Stanford University
Fall 2020 Section Feedback

Course: F20-ECON-143-01/F20-POLISCI-127A-01: FINANCE, CORPORATIONS, SOC

Instructor: Martin Souchier,Timur Sobolev,Aniket Baksy * ,Xu Lu

Response Rate: 59/61 (96.72 %)

1 - In what way did you interact with this instructor most?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
In section meetings	(1)	4	17.39%		
In lab	(2)	0	0.00%		
During office hours	(3)	10	43.48%		
Via a class website	(4)	0	0.00%		
Email	(5)	6	26.09%		
In class	(6)	2	8.70%		
Other	(7)	1	4.35%		

Response Rate
23/61 (37.70%)

2 - During the quarter, about how many hours on average per week did you interact with this instructor in section, class, lab, office hours, and other meetings?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses
0	(0)	2	10.53%	
1	(1)	15	78.95%	
3	(3)	1	5.26%	
4	(4)	1	5.26%	

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median
19/61 (31.15%)	1.16	0.90	1.00

3 - How much did you learn from this instructor?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
A great deal	(5)	10	45.45%		4.14
A lot	(4)	8	36.36%		
A moderate amount	(3)	2	9.09%		
A little	(2)	1	4.55%		
Nothing	(1)	1	4.55%		

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median
22/61 (36.07%)	4.14	1.08	4.00

4 - Overall, how effective was the instruction you received from this instructor?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Extremely effective	(5)	12	54.55%		4.45
Very effective	(4)	8	36.36%		
Moderately effective	(3)	2	9.09%		
Slightly effective	(2)	0	0.00%		
Not effective at all	(1)	0	0.00%		

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median
22/61 (36.07%)	4.45	0.67	5.00

Course: F20-ECON-143-01/F20-POLISCI-127A-01: FINANCE, CORPORATIONS, SOC

Instructor: Martin Souchier,Timur Sobolev,Aniket Baksy * ,Xu Lu

Response Rate: 59/61 (96.72 %)

---

5 - What skills or knowledge did you learn or improve from this instructor?	
Aniket Baksy	
Response Rate	16/61 (26.23%)

- financial concepts from class

- Thought provoking case studies of 143 via the discussion tab.

- He vastly helped my group with creating the Final Project, and the modes of analysis for our topic.

- Engaged in Canvas discussions with Aniket and classmates, which were engaging and provided thoughtful conversation about various real-life applications of the course

- Aniket provided detailed feedback on our project topic and helped us greatly through the writing process.

- How to think criticality about economic concepts and financial regulation. Always willing to explain concepts clearly

- Not enough interaction.

- Aniket was instrumental in the final group project helping us understand the expectations and finding the most effective way to present our research.

- Aniket was always willing to help, and was very helpful when breaking down specific concepts and their importance.

- I got a lot of help on my final project from this TA. He was very helpful in talking through our ideas and adding insight on how we could create a successful project.

- n/a

- How to crystallize and refine a project idea

- Aniket is very knowledgeable about several topics that I approached him with. His way of thinking is very clear and he breaks everything down to make it as digestible as possible.

- N/A

- Aniket helped with our group project!

- How to research some of the nuanced details of topics we discussed in class

---

6 - What aspects of this instructor's teaching were most helpful to you?	
Aniket Baksy	
Response Rate	16/61 (26.23%)

- clear presentations; always left time for questions; allowed students to choose what material they wanted to cover in sections

- Bringing up new topics related to the class.; Super enthusiastic!

- He was very helpful in helping us understand and explaining in a way that was easy to comprehend; Actively helped us with our project, looking through the document; Super helpful feedback

- Canvas discussions; Office Hours

- Very good explainer of topics covered in class, did not over complicate them; Great slide organization - very clear

- Meeting to discuss project ideas.; Feedback on how we could make our topic even better.; Overall extensive knowledge on topics of the course.

- Always willing to answer questions; Provided clear explanations for concepts in the class.; Had a lot of background knowledge about class concepts

- Not enough interaction.; Not enough interaction.; Not enough interaction.

- Timely feedback; Clear, hands-on help that was presented at a level that was easy to understand; Extremely encouraging demeanor. Never made us feel like we had messed up, only that we had room to grow.

- Passion and excitement that made learning the material engaging and fun.; Organization and quick email response time.; Knowledge about the subject matter.

- n/a; n/a; n/a

- Energetic; Knowledgable

- The way that he explained things simply and thoroughly; Very understanding and willing to meet when I needed it.; Makes time out of his usual office hours to accommodate for any extra help that you need

- He was extremely responsive!; NA

- He was super engaging in class and passionate about the material.; Super accessible by email!

- Very helpful; Had no trouble interacting with students in high volume; Had a friendly sense of humor

Course:	F20-ECON-143-01/F20-POLISCI-127A-01: FINANCE, CORPORATIONS, SOC
Instructor:	Martin Souchier,Timur Sobolev,Aniket Baksy * ,Xu Lu
Response Rate:	59/61 (96.72 %)

7 - How can this instructor's teaching be improved?	
Aniket Baksy	
Response Rate	8/61 (13.11%)

- n/a; n/a; n/a

- More office hours?; NA

- Could have structured the sections a bit better. Sections felt like they were more informal; NA

- Be a little more specific when giving feedback.; n/a; n/a

- Aniket is very kind and a great teacher.; NA

- Aniket is one of the best TAs that I have had at Stanford. His passion, organization, and approachability made him extremely helpful, and there is nothing I would change.; Aniket is one of the best TAs that I have had at Stanford. His passion, organization, and approachability made him extremely helpful, and there is nothing I would change.; Aniket is one of the best TAs that I have had at Stanford. His passion, organization, and approachability made him extremely helpful, and there is nothing I would change.

- n/a; n/a; n/a

- More concise answers; NA

Stanford University
Fall 2020 Section Feedback

Course: F20-ECON-143-02/F20-POLISCI-127A-02/F20-INTLPOL-227-02: FINANCE, CORPORATIONS, SOC

Instructor: Timur Sobolev,Aniket Baksy * ,Xu Lu

Response Rate: 30/32 (93.75 %)

1 - In what way did you interact with this instructor most?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
In section meetings	(1)	0	0.00%		
In lab	(2)	0	0.00%		
During office hours	(3)	10	45.45%		
Via a class website	(4)	0	0.00%		
Email	(5)	2	9.09%		
In class	(6)	10	45.45%		
Other	(7)	0	0.00%		

Response Rate
22/32 (68.75%)

2 - During the quarter, about how many hours on average per week did you interact with this instructor in section, class, lab, office hours, and other meetings?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	
0	(0)	3	20.00%		
1	(1)	9	60.00%		1.00
2	(2)	3	20.00%		

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median
15/32 (46.88%)	1.00	0.65	1.00

3 - How much did you learn from this instructor?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
A great deal	(5)	11	50.00%		3.91
A lot	(4)	2	9.09%		
A moderate amount	(3)	6	27.27%		
A little	(2)	2	9.09%		
Nothing	(1)	1	4.55%		

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median
22/32 (68.75%)	3.91	1.27	4.50

4 - Overall, how effective was the instruction you received from this instructor?

Aniket Baksy

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Extremely effective	(5)	14	63.64%		4.55
Very effective	(4)	6	27.27%		
Moderately effective	(3)	2	9.09%		
Slightly effective	(2)	0	0.00%		
Not effective at all	(1)	0	0.00%		

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median
22/32 (68.75%)	4.55	0.67	5.00

Course:	F20-ECON-143-02/F20-POLISCI-127A-02/F20-INTLPOL-227-02: FINANCE, CORPORATIONS, SOC
Instructor:	Timur Sobolev,Aniket Baksy * ,Xu Lu
Response Rate:	30/32 (93.75 %)

---

5 - What skills or knowledge did you learn or improve from this instructor?

Aniket Baksy

Response Rate	12/32 (37.5%)

• Didn't interact too much with him, but did want to say he did a very good job in class at managing questions and keeping the flow of class moving. Especially when guest speakers were presenting.

• Research and paper writing skills

• The incorporation of new aspects into the course material.

• Aniket always gave addition information, perspectives, and links in the chat during lecture that helped me deeper understand any of the subjects that we're especially interesting to me!

• tech wizard

• learned how to take multiple perspectives

• project feedback

• Thinking about corporate governance in real world applications

• Economic analysis

• He was very helpful in guiding us during our final paper/project

• Did a great job helping us think of my group with our final project, giving us great advice and feedback throughout the process

• na

---

6 - What aspects of this instructor's teaching were most helpful to you?

Aniket Baksy

Response Rate	11/32 (34.38%)

• In class feedback and questions; NA

• Ease of contact; Great feedback for focus of projects

• Attention to detail.; NA

• super passionate about finance, made me excited to learn; really good at giving different perspectives to more critically think about each topic; very engaging with the students

• he was welcoming and so helpful!; friendly; flexible

• quick responses; helpful ideas; approachable

• Super resourceful and gave great project suggestions; Very friendly and welcoming; Passionate about the subject

• Availability; Helpfulness of feedback provided; Positive

• Enthusiasm; Critical, always has feedback

• Amazing office hours; Google docs feedback; Ran class well

• na; na; na

---

7 - How can this instructor's teaching be improved?

Aniket Baksy

Response Rate	6/32 (18.75%)

• could be a little less distracting (although I appreciate all the side information he provides during class); NA

• nothing!; nothing; nothing

• none; none; none

• n/a; n/a; n/a

• N/A; N/A; N/A

• na; na; na