CDSS
Dissertation Proposal Workshop (Prof. Gschwend) FSS 2020 ()
No. of responses = 9

GESS Graduate School of Economic and Social Sciences

Survey Results

Legend

Question text

Relative Frequencies of answers — Std. Dev. — Mean — Median — Quantile

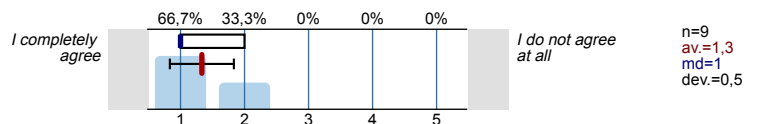Left pole — 25% / 0% / 50% / 0% / 25% — Right pole

Scale: 1 2 3 4 5 — Histogram
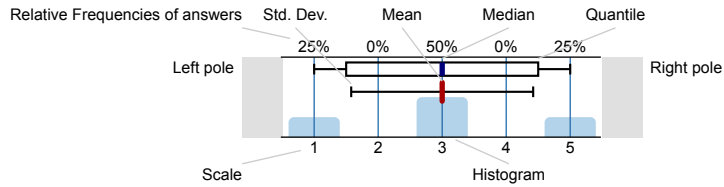
n=No. of responses
av.=Mean
md=Median
dev.=Std. Dev.
ab.=Abstention

Overall satisfaction

Overall, I am very satisfied with the instructor.
I completely agree — 88,9% / 11,1% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=9
av.=1,1
md=1
dev.=0,3

Overall, I am very satisfied with the course.
I completely agree — 66,7% / 33,3% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=9
av.=1,3
md=1
dev.=0,5

I learned a lot in this course.
I completely agree — 37,5% / 62,5% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=8
av.=1,6
md=2
dev.=0,5
ab.=1
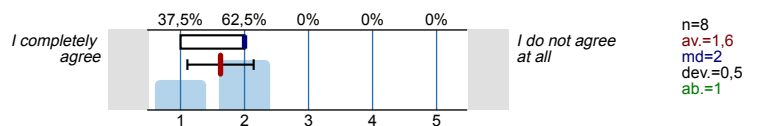
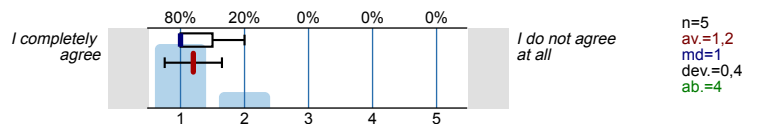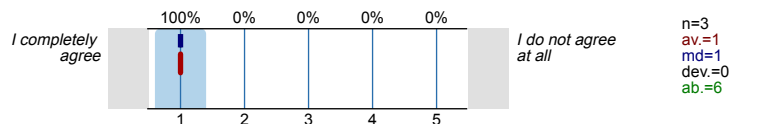## Coursework and learning process

The course contents were illustrated very well by using appropriate examples.
I completely agree — 80% / 20% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=5
av.=1,2
md=1
dev.=0,4
ab.=4

Recommended reading materials were useful in facilitating understanding of course content.
I completely agree — 100% / 0% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=3
av.=1
md=1
dev.=0
ab.=6

The exercise sessions were very useful (if applicable).
I completely agree — 83,3% / 16,7% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=6
av.=1,2
md=1
dev.=0,4
ab.=3

The course contents were very well structured.
I completely agree — 77,8% / 22,2% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=9
av.=1,2
md=1
dev.=0,4

The course has helped me expand my knowledge of the topic/field.
I completely agree — 55,6% / 44,4% / 0% / 0% / 0% — I do not agree at all
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=9
av.=1,4
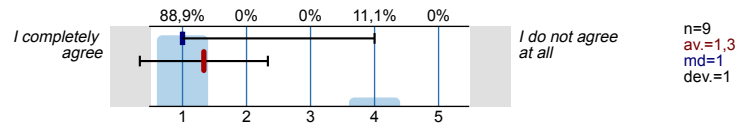md=1
dev.=0,5
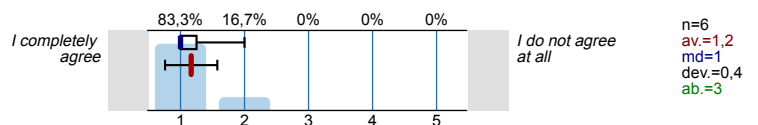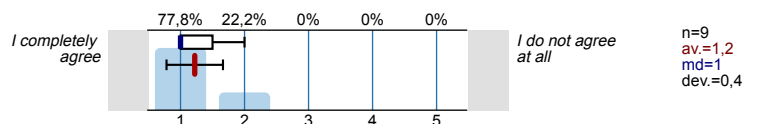
In relation to the number of ECTS credits I receive, the average workload for this course is ...
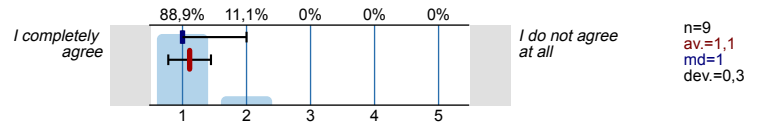(One ECTS credit corresponds to an average workload of approximately 30 hours)
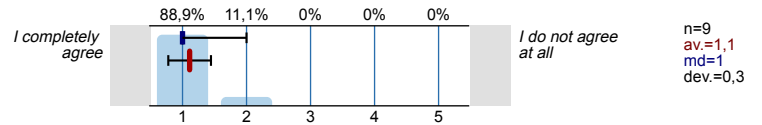very high — 14,3% / 0% / 57,1% / 14,3% / 14,3% — very low
Scale: 1 2 3 4 5
n=7
av.=3,1
md=3
dev.=1,2
ab.=2
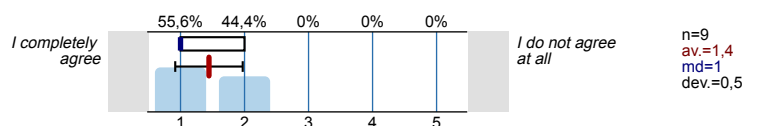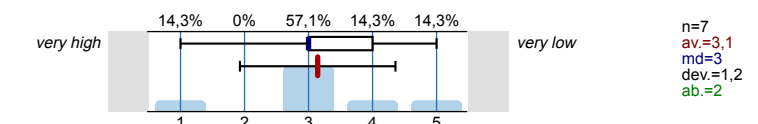
Instructor

The instructor demonstrated a high level of commitment in this course.

I completely agree | I do not agree at all

88,9% | 0% | 0% | 11,1% | 0%

n=9
av.=1,3
md=1
dev.=1

Answers given by the instructor were helpful in clarifying uncertainties.

I completely agree | I do not agree at all

88,9% | 11,1% | 0% | 0% | 0%

n=9
av.=1,1
md=1
dev.=0,3

The instructor motivated me.

I completely agree | I do not agree at all

88,9% | 11,1% | 0% | 0% | 0%

n=9
av.=1,1
md=1
dev.=0,3

The instructor encouraged the open and creative participation of students (if applicable).

I completely agree | I do not agree at all

100% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0%

n=9
av.=1
md=1
dev.=0

Instructor's manner of speaking was clear and audible.

I completely agree | I do not agree at all

100% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0%

n=9
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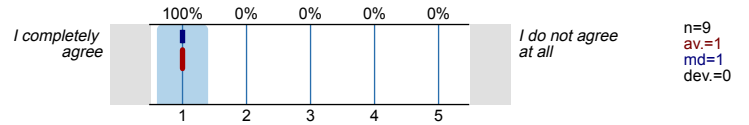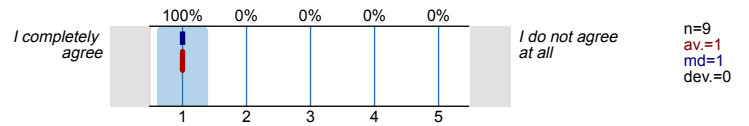
Profile

Subunit: GESS
Name of the instructor: CDSS
Name of the course: Dissertation Proposal Workshop (Prof. Gschwend) FSS 2020
(Name of the survey)

Values used in the profile line: Mean

Overall satisfaction

Question	Scale		n	av.	md	dev.
Overall, I am very satisfied with the instructor.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,1	md=1,0	dev.=0,3
Overall, I am very satisfied with the course.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,3	md=1,0	dev.=0,5
I learned a lot in this course.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=8	av.=1,6	md=2,0	dev.=0,5

Coursework and learning process

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Recommended reading materials were useful in facilitating understanding of course content.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=3	av.=1,0	md=1,0	dev.=0,0
The exercise sessions were very useful (if applicable).	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=6	av.=1,2	md=1,0	dev.=0,4
The course contents were very well structured.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,2	md=1,0	dev.=0,4
The course has helped me expand my knowledge of the topic/field.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,4	md=1,0	dev.=0,5
In relation to the number of ECTS credits I receive, the average workload for this course is ... (One ECTS credit corresponds to an average workload of approximately 30 hours)	very high	very low	n=7	av.=3,1	md=3,0	dev.=1,2

Instructor

Question	Scale		n	av.	md	dev.
The instructor demonstrated a high level of commitment in this course.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,3	md=1,0	dev.=1,0
Answers given by the instructor were helpful in clarifying uncertainties.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,1	md=1,0	dev.=0,3
The instructor motivated me.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,1	md=1,0	dev.=0,3
The instructor encouraged the open and creative participation of students (if applicable).	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,0	md=1,0	dev.=0,0
Instructor's manner of speaking was clear and audible.	I completely agree	I do not agree at all	n=9	av.=1,0	md=1,0	dev.=0,0

Comments Report

Overall satisfaction

What did you especially like about the course?

- Flexibility, professor, and intention.

- Getting feerback on our research from PhD student coming from different research areas

- I like that we had the opportunity to present twice.

- I liked to be able to present my current progress with my proposal and to receive valuable feedback. It was very motivating and interesting to also hear what others are working on.

- It has been very helpful and motivating.

- Open structure, good organisation, valuable feedback from Thomas (and the reviewers)

- good structure and feedback

- interactivity

Do you have any recommendations how to improve the course? If so, which ones?

- I suggest to improve the course in two ways.
  First, allocate 45-60 minutes for presentation and discussion for each referee. Second, every student could review every proposal, in such a small group, so that we get more feedback.

- It would be helpful if the professor gave us written feedback after each workshop.

- Maybe more time for the presentations. It's one thing to present a single study in 20 minutes, but PhD projects are usually a little more complex.