

Neuro Disorders of Speech & Swallowing (Spring 2018)

Instructor: **Jordan, Larissa**
 Subject: **CSD**
 Catalog & Section: **5236 0001**
 Course ID: **CSD:5236:0001**
 Objectives:

Enrollment: **25**
 Responses Incl Declines: **22**
 Declines: **0**

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| Question | Number of Responses | Response Rate | Course Mean | Dept. Mean | Course Median | Dept. Median |
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| The Instructor is effective in teaching the course materials. | 22 | 88% | 5.73 | 5.34 | 5.80 | 5.70 |
| The work assigned by the instructor is worthwhile and helped me learn the course material. | 22 | 88% | 5.68 | 5.20 | 5.80 | 5.60 |
| The instructor supports student learning in this class. | 22 | 88% | 5.86 | 5.48 | 5.90 | 5.80 |

Note: 6:Strongly Agree (6); 5:5; 4:4; 3:3; 2:2; 1:Strongly Disagree (1);

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| This course requires an appropriate amount of work for the credit earned. | 22 | 88% | 5.64 | 5.35 | 5.70 | 5.70 |
| This instructor increased my interest in the course material. | 22 | 88% | 5.68 | 5.18 | 5.80 | 5.60 |
| This instructor clearly communicated class material. | 22 | 88% | 5.68 | 5.20 | 5.80 | 5.60 |
| Exams in this course were fair. | 22 | 88% | 5.32 | 5.29 | 5.40 | 5.70 |
| The syllabus was an accurate guide to course requirements. | 22 | 88% | 5.55 | 5.44 | 5.70 | 5.80 |
| Overall, this is an excellent course. | 22 | 88% | 5.32 | 5.14 | 5.50 | 5.60 |
| This instructor is competent in the language of instruction. | 22 | 88% | 5.73 | 5.48 | 5.80 | 5.80 |

Note: 6:(6) Strongly Agree; 5:5; 4:4; 3:3; 2:2; 1:(1) Strongly Disagree;

Written Comments (16 comments)

Q: Additional comments

- 1 Larisa is an incredible TA. She has the students' best interests in mind, is always willing to meet, and is always willing to learn how to improve. Larisa is a very good teacher. Any time she explains something inside or outside of class it has helped with my learning immensely.
- 2 I enjoyed having you as a TA this semester! You are punctual and organized and I enjoyed your contribution to class discussions.
- 3 Larissa is a phenomenal TA! It is clear she cares about her students and she explains things well. I wish her all the best :)
- 4 It was really helpful having Larissa as a TA when concepts were unclear. She was good at taking the time to troubleshoot our questions and use her personal experience to help answer them.
- 5 I appreciate Larissa's dedication to the class and all the students taking it. She puts so much effort in making sure we understand the material and making sure our tests are graded fairly. She also has important information to add to lectures and interesting personal stories.
- 6 Larissa was very responsive to student questions and was genuinely interested in improving our understanding of course material.
- 7 Larissa was very open to having students come in and speak with her. She would break down the material in an even simpler way and would use multiple ways to explain material (write-it-down, draw-it, videos). She also added to class discussions in a variety of ways.

- 8 I think that you were very helpful in this course and often clarified concepts that the professor had confused me on.

- 9 Larissa has been a wonderful resource for this course throughout the semester. She took time to explain concepts and answer questions in class and during office hours. I visited Larissa several times during office hours and always felt that my questions were answered and my learning was supported. Larissa is easy to approach and understands which concepts are difficult for students. Larissa spent an ample amount of time grading mid-term exams to ensure fair grading. I have greatly enjoyed working with Larissa in this course.

- 10 Larissa provided additional insight for clinical applications of the coursework. She provided useful feedback on tests and homework. She was happy to answer questions.

- 11 Larissa consistently made herself available to help students. I appreciated her perspectives and experiences she shared from her early years as a clinician.

- 12 This was a fabulous course. I feel much more prepared for learning more about swallowing in my future outplacements and CFY. I appreciated the perceptual quizzes and found them very helpful. The assignments also kept me accountable. I like how you were very easily accessible to talk if I had questions and I also liked how you elaborated on the content by including experiences from your professional career. Overall, it was a great course. The content was interesting, the exams were fair, and the amount of work was reasonable. Thanks for a great semester.

- 13 Always very helpful!

- 14 Larissa is one of the best TAs I've ever had.

- 15 Larissa is great! She helped to bridge the gap between our beginning understanding and Dr. Bryant's expert experience. I found her to be very approachable and fair. She made an effort to make sure students felt heard and understood. She is one of the best TA's I have ever encountered.

- 16 Larissa was extremely helpful this whole semester. She was always available for office hours and she really helped me any time I went in for extra help. You can tell she really cares about her students and wants to make sure we're learning!