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Responses**: 24/35 - 68.57%**

Number of Participants: **35**

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TA Graph Report for: **Xuan Li**

1	**What is your overall assessment of the effectiveness of the teaching assistant?**	N=24

1	No basis for comment	**0** (0%)
2	Poor	**0** (0%)
3	Fair	**0** (0%)
4	Good	**0** (0%)
5	Very Good	**3** (13%)
6	Excellent	**21** (88%)

Median **6**	Interpolated Median **5.93**	Mean **5.88**	Std Dev **0.34**

Program Evaluation System

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Q1 **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 or her teaching be improved?**

- TA is well prepared for the materials which gives a strong support for our class material. Things are clearly organized which improve our understanding.

- Strength: very caring, give out very good recitations and recitation notes, excellent supplement for the class. Best TA ever.
  Weakness: no.

- Miss LI is one of the best TA in my study with whole-heartedness and clear statement as well as the board writing. She gets my full score for the evaluation

- Xuan was great! Always made herself readily available to meet with students and always responded to emails promptly. I would recommend she just be a bit more confident! She is very very smart and was extremely helpful throughout the whole semester! I would walk into a meeting with her not understanding anything and walk out understanding everything! She has very neat handwriting when she writes on the board and she would always come to class prepared. She also regularly stayed after class to answer questions for over an hour. She would stay with us until every question and doubt we had had been addressed.

  She is really a delightful person and great instructor.

- BEST TA EVER. Extremely organized and explains things very clearly. Recitation works really well with the lecture.

- She does an outstanding job of presenting course materials in a structured and easily comprehensible manner that makes the course much more manageable. She responds to questions promptly and is very patient when answering questions.

- Xuan Li is a GREAT TA. She is always available for her students and answers all the questions (even by email the weekend before an exam). Her recitations are very well organized and clear. Without a doubt, one of the best TAs I had this semester.

- Very conscientious in providing us with notes/practice questions/covering topics

- Xuan is an excellent TA. Her recitation lectures are always very well-prepared. She knows the materials very well and present it in a very neat and clear way. She's very patient and efficient in answering our questions in recitation and office hours. It's very great and extremely helpful to have her as our TA in this course.

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- Xuan is an incredibly TA.

  She clearly took the time to think about what material to cover, how to best organize and present it, and identified practice problems so we could get more practice outside of her class. From the start, her recitations were very clear, and gave organization to the course. She also solicited feedback from the class, and immediately implemented suggestions. For instance, we asked if she could send us a copy of her notes as she covers a large amount of material and its easy to copy something wrong. She has been sending us her notes since, and it has allowed us to concentrate on what she says in class and avoid copying errors. She is dedicated to communicating complicated ideas to us, and has committed more time than expected of a TA to do so in preparing for class, staying after, an extending office hours.

- Best TA I have never met. Super nice and helpful. She knows everything about this course and she is always available when I'm in need. She is perfect.

- She is very kind, caring, and very open to our feedback. She is also very good at clearing up any points that was not well-explained by the professor during class. She always comes to recitations well prepared and does her best to help us learn.

- Strengths: Writing them down is a huge amount of job, because you are a so great TA. Therefore, I want to skip this part... :D
  Weakness: Organization of the recitation. Ways to improve: 1. write fast (important) 2. upload your notes before recitation for preview

- Strengths: Approachable, very willing to help, great ability to "connect the dots" and elaborate on the lecture

  Xuan was a great TA. She was especially helpful in organizing all the material covered during lecture in a very digestible format. I would have struggled a lot more if it weren't for Xuan.

- Xuan Li is a fantastic Teaching Assistant in that she always prepares a plethora of well-organized material for recitation, she is very quick and instructive in responding to email queries, is happy to engage with and take questions from students in recitation sessions, and helps compliment the lecture material effectively.

- She is the best TA ever. The best thing about her is that she is so prompt at responding to emails and actually cares about this course very much. I always find her recitation very helpful and her notes as well. Her notes are very organized. She also answers questions very well with details. I wish she could be our TA for econometrics next semester as well.

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- Xuan is a fantastic TA. This is the first time she has ever taught and, while in the beginning it might have shown, by the end she is a pro. Her recitation notes are fantastic, well-prepared, and helps tremendously in navigating the wealth of materials. Xuan is also extremely generous with her time and her effort. She is never condescending when we ask questions and is always responsive to emails. The only improvement might be to work on some expositions of the intuition behind the methods or algebra we learn in class. Usually, that becomes evident once we are done with the math. However, it might help to refer to the intuition before diving into the math. I truly appreciate all the hard work Xuan has put into this class.

- simply one of the best TAs I've ever had. knowledgable and caring. i wish Xuan had more time for recitations (she's only given a hour each week!)