

American University

2025X Instructor - Course SET Report with students comments for David Miller GOVT-320-002

Response Summary

Raters	Responded	Invited	Response Ratio
Students	6	27	22.2%

Questions for David Miller:

Instructor Questions

	1 - Strongly Disagree	2	3	4	5 - Strongly Agree	Percent 4 and 5	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Department Median	School Median	AU Median
The professor required high levels of performance.	0	0	1	3	2	83.3%	3.8	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
The professor presented the material clearly.	0	0	2	1	3	66.7%	3.0	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
The professor facilitated a respectful learning environment.	0	0	0	3	3	100.0%	4.0	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
The professor was responsive to students' questions and comments.	0	0	0	1	5	100.0%	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
The professor was available for conversations or questions outside of the designated class time.	0	0	0	2	4	100.0%	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
The professor provided constructive feedback on papers, tests, or other assignments as appropriate.	0	0	2	0	4	66.7%	3.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
I would recommend this professor to other students.	0	0	2	1	3	66.7%	3.0	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0

Questions for GOVT-320-002

Course Questions

	1- Strongly Disagree	2	3	4	5 - Strongly Agree	Percent 4 and 5	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Department Median	School Median	AU Median
This course challenged me to do my best work.	0	0	1	2	3	83.3%	3.8	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
The learning objectives for this course were clear.	0	1	0	2	3	83.3%	3.5	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
The activities, readings, and assignments reflected the learning objectives for the course.	0	0	1	2	3	83.3%	3.8	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
I now have a greater understanding of the subject matter of this course.	0	0	1	2	3	83.3%	3.8	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0

Indicate the average number of hours per week you worked on assignments and studied for this course.

0-3 Hours	4-6 Hours	7-9 Hours	10-12 Hours	12 or more Hours
1	4	1	0	0



Student Comments

What did you find MOST helpful about David Miller's teaching approach and course content?

Comments
I liked his use of PowerPoint and class discussions. I enjoyed breaking into small groups and doing group work, it helped me engage more.
There was flexibility on when to complete some article briefs, opportunity to present in class.
I loved the presentations at the beginning of class discussion what the President is currently up to, and his relation to current events to the course. I think I gained a ton of knowledge on political science research and how to read political science articles. His topics and readings were very interesting. I liked his article outline assignments and the class projects as well. I felt like I got a lot out of the class.

What did you find LEAST helpful about David Miller's teaching approach and course content?

Comments
I liked the simulation that we did at the end of the semester. If we completed more activities like that throughout the entire semester or maybe for a midterm, that would have been nice. We did a lot of reading and not a lot of activities.
Sometimes, it felt like it was a lot of assignments, but I understand why the class is set up the way it is.
I wished there were most lectures to spark conversations during the article discussion. Also, I wished the class discussions article summaries had more structure, a time limit, also visual aid component to be more engaging for the others who are not going that day.
His class content being led by a group of students every class didn't seem to be the most engaging or interesting class model.

GOVT questions

	Invited Count	Resp Count	Resp Ratio	1 - Strongly Disagree	2	3	4	5 - Strongly Agree	Percent 4 and 5	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Dept Median
I gained a good understanding of concepts and principles in this field.	27	6	22.2%	0	0	1	2	3	83.3%	3.8	4.5	5.0	5.0
I deepened my interest in the subject matter of this course.	27	6	22.2%	0	1	1	0	4	66.7%	2.8	5.0	5.0	5.0
The professor encourages students to think independently.	27	6	22.2%	0	0	1	2	3	83.3%	3.8	4.5	5.0	5.0
The instructor seems well-prepared for each class.	27	6	22.2%	0	0	0	1	5	100.0%	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0