

# Student Evaluations

2011-2012

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## ENGL 347, "Writers' Workshop," Fall 2011

Items	Usable Resp.	Response Distribution					Mean StDev
		A	B	C	D	E	
The instructor seemed well prepared for each class.	16	N % 11 68.8	5 31.2	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.69 0.464
The instructor seemed to care whether the students learned.	16	N % 13 81.2	3 18.8	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.81 0.39
The instructor seemed enthusiastic about the material that was presented.	16	N % 14 87.5	1 6.2	0 0	1 6.2	0 0	4.75 0.75
The instructor stimulated my interest in the subject.	16	N % 12 75	4 25	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.75 0.433
The instructor's presentations added to my understanding of the material.	16	N % 10 62.5	1 6.2	4 25	1 6.2	0 0	4.25 1.031
The instructor adequately answered questions from students.	16	N % 13 81.2	3 18.8	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.81 0.39
I believe this instructor was an effective teacher.	16	N % 12 75	3 18.8	0 0	1 6.2	0 0	4.62 0.781
The exams/projects were presented and graded fairly.	16	N % 13 81.2	0 0	3 18.8	0 0	0 0	4.62 0.781
Help was readily available for questions and/or homework outside of class.	16	N % 13 81.2	2 12.5	0 0	1 6.2	0 0	4.69 0.768
On the whole, this is a good instructor.	16	N % 13 81.2	2 12.5	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.75 0.559
I would take another course from this professor.	16	N % 13 81.2	2 12.5	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.75 0.559
The course was well-organized.	16	N % 9 56.2	6 37.5	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.5 0.612
The course requirements were clear.	16	N % 12 75	2 12.5	1 6.2	1 6.2	0 0	4.56 0.864
The amount of work and/or reading was reasonable for the credit hours received in the course.	16	N % 12 75	2 12.5	1 6.2	1 6.2	0 0	4.56 0.864
On the whole, this was a good course.	16	N % 12 75	3 18.8	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.69 0.583
The instructor seemed to know the subject well.	16	N % 14 87.5	2 12.5	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.88 0.331
The instructor knows the subject matter.	16	N % 14 87.5	2 12.5	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.88 0.331
The instructor encourages diverse ways of thinking.	16	N % 13 81.2	2 12.5	0 0	1 6.2	0 0	4.69 0.768
Students frequently volunteer their own opinions.	15	N % 12 80	2 13.3	0 0	1 6.7	0 0	4.67 0.789
The instructor seems to enjoy teaching.	16	N % 13 81.2	3 18.8	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.81 0.39
Overall Mean *Overall Mean score does not include instructor selected items.							4.65

- Although I hated having so much writing do each week I am glad that Dr. White forced us around issues (such as getting caught up in plot, "writers block," etc.) by having weekly writing due.
- good class and stuff, woohoo
- This was probably the best college class I have ever taken. It really helped me develop my writing style.
- Great class! I didn't know what to expect but ended up really enjoying the class. The assignments were great and I actually liked doing them. I feel like I really learned a lot from this class!!
- Lowell Mick White rocks my socks
- Dr. White was by far one of my favorite professors and I do plan on taking him again when available!
- This was my favorite class all semester. Every time I go into class its always a break from my other work. Great teacher. Great class.
- He has a ton of knowledge about writing and publishing. It's awesome to have a published author teaching the class.
- The course was done systematically to truly depend on the student's readiness rather than the professor.
- Always had an idea of what to do with each class period, even if we didn't get it all done, which is nice in an unstructured class
- The course work and expected daily work was laid out in the Syllabus fairly clearly
- He has written many books and has worked for many years in the field.
- He was very free after workshopping and outside of class, I enjoyed that.
- The professor was very concerned with the knowledge students gained from the course.
- Always provided learning examples for writing
- He would always be interested in our progress in the class and enjoyed learning from our own experiences.
- He always offers time to help students with their work
- He's a writer. What more must we say?

- As a writer himself, the professor was very enthusiastic.
- Was a writer and author himself so he was enthusiastic to be teaching a course full of rising writers.
- He goes into a lot of detail during discussions and always tells stories from his experience.
- More so that the professor continued my interest in the subject.
- Dr. White really helped me discover myself in this course. Second Creative Writing course and I am very well taken to the major now because of his help.
- I added it as my minor
- Through seeing other writers and their techniques, students had a chance to learn much and more about writing.
- There weren't many formal presentations due to the nature of the class but when they were made, they were very helpful.
- The instructor really did not have any presentations. Our whole class was mostly discussion and group work.
- Very good life experiences and presentations
- I learned how to analyze pieces of work and take strategies other writers have used in my own.
- The professor was always able to answer questions.
- He was always open to questions either outside or inside the classroom at all times and talked to the students before the class
- A writing student can learn a lot from a writer.
- The best Creative Writing instructor I've had so far
- I lost 10 points on a paper for what appeared to only be not numbering my pages, not really sure if that was a requirement I missed or not.
- We never got our presentation grades back so I have no idea on how fair the professor grades.
- Prose's were graded on pass/fail which really helped. As long as I reached the 2000 word limit I received full credit.

- The class is set up for the students to contribute heavily.
- During the oral presentations, I liked that other opinions were encouraged. It made the presentations feel more like a discussion instead of a formal presentation.
- He accepted outside criticism and context whenever available or presented.
- The professor was very amiable and happy to be in class.
- He was very excited about the class even though it was his first time teaching it.

**ENGL 227, “American Literature: Colonial to American Renaissance,”  
Spring 2012**

Items	Usable Resp.	Response Distribution					Mean StDev	
		A	B	C	D	E		
The instructor seemed well prepared for each class.	19	N % <b>68.4</b>	13 <b>26.3</b>	5 <b>10.5</b>	1 <b>5.3</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.63 <b>0.581</b>
The instructor seemed to care whether the students learned.	19	N % <b>63.2</b>	12 <b>26.3</b>	5 <b>10.5</b>	2 <b>10.5</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.53 <b>0.678</b>
The instructor seemed enthusiastic about the material that was presented.	19	N % <b>78.9</b>	15 <b>21.1</b>	4 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.79 <b>0.408</b>
The instructor stimulated my interest in the subject.	19	N % <b>57.9</b>	11 <b>10.5</b>	2 <b>26.3</b>	5 <b>5.3</b>	1 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.21 <b>1.004</b>
The instructor's presentations added to my understanding of the material.	19	N % <b>57.9</b>	11 <b>21.1</b>	4 <b>15.8</b>	3 <b>5.3</b>	1 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.32 <b>0.921</b>
The instructor adequately answered questions from students.	19	N % <b>73.7</b>	14 <b>26.3</b>	5 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.74 <b>0.44</b>
I believe this instructor was an effective teacher.	19	N % <b>68.4</b>	13 <b>26.3</b>	5 <b>0</b>	0 <b>5.3</b>	1 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.58 <b>0.748</b>
The exams/projects were presented and graded fairly.	19	N % <b>63.2</b>	12 <b>31.6</b>	6 <b>5.3</b>	1 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.58 <b>0.591</b>
Help was readily available for questions and/or homework outside of class.	18	N % <b>83.3</b>	15 <b>16.7</b>	3 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.83 <b>0.373</b>
On the whole, this is a good instructor.	19	N % <b>78.9</b>	15 <b>21.1</b>	4 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.79 <b>0.408</b>
I would take another course from this professor.	18	N % <b>83.3</b>	15 <b>5.6</b>	1 <b>11.1</b>	2 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.72 <b>0.65</b>
The course was well-organized.	19	N % <b>57.9</b>	11 <b>36.8</b>	7 <b>0</b>	0 <b>5.3</b>	1 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.47 <b>0.752</b>
The course requirements were clear.	19	N % <b>63.2</b>	12 <b>36.8</b>	7 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.63 <b>0.482</b>
The amount of work and/or reading was reasonable for the credit hours received in the course.	19	N % <b>57.9</b>	11 <b>31.6</b>	6 <b>0</b>	0 <b>10.5</b>	2 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.37 <b>0.93</b>
On the whole, this was a good course.	19	N % <b>68.4</b>	13 <b>26.3</b>	5 <b>5.3</b>	1 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.63 <b>0.581</b>
The instructor tells students when they have done particularly well.	19	N % <b>68.4</b>	13 <b>21.1</b>	4 <b>10.5</b>	2 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.58 <b>0.674</b>
The instructor seems to enjoy teaching.	18	N % <b>83.3</b>	15 <b>16.7</b>	3 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.83 <b>0.373</b>
The instructor knows the subject matter.	19	N % <b>84.2</b>	16 <b>15.8</b>	3 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.84 <b>0.365</b>
Students frequently volunteer their own opinions.	19	N % <b>84.2</b>	16 <b>15.8</b>	3 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.84 <b>0.365</b>
The instructor encourages diverse ways of thinking.	19	N % <b>73.7</b>	14 <b>26.3</b>	5 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	0 <b>0</b>	4.74 <b>0.44</b>
Overall Mean *Overall Mean score does not include instructor selected items.								4.59

- good class, didn't love it but it was good
- Loved the class and had a blast. Thanks for another great semester. Once a cat, always a cat
- very good teacher. awesome at what he does and builds a passion in his students to love it as well.
- One of my first classes at Texas A&M, and I am so happy it was. I enjoyed the class and all that I learned. Great teacher and great class, I can't say enough positive things!
- It's interesting to see an English professor who studied history, it takes away from the possible bias and it provides us with interesting facts about some of the poets and authors that we read about.
- Lowell Mick White is an amazing and beloved professor and friend. I'm sad to see him leave next year, but I hope his time in Kansas is enjoyable. I'll always have the end of the semester class photo.
- I still don't know of any grades I have received. There was no way on turnitin.com (that I could easily find) to tell what I made on the first exam. Just not a lot of feedback, so I don't know where I stand or how to improve. But that is the only complaint I have, overall a good course, I would take it again.
- Overall, this was a great course that I would recommend to another student in a moment. The professor was well-informed and excited about his subject material, but he also wanted to know what his students thought too. Altogether, it is one of the best courses I have taken here at A&M.
- Always prepared with a powerpoint with pictures, and printed out our discussion points from turnitin.com.
- A very laid back guy
- He put together slide shows with pictures. We not only looked at the text but of artwork from the time period which really helped pull in the more visual students.
- He just loved the subject and it made it really easy to listen to him and he'd often ask our opinion so we'd always come hoping our new ideas would impress
- The class was mainly discussion. He thought that our perceptions were just as important as his own.
- Honestly I, like many others in the class, did not really like Emerson. We read a lot of Emerson. I like writers more like Poe and Dickinson and would have rather had a variety than reading so many Emerson pieces.

- He picked a great variety, i loved the class and while i didnt love every piece we read, because of the variety there were plenty i did love.
- I could definitely tell he liked this subject.
- Yea he loved it and sharing the literature with us
- Not only is he enthusiastic, he knows his American Literature!
- He included personal stories that helped us all connect better to the material.
- I would have liked to see more comments on my midterm paper so I would know how I could have improved. But I do think the grade was fair.
- I wish that the final was not such a big part of the grade!
- I do not think that the number of assignments was too many, but the assignments were VERY long, and some were very repetitive. Also, when an assignment for Thursday was assigned on Tuesday and was 20-30 pages long, it was impossible to find the time. The beginning of the semester was much easier to keep up with because we stuck to the syllabus and I could read ahead. Once we got off the syllabus, it was much harder.
- Even admitted when he did not know the answer to something. Nice, and refreshing.
- Tons of class discussions.
- Part of our assignments was to come up with a question about the work we were reading. We would pos them on turnitin.com and then he would find the answers and bring them to class.
- Always did a great job of shining the light on students and encouraging them to speak up.
- The class is fueled by students presenting their own ideas and thoughts, which is a very good way to keep students interested in the subject matter.



## ENGL 235, "Elements of Creative Writing," Fall 2011

Items	Usable Resp.	Response Distribution					Mean StDev	
		A	B	C	D	E		
The instructor seemed well prepared for each class.	16	N %	7 43.8	7 43.8	2 12.5	0 0	0 0	4.31 0.682
The instructor seemed to care whether the students learned.	16	N %	11 68.8	3 18.8	2 12.5	0 0	0 0	4.56 0.704
The instructor seemed enthusiastic about the material that was presented.	14	N %	10 71.4	4 28.6	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.71 0.452
The instructor stimulated my interest in the subject.	16	N %	11 68.8	3 18.8	1 6.2	1 6.2	0 0	4.5 0.866
The instructor's presentations added to my understanding of the material.	16	N %	6 37.5	8 50	0 0	2 12.5	0 0	4.12 0.927
The instructor adequately answered questions from students.	16	N %	10 62.5	5 31.2	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.56 0.609
I believe this instructor was an effective teacher.	16	N %	11 68.8	2 12.5	1 6.2	2 12.5	0 0	4.38 1.053
The exams/projects were presented and graded fairly.	16	N %	7 43.8	8 50	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.38 0.599
Help was readily available for questions and/or homework outside of class.	16	N %	13 81.2	3 18.8	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.81 0.39
On the whole, this is a good instructor.	16	N %	9 56.2	4 25	3 18.8	0 0	0 0	4.38 0.781
I would take another course from this professor.	16	N %	11 68.8	3 18.8	1 6.2	1 6.2	0 0	4.5 0.866
The course was well-organized.	16	N %	6 37.5	8 50	0 0	2 12.5	0 0	4.12 0.927
The course requirements were clear.	16	N %	6 37.5	8 50	2 12.5	0 0	0 0	4.25 0.661
The amount of work and/or reading was reasonable for the credit hours received in the course.	16	N %	12 75	4 25	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.75 0.433
On the whole, this was a good course.	16	N %	11 68.8	2 12.5	1 6.2	2 12.5	0 0	4.38 1.053
The instructor seemed to know the subject well.	16	N %	12 75	3 18.8	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.69 0.583
The instructor knows the subject matter.	16	N %	12 75	3 18.8	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.69 0.583
The instructor encourages diverse ways of thinking.	16	N %	9 56.2	5 31.2	2 12.5	0 0	0 0	4.44 0.704
Students frequently volunteer their own opinions.	16	N %	11 68.8	4 25	0 0	1 6.2	0 0	4.56 0.788
The instructor seems to enjoy teaching.	16	N %	10 62.5	5 31.2	1 6.2	0 0	0 0	4.56 0.609
Overall Mean *Overall Mean score does not include instructor selected items.								4.45

- Very pleased with this course.
- I did not feel like I learned anything useful about creative writing, and I found this disappointing because I chose this class out of interest in the subject and feel like the class time was wasted.
- I've written stories and poems for a long time and thought this class would encourage more creativity and experimentation with different types of writing. Instead, we were basically told to write whatever and show up for class on time. For the most part, I liked the teacher as a person, but I didn't like the fact that he didn't give us more material to work with.
- It's professors like Professor White that make me want to come to class, that teach me how to use what I've learned outside of class in the real world, which is what college is preparing us for, but so often I feel like those lessons aren't given. He deserves a raise.
- Mick was one of the best professors I've had in my years at A&M. In every way, he went above and beyond to care for students, to nurture and progress their knowledge and ideas, and had a passion and sense of humor that made every class delightful and original. He took two hours of time every week to help me with my graduate school applications, and to pose new ideas to me. He put me in touch with other programs, and offered his own invaluable experience and opinions. He opened me to new writers who've become new favorites: Raymond Carver, Larry Brown, and others. He leveled with students, most of whom were freshmen and not used to creative, unique teaching styles, and each in every class, students opened up, shared stories, and were hungry for more of his class. We always had high participation and attendance. Mick would be a fantastic addition to any university's faculty. He's a true Texas original. He loves teaching, loves writing, and loves students. I couldn't have asked for my last English course as an undergraduate to be any better.
- He was overall a great professor and I would gladly take another course taught by him.
- In lieu of what transpired at the start of the semester, professor White did a marvelous job of becoming prepared and planning curriculum for the course. He was given, I believe, three extra classes to instruct upon the first day of class, unbeknownst to him beforehand.
- Felt like class was a big waste of time. I liked going because I knew it was going to be easy, but sometimes it aggravated me that we didn't have anything to do. It was sometimes pointless to be there.

- He was an example of what he taught. One of the best lessons he gave us was that writers are curious about life, so he'd always start the class just a few minutes early, so that his questions about what's going on with us didn't take up too much class time.

He always had something to show or share with us that said he cared and wanted us to improve.

- The class was so loosely run, we didn't receive enough criticism to learn how to do things right.
- A significant amount of time was spent discussing writings and learning how to use creativity in writing.
- He was always eager to listen to us, pushed us to read our stories, and if not to at least keep trying.
- Very zealous in his disposition to the subject matter.
- He was very knowledgeable in literature, writers, movies, history, etc.
- Very enthusiastic and was always happy to read and analyze writings.
- He never read us anything he didn't personally enjoy or something that didn't resonate with him on some level.
- He loved it and that made us enjoy it all the more.
- He is definitely doing what he loves to do.
- A variety of subjects were incorporated into each writing or reading assignment and students were highly encouraged to explore different ideas.
- He enjoyed what he taught and it showed
- The exercises we did in class are ones I'll always turn to for writing.
- Again, the class was way too "loose." There weren't enough guidelines and most of the time students were confused at the directions. I don't feel like I learned much.
- Mr. White was more than willing to answer questions directly after each class session and encouraged students to come to office hours.

- He'd always answer the question, even if we, the students asked the same one over and over. He never seemed annoyed at our questions either.
- Not only was he effective, he did a wonderful job of creating allure in the subjects matter.
- I enjoyed the class and was interested in class participation so I would consider Mr. White's teaching method effective.
- Writing doesn't feel as fun when you're just expected to crank a couple words a week. I'd hoped we'd have more specific projects, like trying to write a novel or write a piece for a specific genre. I had creative differences from him.
- I really will carry on the lessons he taught us.
- I did like the way he graded, which was completion. I understand we were supposed to be creative which made the completion grade the right choice. I also like the idea of the final portfolio at the end.
- I agree immensely.
- I loved him as a person.
- While I like his laid-back nature, I didn't have as much fun in the class as I thought I would. I thought we would be given more to do. I got the feeling some creative ideas were good for him, and others weren't to his liking. I felt he favored many ideas over others.
- College classes should transcend the college experience and classroom, for me, he definitely did that.
- He is just very enthusiastic about teaching and keeps everything really interesting
- Some days seemed as though they were very informal and unplanned, but overall there was an agenda during each class meeting.
- Did exactly what the syllabus said.
- It was a very open class and I really liked that.
- Most students were actively engaged in class discussions.
- Always had a class discussion over the material which made the class fun and interesting.
- I don't think anyone ever felt like the couldn't discuss anything.

## ENGL 104, "Rhetoric and Composition," Spring 2012

Items	Usable Resp.	Response Distribution					Mean StDev
		A	B	C	D	E	
The instructor seemed well prepared for each class.	10	N % 4 40	5 50	1 10	0 0	0 0	4.3 0.64
The instructor seemed to care whether the students learned.	10	N % 9 90	1 10	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.9 0.3
The instructor seemed enthusiastic about the material that was presented.	10	N % 8 80	2 20	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.8 0.4
The instructor stimulated my interest in the subject.	10	N % 2 20	6 60	2 20	0 0	0 0	4 0.632
The instructor's presentations added to my understanding of the material.	10	N % 4 40	5 50	1 10	0 0	0 0	4.3 0.64
The instructor adequately answered questions from students.	10	N % 7 70	3 30	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.7 0.458
I believe this instructor was an effective teacher.	10	N % 6 60	4 40	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.6 0.49
The exams/projects were presented and graded fairly.	10	N % 7 70	3 30	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.7 0.458
Help was readily available for questions and/or homework outside of class.	10	N % 9 90	1 10	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.9 0.3
On the whole, this is a good instructor.	10	N % 8 80	2 20	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.8 0.4
I would take another course from this professor.	10	N % 6 60	4 40	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.6 0.49
The course was well-organized.	10	N % 5 50	4 40	1 10	0 0	0 0	4.4 0.663
The course requirements were clear.	10	N % 7 70	3 30	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.7 0.458
The amount of work and/or reading was reasonable for the credit hours received in the course.	10	N % 7 70	3 30	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.7 0.458
On the whole, this was a good course.	10	N % 5 50	5 50	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.5 0.5
The instructor tells students when they have done particularly well.	10	N % 5 50	5 50	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.5 0.5
The instructor seems to enjoy teaching.	10	N % 6 60	4 40	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.6 0.49
The instructor knows the subject matter.	10	N % 8 80	2 20	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.8 0.4
Students frequently volunteer their own opinions.	10	N % 4 40	5 50	1 10	0 0	0 0	4.3 0.64
The instructor encourages diverse ways of thinking.	10	N % 8 80	2 20	0 0	0 0	0 0	4.8 0.4
Overall Mean *Overall Mean score does not include instructor selected items.							4.59

- Dr. White's class was exceptional. From the first day he was readily available as a resource to us and he was passionate about the subject and making sure that we weren't just learning but engaged as well.
- This professor is a great professor that loves what he teaches. I am quite disappointed that he is leaving because I would have taken another course of his.
- Great professor, I will miss his class.
- The class had a syllabus, but we didn't always do everything planned for the day.
- We never had a day where we didn't do anything
- He showed us many sample writings to better our papers.
- It was a topic of class discussion
- He would constantly remind us to see him if we had any problems. Also he said he couldn't help us if he didn't know us. He really did care if we did well.
- Dr. White loves class discussion.
- VERY VERY VERY enthusiastic!
- Dr.White Loves english
- He loves what he teaches and would show a lot of emotion when talking about papers and what to write.
- Since Dr. White is passionate about what he teaches, it encouraged me to better my writing.
- I was never interested in English but Dr.White made it inviting
- I wouldn't say he stimulated my interest but he did make the class very enjoyable.
- Very helpful and informative answers, although some answers are not what the students wanted to hear.
- Even if he would answer the questions in class, he would then post them on our group page in case we still didn't understand.
- I strongly believe my writing skills have improved over the course of this semester.
- Dr. White will write feedback on our essays.

- he would add marks at the bottom of papers telling you his thoughts
- He told us that the way he grades is by starting at a D and moving up. It is very encouraging to know that he focuses on the good of the paper rather than trying to find what is wrong with it and taking points off.
- Dr. White loves passionate papers.