

Arkansas Tech University
2018-December

Course: 201870-PS3143TC4-70893: APPLIED PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH
Instructor: Frederick Prasuhn *
Response Rate: 6/12 (50.00 %)

1 - How often did you attend this course?					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Always	(4)	5	83.33%		
Frequently	(3)	1	16.67%		
Rarely	(2)	0	0.00%		
Never	(1)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
6/12 (50.00%)					

2 - On average, how many hours per week did you spend on this course outside of class (Examples: homework, readings, reviewing notes, completing weekly assignments, etc.)?					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
0 hours	(5)	0	0.00%		
1-3 hours	(4)	0	0.00%		
4-6 hours	(3)	3	60.00%		
7-10 hours	(2)	0	0.00%		
more than 10 hours	(1)	2	40.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
5/12 (41.67%)					

3 - How satisfied were you with your effort in this course?													
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means								
Very Satisfied	(5)	4	66.67%										
Satisfied	(4)	2	33.33%										
Unsure	(3)	0	0.00%										
Dissatisfied	(2)	0	0.00%										
Very Dissatisfied	(1)	0	0.00%										
				0 25 50 100	Question	College	Department						
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median		
6/12 (50.00%)	4.67	0.52	5.00	353	4.26	0.84	4.00	353	4.26	0.84	4.00		

4 - What is your expected grade in this course?					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
A	(5)	4	66.67%		
B	(4)	0	0.00%		
C	(3)	2	33.33%		
D	(2)	0	0.00%		
F	(1)	0	0.00%		
Course Not Graded	(0)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
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5 - What could you have done to be a more effective learner in this course?

Response Rate	6/12 (50%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This class was very interesting I do not feel as though it was a favorite or super beneficial. I was confused more than I wasn't. • Reached out to tutor labs • Maybe ask more questions. Study more. • Pace myself better • Better with time management • I could have had better time management and worked ahead. 	

6 - Did you utilize resources outside the classroom for this course (Examples: writing lab, advising center, tutoring, or other similar resources)?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Yes	(2)	3	50.00%		
No	(1)	2	33.33%		
None Available	(0)	1	16.67%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
6/12 (50.00%)					

7 - If yes, which resources did you utilize? (Check all that apply)

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Writing Lab	(4)	0	0.00%		
Advising Center	(3)	1	50.00%		
On-Campus Tutoring	(2)	0	0.00%		
Other	(1)	1	50.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
2/12 (16.67%)					

8 - Did you have access to (rent, purchase, or borrow) the required course materials (Examples: textbook, online access code, etc.)?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Yes	(3)	6	100.00%		
Some	(2)	0	0.00%		
No	(1)	0	0.00%		
None Required	(0)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
6/12 (50.00%)					

9 - The required course materials were valuable to my success in this course.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means						
Strongly Agree	(5)	3	50.00%		4.50						
Agree	(4)	3	50.00%		4.46						
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%		4.46						
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%								
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%								
				0 25 50 100							
Response Rate											
6/12 (50.00%)											
Summary Statistics											
	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
	4.50	0.55	4.50	250	4.46	0.68	5.00	250	4.46	0.68	5.00

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10 - Did the instructor(s) provide supplemental materials (Examples: handouts, visuals, online resources, etc.)?					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Yes	(2)	6	100.00%		
No	(1)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
6/12 (50.00%)					

11 - Did the physical space the course was held in (Examples: classroom, lecture hall, laboratory, etc.) negatively impact your learning?					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Yes	(2)	0	0.00%		
No	(1)	0	0.00%		
Online/Not Applicable	(0)	6	100.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
6/12 (50.00%)					

12 - If you answered 'YES' to the previous question, please explain how the physical space negatively impacted your learning.	
Response Rate	0/12 (0%)

13 - I sought the instructor out for assistance (Examples: after class, office hours, email, phone, etc.)					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Yes	(2)	6	100.00%		
No	(1)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
6/12 (50.00%)					

14 - When I had questions or needed assistance, my instructor was available.											
Frederick Prasuhn											
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means						
Strongly Agree	(5)	3	50.00%		4.50	4.54	4.54				
Agree	(4)	3	50.00%								
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%								
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%								
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%								
				0 25 50 100	Question	College	Department				
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
6/12 (50.00%)	4.50	0.55	4.50	285	4.54	0.73	5.00	285	4.54	0.73	5.00

15 - When I had questions or needed assistance, the instructor was willing to help.					
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Yes	(2)	6	100.00%		
No	(1)	0	0.00%		
I did not seek out assistance	(0)	0	0.00%		
				0 25 50 100	
Response Rate					
6/12 (50.00%)					

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16 - If you answered no to the previous question please explain, citing specific examples if possible.

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Response Rate 0/12 (0%)

17 - .

The instructor incorporated examples that furthered my understanding of course topics.

Frederick Prasuhn

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means									
Strongly Agree	(5)	3	50.00%											
Agree	(4)	1	16.67%											
Neutral	(3)	1	16.67%											
Disagree	(2)	1	16.67%											
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%											
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department			
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median			
6/12 (50.00%)	4.00	1.26	4.50	357	4.42	0.81	5.00	357	4.42	0.81	5.00			

17 - .

The instructor communicated guidelines and expectations clearly, and evaluated work accordingly.

Frederick Prasuhn

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means									
Strongly Agree	(5)	4	66.67%											
Agree	(4)	1	16.67%											
Neutral	(3)	1	16.67%											
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%											
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%											
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department			
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median			
6/12 (50.00%)	4.50	0.84	5.00	356	4.45	0.83	5.00	356	4.45	0.83	5.00			

17 - .

The instructor was well-organized and prepared for class.

Frederick Prasuhn

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means									
Strongly Agree	(5)	4	66.67%											
Agree	(4)	1	16.67%											
Neutral	(3)	1	16.67%											
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%											
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%											
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department			
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median			
6/12 (50.00%)	4.50	0.84	5.00	357	4.49	0.77	5.00	357	4.49	0.77	5.00			

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The instructor demonstrated a clear understanding of course topics.												
Frederick Prasuhn												
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means							
Strongly Agree	(5)	4	66.67%		4.50	4.50	4.50					
Agree	(4)	1	16.67%									
Neutral	(3)	1	16.67%									
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%									
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%									
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department	
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median	
6/12 (50.00%)	4.50	0.84	5.00	355	4.50	0.75	5.00	355	4.50	0.75	5.00	

17 - .												
The instructor provided timely feedback on assignments, tests, or discussions.												
Frederick Prasuhn												
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means							
Strongly Agree	(5)	2	33.33%		4.17	4.31	4.31					
Agree	(4)	3	50.00%									
Neutral	(3)	1	16.67%									
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%									
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%									
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department	
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median	
6/12 (50.00%)	4.17	0.75	4.00	357	4.31	0.97	5.00	357	4.31	0.97	5.00	

17 - .												
The instructor acted in a professional manner and treated students with respect.												
Frederick Prasuhn												
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means							
Strongly Agree	(5)	4	66.67%		4.67	4.63	4.63					
Agree	(4)	2	33.33%									
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%									
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%									
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%									
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department	
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median	
6/12 (50.00%)	4.67	0.52	5.00	357	4.63	0.62	5.00	357	4.63	0.62	5.00	

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The instructor created an environment that was conducive to learning.												
Frederick Prasuhn												
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means							
Strongly Agree	(5)	4	66.67%		4.50	4.48	4.48					
Agree	(4)	1	16.67%									
Neutral	(3)	1	16.67%									
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%									
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%									
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department	
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median	
6/12 (50.00%)	4.50	0.84	5.00	356	4.48	0.79	5.00	356	4.48	0.79	5.00	

17 - .												
The instructor was proficient in English.												
Frederick Prasuhn												
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means							
Strongly Agree	(5)	5	83.33%		4.83	4.74	4.74					
Agree	(4)	1	16.67%									
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%									
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%									
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%									
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department	
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median	
6/12 (50.00%)	4.83	0.41	5.00	355	4.74	0.47	5.00	355	4.74	0.47	5.00	

18 - Please rate your instructor's overall performance												
Frederick Prasuhn												
Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means							
Excellent	(5)	2	33.33%		4.00	4.36	4.36					
Very Good	(4)	2	33.33%									
Good	(3)	2	33.33%									
Poor	(2)	0	0.00%									
Very Poor	(1)	0	0.00%									
					0	25	50	100	Question	College	Department	
Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median	
6/12 (50.00%)	4.00	0.89	4.00	355	4.36	0.85	5.00	355	4.36	0.85	5.00	

19 - What were the strengths of this course?	
Response Rate	5/12 (41.67%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Forced me to think analytically; professor was excellent at communicating assignments; professor graded assignments in timely manner. The course materials. There were always at least 2 to 3 sources of study materials to give a different perspective of the subject matter. That helps in gaining understanding of the content. Great APA refresher. Good opportunity to Strengthen writing skills. Helpful, connected with students well regardless of the course being online This course has prepared me for the research process. 	

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20 - Do you have any constructive suggestions on improving this course?

Response Rate	5/12 (41.67%)
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- The information is extremely difficult for a non-analytical mind. I do not feel it is presented in a way that is easy to understand. I don't feel like I learned very much in this course.
- For a person new to research, this course presented an almost overwhelming amount of new terminology and concepts. Some type of study guide could be helpful in helping the student focus on the appropriate material needed to get the most from the course. This may help with the test taking aspect as well.
- I believe this class is a challenging class that really pushes participants to work hard. As tough as it was, I'm leaving a better student for taking it. I don't know of any area that needs improving.
- It was a great, helpful course.
- This course is very difficult and demanding. It is doable. There were multiple times where I wondered what the point of this course would be after college. Perhaps the professor could provide some real life situations, outside of college, where this information would be useful so that students will remain motivated to learn it. If we don't see the point post-graduation, it is hard to remain motivated.

21 - Do you have any additional comments about the instructor?

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Response Rate	3/12 (25%)
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- Dr. Prasuhn always encouraged students to ask questions. I don't think a lot of students took advantage of that option, including myself (even though I did ask a few). I am not sure why that was the case. I think utilizing the study guide mentioned in my previous comment would possibly take the edge off a little. On the other hand, study guides may not be appropriate for this level of college study. Overall, I think Dr. Prasuhn conducted the class appropriately for senior level college work.
- He is a great instructor and I learned a lot from him. The only suggestion - I wish he was quicker about grading things since projects build off of prior assignments I would have liked to have the grades and comments from previous assignments before beginning the next section. Other than that he really is a great guy, and a great teacher. He pushed me, but he also encouraged me and because of that I am walking away from one of the hardest classes I have taken with an A.
- Great instructor.