

Student Survey – SPRING SEMESTER 2019

How satisfied IUS students are with the quality of their courses?

The IUS Spring Semester Student Survey resulted in feedback of **60, 41%** of student body. A total of **214** courses, undergraduate and graduate, have been assessed.

The student participation per faculties was as follows: : Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences (FENS) – **58, 90%**, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS) – **59, 74%**, Faculty of Business and Administration (FBA) – **64, 79%**, Faculty of Law (FLW) – **70, 50%**.

On the scale **0-4**, IUS lecturers and courses were graded **3.31**.

The average grades per faculties were as follows: Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences (FENS) - **3.24**, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS) - **3.42**, Faculty of Business and Administration (FBA) - **3.27**, Faculty of Law (FLW) - **3.41**.

Selection of students' comments about their courses/professors:

VA406 User Experience (Ux Design)

Lecturer: Assoc. Prof. Kenan Zekić

"Kenan Zekić puts a lot of efforts into fascinating students about his classes and into their understanding. He always has time to help students and he is always friendly. One of my favorite professors!"

ECON202 Intermediate Macroeconomics

Lecturer: Senior Assistant Azra Bičo

"In general, she's a very organized lecturer who knows how to convey knowledge through practical lessons and real-life examples. Her assessment and the tasks she provides are both fair and sensible in regards to the course's objective. What I really appreciate is that she stimulates discussion in class and brings up important egalitarian issues and issues important for Bosnia. She's funny and I like her style."

SPS312 Qualitative Research Methods

Lecturer: Assist. Prof. Dr. Aliksandr Novikau

"Prof. Alexander is an amazing Professor. He is so kind and he teaches us contemporary topics regarding 21 century".

LITE 207 Creative Writing

Lecturer: Adjunct Instructor Mehtap Özer-Isović

"The course was really beneficial."

BIO490 Graduation Project

Lecturer: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ayla Arslan

"I want to inform you that Prof. Arslan is really amazing in this course. This course was an eye-opening experience in Science for me. She is so professional and experienced about this thing. "

IR214 International Law

Lecturer: Assist. Prof. Dr. Emir Suljagić

"He is really good lecturer just we have too much things to do but it is fine."

ARCH106 Introduction to Building

Lecturer: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Tomasz Malec

"Just one thing: The exams should be easier".

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ARCH208.1 Architectural Communication

Lecturer: Assist. Prof. Nerma Omičević

"The course and its lecturer were very well organized through the whole semester, and the learning outcome, for us, students, is also very good. Maybe just one suggestion: the course should be taught in freshman year because in the second year we start using programs such as Photoshop and AutoCAD".

CS306 Database Management

Lecturer: Assist. Prof. Dr. Ali Almisreb

"Very good and nice professor, I would like to have more lectures with him."

IBF208 Business Finance

Lecturer: Assistant Šejma Aydın

"I need to say that our Assistant helped us a lot to understand this subject. Šejma was always available for us and had very good knowledge about the subject."

TURK 112.1 Spoken Turkish II

Lecturer: Adjunct Instructor Minela Vefić

"Beautiful lecture and very nice professor. Very kind and polite."

ELIT 203 Survey of English Literature II

Lecturer: Senior Assistant Emina Jelešković

"The professor is very dedicated to the course and the students. She makes sure that everybody is okay with the lecture and that everybody understands the topic. She is available for any help and willing to help beside her office hours".

LAW432 Transitional Justice

Lecturer: Assist. Prof. Dr. Goran Šimić

"Amazing professor and we love him!"

BIO407 Protein Engineering

Lecturer: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mohamed Ragab Abdel Gawwad

"Professor really knows his subject. He always returns all exams and quizzes to check. He was always positive. Just one remark, please speak a little slower, professor can speak French and Arabic, that's why he speaks fast. Thank you and good luck professor".

BOS 111 Spoken Bosnian I

Lecturer: Adjunct Instructor Mirzana Pašić

"Best professor ever. Very positive and motivated."

PSY512 Clinical Interview and Assessment

Lecturer: Assist. Prof. Dr. Pınar Ünal-Aydın

"Very useful and educative course. The most important one because in the future, we will have real life sessions with patients and we need to control our anxiety. In this course, I think, this was useful to learn."

MAN302 Human Resources Management

Lecturer: Assist. Prof. Dr. Emil Knezović

"The tasks were very complicated, and we had difficulty understanding it. If we only had this course for the entire semester it would be enough."

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General Overview of Student Survey for Spring Semester 2019

According to the student's responses in the Student Survey evaluations for Spring Semester 2019, the students are generally satisfied with their classes and professors, except for a couple of complaints on different matters such as overload homework and assignments or the course worthiness vs. the time and effort spent (**VA306.2, LITE 304, IR101** and **CS308**).

Sometimes, the student opinions showed more dissatisfaction with the technical aspect of courses (**EE435** and **EE436**), and less with the content of courses and, sometimes vice versa (**IE307** and **IR215**).

Some students complained about their grades, exams, and fairness during exams or helpfulness of professors in this matter (**LAW440, MATH201, IBF205, ARCH304.2** and **BIO512**). This is especially evident in the comments of FENS and FBA students.

Students would like to see more harmonized cooperation among student, lecturer and assistant (**ARCH 303** and **MAN303**). In their opinion, some courses require re-design and clear, yet more flexible structure (**SE308**).

Furthermore, in students' opinion they were sometimes not satisfied with new professors and their professionalism, skills and competencies (**ECON221**). On the other hand students are very appreciative of transfer of knowledge for **IR214, SE211** and **SPS312**.

It is important to notice that students expressed their important satisfaction with the quality of some courses such as **ARCH417, MAN102** and **MATH101.2**.