

Department: INTL_ST International Studies
Course: 390-0-20 Topics in International Studies
Quarter: Winter 2009

CTEC Online TA Report For Ariel Zellman

Teaching Assistant Questions

Wording of Statement	Number of responses	6 (high)	5	4	3	2	1	(low)	Average
15. The TA was able to answer the students' questions adequately.	29	13	12	4	0	0	0		5.31
16. The TA was well prepared for each session.	24	12	6	5	1	0	0		5.21
17. The TA communicated ideas in a clear manner.	28	12	11	4	0	1	0		5.18
18. The TA showed strong interest in teaching the course.	27	12	7	8	0	0	0		5.15

Comments: Honestly, I had very little contact with him. I saw him in class but since my major issue was just completing the readings on time, that wasn't something he could help me with./Zellman was a sweet TA -- very helpful and accessible. It was so great that he put on a session before the essay was due. It helped a lot when I was trying to organize my thoughts./Ariel was a great TA - he always answered questions quickly and was willing to help out!/the TA is great -- I love Ariel. His grading style is great and he is very friendly! NU should do all they can to keep him!/great. approachable. friendly. helpful./Very friendly./Ariel is a great TA. He answers emails in a timely and helpful fashion, and has a fair and clear grading system. He is more than willing to help students with assignments, and clearly explain his expectations for assignments./Ariel's great - I wish he'd had more of a role in this class. But he was very available for individual help and truly desired to see us succeed./Also a very clear instructor. He went out of his way to organize a paper-writing session, which I appreciated./He was very nice, and always willing to help./Always available and welcoming./He was clear with what he wanted in papers and exams. He was also very available to meet with./I didn't really have

much interaction with the TA because there was no discussion section for this class./Ariel was really approachable and went out of his way to make sure we got our questions answered./Ariel was extremely helpful. He even went as far as planning a session to help us with our papers./the writing workshop was really helpful. great TA, should've gotten used more./Clear and direct