

**Fall 2014 Student Evaluation of Teaching Effectiveness (SETE)
for all Surveys Completed
COMM2381020 Taught by Briscoe, James
27 Students Enrolled -- Lower Division
Statistical Summary**

#	Question	Section Mean	Section Std Dev	Course Mean	Course Std Dev	Prefix Mean by Div	Prefix Std Dev	College Mean by Div	College Std Dev
1	I have become more competent because of this course.	4.42	0.58	4.16	1.07	4.13	1.08	4.22	1.00
2	I had an opportunity to ask questions in or outside of class.	4.62	0.50	4.48	0.83	4.47	0.83	4.42	0.83
3	The course was well organized.	4.50	0.51	4.04	1.21	4.11	1.16	4.26	0.99
4	The tests or other evaluation methods adequately assessed how well I learned the course material.	3.85	1.05	4.06	1.12	4.08	1.11	4.26	0.97
5	The instructor was enthusiastic when presenting course material.	4.58	0.58	4.33	0.97	4.35	0.95	4.39	0.90
6	The instructor was interested in teaching.	4.77	0.43	4.37	0.96	4.40	0.94	4.43	0.87
7	The instructor was concerned with whether the students learned the materials.	4.35	0.63	4.31	0.98	4.27	1.01	4.31	0.97
8	The instructor was knowledgeable about the subject.	4.73	0.45	4.47	0.85	4.50	0.80	4.57	0.71
9	In general, the instructor was an effective teacher.	4.65	0.49	4.23	1.11	4.24	1.08	4.31	0.99
10	Do you have confidence that these ratings will be taken seriously?	1.04	0.20	1.10	0.31	1.11	0.31	1.11	0.31
11	Was this form administered fairly and correctly?	1.00	0.00	1.01	0.07	1.01	0.07	1.01	0.09
12	Was this a required course for you?	1.00	0.00	1.03	0.17	1.12	0.33	1.22	0.42
13	Are you a major in the area in which this course is being taught?	1.85	0.37	1.81	0.39	1.77	0.42	1.59	0.49
14	What grade do you expect to receive in this course?	1.54	0.51	1.61	0.68	1.64	0.74	1.57	0.77
15	What is your overall GPA? a)2.2 or less (b) 2.3-2.5 (c) 2.6-2.9 (d) 3.0-3.3 (e) 3.4-4.0	3.96	1.22	3.85	1.20	3.81	1.21	3.73	1.26

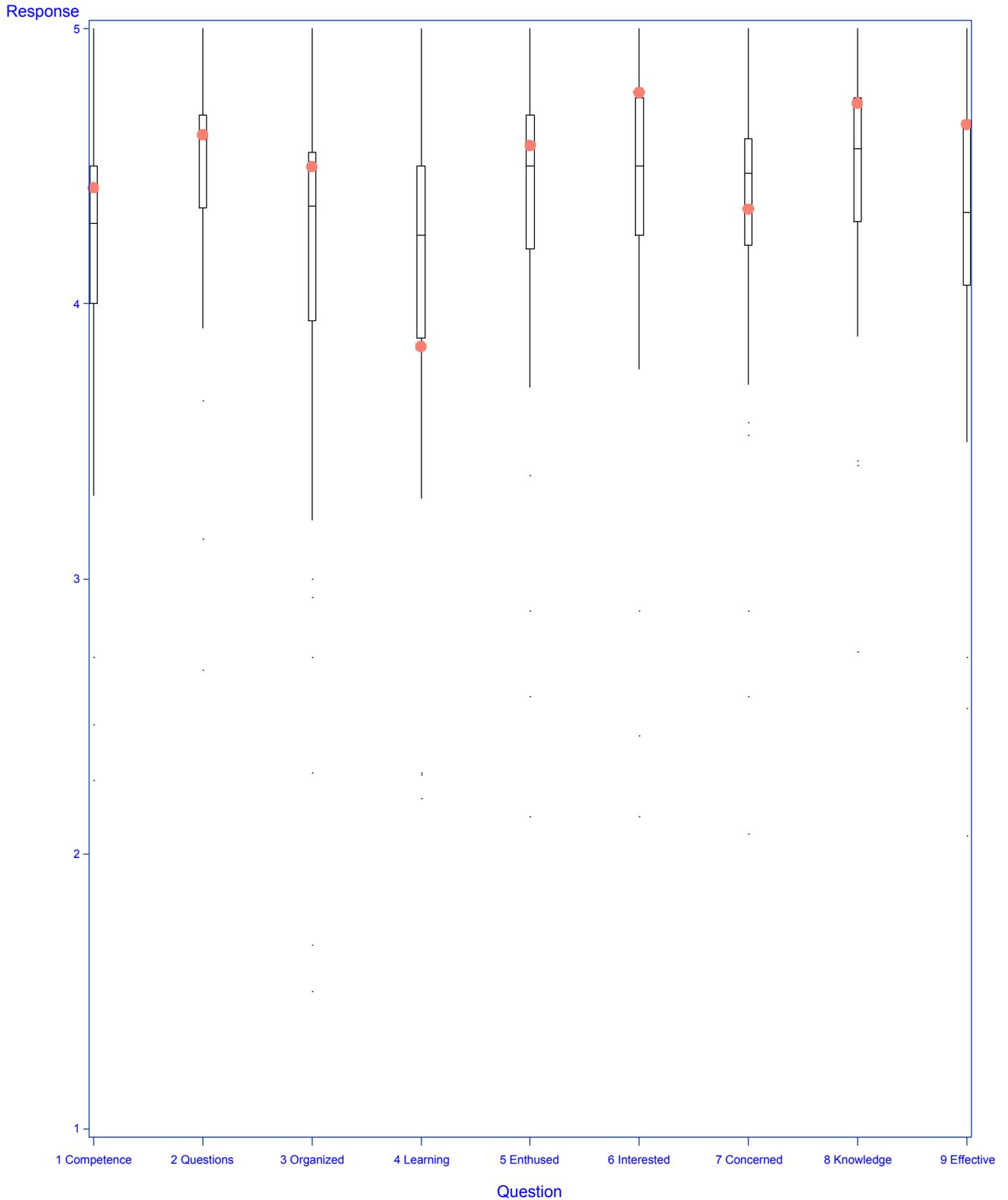
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#	Question	Section Responses	Section N/A	Course Responses	Course N/A	Prefix Responses	Prefix N/A	College Responses	College N/A
1	I have become more competent because of this course.	26	0	590	3	775	3	3035	16
2	I had an opportunity to ask questions in or outside of class.	26	0	592	2	778	2	3031	22
3	The course was well organized.	26	0	590	3	775	3	3027	17
4	The tests or other evaluation methods adequately assessed how well I learned the course material.	26	0	586	8	770	9	3006	46
5	The instructor was enthusiastic when presenting course material.	26	0	590	3	774	4	3026	27
6	The instructor was interested in teaching.	26	0	591	2	775	3	3027	22
7	The instructor was concerned with whether the students learned the materials.	26	0	590	3	774	4	3030	22
8	The instructor was knowledgeable about the subject.	26	0	591	2	776	2	3037	16
9	In general, the instructor was an effective teacher.	26	0	585	4	769	4	3011	23
10	Do you have confidence that these ratings will be taken seriously?	24	2	550	43	725	54	2884	164
11	Was this form administered fairly and correctly?	25	0	573	19	756	22	2985	62
12	Was this a required course for you?	26	0	589	5	769	10	3003	44
13	Are you a major in the area in which this course is being taught?	26	0	581	9	760	14	2981	53
14	What grade do you expect to receive in this course?	26	0	583	9	758	19	2970	75
15	What is your overall GPA? a)2.2 or less (b) 2.3-2.5 (c) 2.6-2.9 (d) 3.0-3.3 (e) 3.4-4.0	26	0	566	25	728	48	2627	414

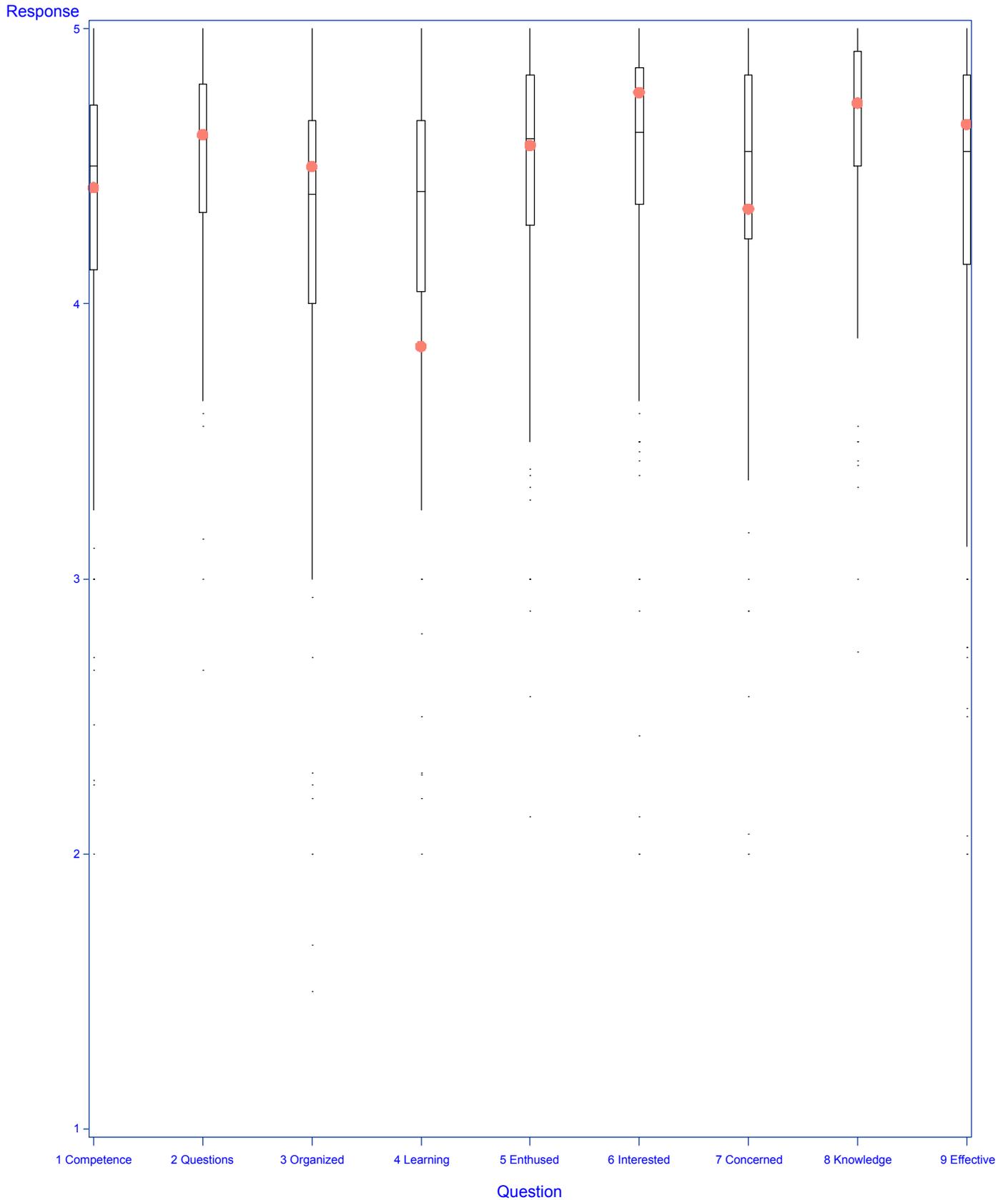
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Prefix Mean Distribution Comparison to COMM2381020
By Division



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SETE Reports

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Positive characteristics or strengths of the course/instructor

The class was more interesting than I thought it would be. The videos of speeches were fun to watch.

This class was well organized and overall a fun class for me. The instructor did a great job at teaching the material.

He was funny and interested in teaching.

Was very helpful and gave out extra credit opportunities.

He makes a very conscious effort to make sure students understand and are pleased with the course. He always made sure that we were comfortable with our own topics and being in front of class speaking.

Criticisms concerning the course/instructor

My only concern was the quizzes we had to take. I think the quizzes should have been on paper rather than from the PowerPoint because I felt rushed.

Would have liked the quizzes to be on paper instead of on a power point. I take exams better when I can sit and look at the questions.

Quizzes were a bit difficult, but it was mostly my fault.

No grievances.

Additional comments and suggestions

I really enjoyed this class.

Class seemed pretty lax, but the grading was harder than it should have been. It's just a gen ed. No reason it should have so many quizzes. Were just there to do speeches. I know people that took that class and didn't have quizzes.

KEEP J.R!

The course was very well taught. The instructor was very enthusiastic. He was well knowledgeable on the subject.

The instructor was very knowledgeable. I would recommend him to anyone.

He knew a lot about the subject. I like that we got to pick whatever topic we wanted each speech.

Don't use Video Games as extra credit!! bahahah just kidding. Can't really think of anything else.

Video Speeches are harder then you think.

Teacher was interesting and kept the class involved. He helped with topics for the speeches and graded fairly for the speeches.

The quizzes were hard and you really had to know the material to do well on them.

He's very enthusiastic when teaching and gives good feedback.

I wish that he would encourage office hours more and talking to him about your speech before presenting. I know that he was available if I needed him, but I think he should push his students more to go over it with him

He was really awesome and seemed to really care whether we passed or failed.

He's very ambiguous about stuff and kind of seemed like a jerk at times but underneath that façade he's a really chill person.

He gave me good examples which were effective in helping me do speeches. He was also entertaining with his corny jokes he would tell.

I really have no criticisms of him.

The midterm was a little difficult. because the definitions were confusing.

I loved this teacher. He is such a friendly man who is so enthusiastic about his job and students. It was a required class that I dreaded, but he made it fun.

Very positive during class.
Made it interesting.

N/A

I was not looking forward to this class, but J.R made it as enjoyable as he could. Showing videos and having enthusiasm really helped.

Awesome class. I felt like I learned a lot and improved a lot in my public speaking skills.

The quiz questions often times seemed like they could be more than one answer.

- Very relaxed atmosphere in the class. - Kept class enjoyable and as interesting as possible. - Knowledgeable about the subject

- Quizzes did very little except demoralize the class. - A little tough on grading speeches for a gen ed class. Not unreasonable at all but a little tough nonetheless.

I think the test should be more suitable for oral comm such as multiple choice and matching.

I did learn about the subject and how to prepare for a speech. The class was not boring and JR always made class interesting.

I loved this teacher. He was awesome.

None.

Great teacher.

J.R. has an extremely enthusiastic personality. He is great at teaching and makes class far from dreadful. Oral communication is a class students are terrified to take and he makes it very relaxing. He makes it a point to make sure the students know one another on more than just a classmate level to make sure we are comfortable speaking in front of them as an audience. He's very funny and lively and his personality is what every teacher should be like.

J.R. is a great instructor, but his quizzes and tests are difficult for the level of the course. His quizzes are fill in the blank and this being a not common knowledge course, it made it really difficult.

Behind Mr. Briscoe`s look of skepticism and unamusement is really a big, kind softie! He is amusing and makes a horrible subject fun.

He can look unamused at times.

Fun and awesome!

Really enjoyed this class. It was entertaining and I never really had the temptation to skip, just because it was a fun class to go to. I feel like I learned a lot of things about public speaking that will be applicable to my life. It felt like useful information. Teacher was personable and good sense of humor.

I would say the quizzes stressed me out because I didn`t exactly know what to study. It was pretty broad, and I ended up just memorizing the vocabulary(which was the key) but wasn`t told that at first. That`s the only thing.

I feel like you could`ve gotten on to some people sometimes when they were interrupting you. Sometimes people would talk when I was trying to listen to your lectures.

He was a very fun teacher and made this class less stressful. I enjoyed coming to his class!! He is very knowledgeable and entertaining. I will miss this class. I think his grading was fair.

N/A

Although he was organized, I would`ve liked to know more specifically what to study for quizzes and tests.

I thought he did a great job of involving the whole class in the lecture and keeping everyone interested.

The video examples that he used were very effective in demonstrating the different traits in speech making. I would encourage using them more often.

Smile more.

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