TEACHING EVALUATIONS

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Comments and evaluations from Advanced Quantitative methods (2016-2018)

Table 1 shows a summary of the evaluation scores from Prof. Rahul Mukherjee's *Advanced quantitative methods* course, which I taught between 2016 and 2018. I held weekly review sessions for a class of thirteen to twenty students, prepared and evaluated weekly homeworks, and corrected assignments and exams set by the Professor. The course was an introduction to econometrics for interdisciplinary masters students.

Table 1: Overview of student evaluations for **Advanced quantitative methods** (2016–2018)

Question	No opinion	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Average score (out of 4)
2017-18						
The assistant makes a valuable contribution to the course	0%	0%	0%	8%	92%	**3.9**
He/she is available to meet the students	0%	0%	0%	8%	92%	**3.9**
He/she provides adequate advice to students regarding the preparation of their assignments	0%	0%	8%	0%	92%	**3.8**
2016-17						
The assistant makes a valuable contribution to the course	0%	0%	0%	20%	80%	**3.8**
He/she is available to meet the students	0%	0%	0%	20%	80%	**3.8**
He/she provides adequate advice to students regarding the preparation of their assignments	0%	0%	10%	20%	70%	**3.6**

Select comments: Advanced quantitative methods (2016–2018)

The following comments are pooled together from the forms filled out by the students. The comments have only been corrected for spelling mistakes.

Academic year 2017–2018:

- Aakriti is honestly the best TA of the institute. If I were you I would hire her for a ton of money and never let her leave the place. You need the kind of people to keep the place running. She has amazing teaching skills, which is super valuable in statistics.

- Aakriti is a really good TA, very, very helpful!

- Aakriti was an amazing TA!

- The TA was always available to help the students with any doubts or concerns regarding the course. Overall a positive learning experience.

- Both the professor and the TA are very knowledgeable and helpful. They are willing to help students in preparing the assignments and exams.

- It was a challenging but useful course. The professor and TA did their best to make the coursework easy to understand and were fair in their grades. They took extra time to meet with us as well. I now have a basic understanding of econometrics.

- (*Q: In your view, what are the strong features of the course?*) Weekly review session of TA

- (*Q: In your view, what are the strong features of the course?*) Solid introduction to econometrics, nice pairing of professor and TA

Academic year 2016–2017:

- Aakriti is the reason we have not failed (hopefully, have not seen the grades yet!)

- Aakriti goes out of her way to support the students

- It was a very interesting class. Both Aakriti and Prof Rahul have really made quantitative methods seem easy.

- (*Q: In your view, what are the strong features of the course?*) Aakriti, also STATA application