

14.30 Introduction to Statistical Methods in Economics
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 Survey Window: Fall 2021 End of Term

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Singh, Rahul, Recitation Instructor - Overall rating: 6.7

Teaching in Recitation

Rating Scale: 1=Strongly Disagree, 4=Neutral, 7=Strongly Agree, N/A=Not Applicable (7 is best)

Quality of Teaching	AVG	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	RESPONSES	MEDIAN	STDEV
Stimulated interest	6.5								19	7.0	0.77
Displayed thorough knowledge of subject material	6.9								19	7.0	0.23
Helped me learn	6.8								19	7.0	0.54

Rating Scale: 1=Very Poor, 7=Excellent, N/A=Not Applicable (7 is best)

	AVG	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	RESPONSES	MEDIAN	STDEV
Overall rating	6.7								19	7.0	0.56

Comments on teaching (strengths, areas for improvement)

[Student 1347](#) - very clear, structured, and engaging recitations

[Student 5682](#) - Very knowledgeable, patient with students, easy to reach out to, quick to respond to questions

[Student 10066](#) - Really good at explaining difficult concepts in a way that is easy to understand.

[Student 10482](#) - It would be helpful to work through some of the examples we talk about in class to get practice doing the math and making sure that is connected to understanding of the concepts

[Student 24928](#) - Rahul was an AMAZING teacher and that's an understatement. His recitations were well-organized, he went at just the right pace, explained concepts really well, and went to great lengths to ask progressive questions. He also never read off of notes or slides - he displayed thorough knowledge of the material and naturally taught on the blackboard, similar to the very best mathematics or physics professors. His quality of teaching was comparable to the most experienced teachers or professors.

[Student 41399](#) - Great recitations that made concepts a lot clearer. A little too stringent on grading though.

[Student 41954](#) - Rahul is arguably the best TA I have had at MIT. The only person who might give him a run for his money is Kaavya Valiveti in the math department (you two should meet!), but that isn't really a fair comparison because the class I took with her was much harder. I have not doubt that Rahul would shine in a more challenging class setting as well. There is something about the way he speaks that is slow and clear and makes it evident he cares. I don't know anything about his research, but from a teaching standpoint, I have no doubt that he will be a great professor in the near future.

[Student 45223](#) - I enjoyed having recitation with Rahul. He was helpful and always made recitation interactive.

[Student 46572](#) - Rahul is one of the best and most patient TAs ive had. His recitations are very well planned and its obvious he really tries hard to ensure we understand. I look forward to his recitations on Friday because it really helps me fully understand what is going on in class because he explains stuff so well.

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