

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4/27/15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR Art + Spanish double PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required?
Is this a required course?

YES
 YES

NO
 NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

The professor is great - super knowledgeable, but still approachable and understanding. One of the best professors I have had at Skidmore.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

Not CSS parallax - the professor already has said this would not be included in subsequent courses, or included differently.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes - very independent work, but still guided

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes - I learned so much and the professor is a great person 😊

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

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NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4.27.15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR Art PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required?

YES
YES

NO
NO

Is this a required course?

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

- Modern & relevant design & tech/development instruction
- Useful & honest critique & advice given
- Interesting & challenging projects & questions

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

- "Research" homework didn't seem very helpful. Difficult to have an interesting discussion especially when we couldn't speak to our own submissions. Discussion topics were exponentially more interesting and could have used more time throughout the semester.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes. High but reasonable expectation, more than willing to help in and outside of class. Adaptable to class needs & interests

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes for reasons above and that this is the only class that is relevant to digital work in the "real world."

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

n/a

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4/27/15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR Art / English PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES NO

Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

- Professor is awesome
- great balance between discussion + hands on learning.
- interesting material
- learn useful skills.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

- It was tough to work on two projects at the same time while we also had to do the presentations

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes. She is absolutely incredible. Very supportive and helpful, which is necessary when the material is this challenging. She is always willing to review things, and is both strict and reasonable.

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Definitely. For all of these reasons.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

She is ~~the~~ definitely one of the best professors I've ever had.

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4/27

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264 SEC 001

MAJOR Art PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES NO
Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

I learned such an incredible amount in this course. From research projects to our websites, everything contributed to my learning and understanding of web design.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

N/A

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes. Sweeney was always so patient and willing to explore new techniques, or work one-on-one for projects. She was incredibly knowledgeable about the process. We learned with her.

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Absolutely.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

One of the most effective teachers and classes I've had at Skidmore.

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE April 27, 15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR Studio Art PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES NO
Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.
-The professor + the content discussed

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.
The computers in the Electronic media rm are slow and do not run as well as others.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?
PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:
very interactive passionate & enthusiastic
great at explaining engaging
always available

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?
PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:
yes
sarah has been the most influential and memorable professor at Skidmore these past 4 years. Really made my senior year incredible! Thank you.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?
100% - The studio needs more of her.

NAME OF PROFESSOR Anrah Sweeney DATE 4/27

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR English/Art PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES NO
Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

immersed even students that had no experience coding in HTML/CSS, leading them to be able to build functional websites, while still providing a challenge to students that did know code already. Likens

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

- A bit more warning on the presentations.
- 5 projects was kind of a lot, even with one short one, 4 is perfect.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes. Prof. Sweeney made herself extremely available if we had any qs. She was receptive to email & came in for extra hours every Sunday. Also, she knows her stuff. She cares about each student & gives them meaningful feedback in her video critiques which

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes, yes, a million times yes. She is an excellent mentor and a chill person. Caters to individual needs of each student.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

She rocks; please keep her forever

Meaningful feedback in her video critiques which

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 04/27/15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264 SEC 001

MAJOR Asian Studies PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required?

YES
 YES

NO
 NO

Is this a required course?

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

Class content was interesting and challenging but not impossible, especially w/ help from Professor Sweeney.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes. A lot of the work in this course requires help from the instructor so being prepared to discuss and having content for each class was important as well as outreach.

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Definitely. Coding is relevant, definitely more rewarding and interesting from initial impressions, and Professor Sweeney is engaging and available.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sweeney DATE 4/27/15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264 SEC 001

MAJOR Sociology PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. (Sr.)

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? (YES) NO
Is this a required course? YES (NO)

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

I think that this course or anything like it exists at all here is rare and important. The ability to intergrate people of different skill levels into one course is cool. The variety of material covered and understanding / support of the professors.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

~~Maybe~~ Maybe think about less projects more time.

I thought the ~~conversations~~ presentations were great - good convos but I think they came at ^{an inconvenient} point ~~in~~ in the semester when class time is crucial

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes, Sarah was very available and there for us. Very understanding and also just incredibly well versed / and willing to learn from us, and to have important conversations w/ us

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes, but I'm graduating

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4-27-15

COURSE NAME AR2641 AR _____ SEC 001

MAJOR Psychology PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES NO
Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

- I learned a lot
- this will be very useful in the future
- students were allowed the freedom to learn and implement what they were interested in (quicksand)

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

- stick to the schedule/syllabus better (I'm sure this will improve now that the course has been tested)

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

not especially? she was a good teacher, but her teaching methods were not a "learning experience" except in that I learned through them.

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

yes. she cared about her subject and put a lot of time into helping students individually.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

yes, and I will write them on the web survey.

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4/27

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR Business PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES
Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

- really important to know web design
- very effective teacher
- learned so much in so little time! (just a semester)
- great incorporation of design/data

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

- more office hours maybe?

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

- yes, always there to help us improve in/out of classroom
- would make important suggestions / ask thoughtful questions to make sure she could help but not influence our design

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

- YES!
- so helpful in/out of classroom
 - learned really important web skills
 - teacher understood how hard topic was as well

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

- great teacher great course great experience

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4/27/15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264 SEC 1

MAJOR Art History PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required?

YES

NO

Is this a required course?

YES

NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

- organization and pace of projects was good
- conversations were exciting
- I learned a lot of useful skills

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

- I did not like the Geo collab project. I get why we did it but we didn't have enough time so it just became frustrating.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes - it was so helpful and valuable that she made time every Sunday night to help us

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Absolutely, Sarah offers great advice and guidance and is easy to talk to. I looked forward to seeing her each class because she was always positive and very helpful

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

this was one of the best classes I've ever taken at Skidmore

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4/24/15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 1

MAJOR SDM PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES NO

Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

So challenging and important in teaching me new skills.
The course taught me an entire new medium language to think in.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

I wish there was more class time to work.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes, we got to do things like collaborative projects in making websites that I feel prepared me for collab work in the real world.

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes, Sarah is brilliant and is great at teaching new exciting media to students. She is organized, passionate, and actually cares about her students.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

Keep her around. She is incredible

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE 4.27.15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR Studio Art PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? YES NO
Is this a required course? YES NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

It is very applicable to the demands of today's society.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

n/a

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Absolutely. She stimulated interest + excitement in a very scary subject matter.

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

DEFINITELY.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

n/a

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE April 27, 2015

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 204 SEC 001

MAJOR Studio Art PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. Sr.

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required?

YES

NO

Is this a required course?

YES

NO

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

Started out knowing nothing, ending knowing a lot.

S. Sweeney ALWAYS available for outside of class help. Really nice feeling so supported by her

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

The TA should not be taking this course. We needed way more help and the TA had no idea what it means to be a TA. Very frustrating.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes! Do you know HTML coding? Because 3.5 months ago I didn't know anything and now I am comfortable with it!

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

Yes, she's a really, really wonderful professor! She took a dry subject and made it colorful and fascinating.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

I know this is her first year, but speaking as a senior who has had all sorts of professors

NAME OF PROFESSOR Sarah Sweeney DATE April 27 '15

COURSE NAME Interactive Design AR 264J SEC 001

MAJOR Business PLEASE CIRCLE: Fresh. Soph. Jr. (Sr.)

Would you have enrolled in this course if it were not required? (YES) NO
Is this a required course? YES (NO)

1. List the most positive aspects of this course.

- ~~that~~ teacher is very accessible and helpful
- teacher very organized and knowledgeable.

2. List the aspects of the course or instruction that you would like to see improved.

I wish there were more soft critiques.
I find them ~~more~~ useful ~~than~~ when coupled with hard critiques. Having ~~just~~ solely hard critiques isn't very helpful.

3. Was the way the professor taught this course an important learning experience for you?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

yes. Very structured experience that taught from the basics up. She adjusted ~~to~~ lesson schedule to accommodate student learning.

4. Would you take another course with this professor or recommend it to your peers?

PLEASE STATE YOUR REASONS WHY:

yes. I already have, in fact. Very easy to understand lesson plans & passionate teacher who's willing to go the extra mile to aid learning.

5. Are there any additional remarks that you believe would be pertinent in evaluating this professor's overall teaching effectiveness?

She's Great! Give her lots