):	Used filler words such as "um"
0 (0.0%):	Other (please describe)

12. I would recommend this Instructional Assistant to other students.

3 (30.0%):	Strongly Agree
6 (60.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
1 (10.0%):	Strongly Disagree

13. Please describe this person's greatest strengths as a Instructional Assistant.  
*Please keep your comments constructive and professional, abiding by the Principles of Community*

- The TA was very rude in feedback on exams. I felt like I was scolded and humiliated. I tried my best on the test and was ripped apart in the comments section.

14. Please describe this person's greatest weaknesses as a Instructional Assistant.  
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- On time grading, we had to wait weeks for the TA to finish grading and when I mentioned the test in class I felt the TA was upset that I asked the Professor.

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?  
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- I think this TA needs to learn how to speak to people and not make them feel dumb.

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