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Student evaluations of my Winter 2017 and Winter 2018 teaching assistantships to the course “JOI3048: Intermediate Statistics in Educational Research: Multiple Regression Analysis” at the University of Toronto.

All scores are mean scores. N/A denotes that the question was not applicable and thus not asked. All free-form comments are included.

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Please indicate the extent to which the TA was helpful in her various roles: [1: Not at all, 2: Somewhat, 3: Moderately, 4: Mostly, 5: A great deal]	2017	2018
Providing support during class (e.g., during lab activities)	N/A	5.0/5.0
Running the help session for Problem Set 3	4.8/5.0	N/A
Guest lecturing in Week 12	N/A	4.7/5.0
Meeting with students outside of class	4.8/5.0	5.0/5.0
Answering questions over e-mail	4.5/5.0	5.0/5.0
Providing feedback on assignments	N/A	4.8/5.0
Please indicate the extent to which each aspect was part of your learning experience with the TA: [1: Not at all, 2: Somewhat, 3: Moderately, 4: Mostly, 5: A great deal]		
The TA was knowledgeable about the course material.	4.8/5.0	5.0/5.0
The TA was a useful resource for the course.	N/A	5.0/5.0
The TA listened to my ideas.	4.8/5.0	5.0/5.0
The TA was approachable and available for guidance.	4.8/5.0	5.0/5.0
The TA’s explanations were clear and appropriate for my level of understanding.	4.8/5.0	5.0/5.0
Overall, the quality of my learning experience with the TA was: [1: Poor, 2: Fair, 3: Good, 4: Very good, 5: Excellent]	4.8/5.0	4.9/5.0
Please comment on the overall quality of the TA’s instruction:		
2017		
Zahide was always full of knowledge and quickly provided explanations to seemingly complex problems. [I especially liked] her oasis of knowledge and problem-solving skills. I think she is on the right trajectory to becoming an amazing professor!!		
Great. Detailed demonstration.		
Zahide was a great TA! She was always ready to help, as well as she was patient and attentive. She is an amazing listener, and she always has some ideas how to improve your project. She is great!		
Could not have asked for a better TA. She patiently took her time to walk me through the process so that I could end up working my way through the answer. She was absolutely amazing!		
Zahide was very helpful with problem set 3. She was knowledgeable, and able to communicate her knowledge in a way that was easily accessible/conducive to my learning. Thank you!		
See comments from 2018 on next page.		

2018

TA's instruction was very very helpful and helped me clear many misunderstanding. Showed me with concrete example to understand a point. Many appreciation.

Thanks for everything Z!

Zahide is incredibly knowledgeable and was extraordinarily responsive to emails.

Zahide was a great resource, and really added to the overall excellent quality of the course.

Zahide was an incredible TA and provided a great deal of assistance both in and out of class. She was easily reachable through email and took the time to respond back to any ideas or concerns I had. I really appreciate the effort she put in and admire her thoughtfulness. She helped me a great deal and I felt very comfortable discussing any ideas or concerns with her because I knew I would get the help I needed. Thank you Zahide, I wish you the best of luck. Overall, Zahide is an excellent TA.

Zahide was a very valuable aspect of the course. She was always available to answer questions, both in and out of class. Her friendly demeanor and willingness to help students was much appreciated.

Zahide was a lovely TA. She was always willing to help and would go above and beyond to help us understand and explain the material. She also really took the time to help us at office hours and to go through all our ideas.

Zahide is a great person to learn from and with. Learning from her entailed sharing of knowledge. Learning with her was like walking holding hand-in-hand or having a intimate conversation on an advanced topic. It was a pleasure interacting with her. Her proactive approach, an enabler of learning and someone who was available to assist is admirable.

Zahide is an amazing TA as she is consistently helpful! I appreciate the extra time she takes to ensure we understand the concepts being learned in class and not just following steps on the lecture slides! Thank you Zahide!!