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Fall 2019, SASW SOC 1301 Introduction To Sociology Section 7

well structured system, very approachable professor.

Offered new perspectives on issues by using detailed examples

Dr. Koch is a phenomenal professor and I learned a lot in his class.

discussions and class topics.

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Instructor: Koch, Jerome (Primary)

There were: 274 possible respondents.

1 Course objectives followed (Koch)

Question Text



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Course	objectives followed (Roch)	1/2	7.0	₹.5	₹.5	ਜ.੭	17/0	17/0	1/0	1 / 0	0 / 0
2 Instruct	tor effectiveness (Koch)	171	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.3	78%	18%	3%	0%	1%
Valuab	le learning experience (Koch)	171	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.3	73%	22%	4%	1%	1%
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Koch	Very interesting and thought p	rovoki	ng lecti	ures, fair	exam j	policie	s and gra	ading			
Koch	Best instructor!										
Koch	By far one of my favorite professors in my college career. He is engaging and really wants to teach us as students. You can always tell when a professor likes their job and the material they are subject to, makes you want to really take in everything he is teaching. The magic tricks before each exam are my favorite tradition of any professor.										
Koch	Nice class. Very interesting to	pics.									
Koch	Very interactive and fun. Was being a student of his	unawa	re abou	it how in	nportan	t atten	dance wa	as but tha	t's not his	fault. Appr	eciated
Koch	overall great class! you can could tell he enjoyed teaching it which made it easier to go and learn, only thing is, i did wish he did a in class review, the other time offered was during work and i was never able to make it Dr. Koch made the class very interesting and his way of teaching is quite amazing. Sociology with Dr. Koch was perhaps one of the most helpful classes that I have taken as it has helped me improve academically but intellectually. Dr. Koch is amazing!!! My sister told me about this class and everything she said was right. Definitely one of my										
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Koch	Dr. Koch really challenges you again. He designed the course resources and amazing lecture	to whe	re if yo	u want a	n easy	A, it is	possible	e. But if y	you want t		
Koch	Great Professor!										
Koch	I loved this class! He made this class an enjoyable experience, and I actually wanted to come to class. I like that he puts audio recordings on his website, so if I do miss class, I do not have to worry about missing any content. He seems a little intimidating, but I constantly went to his office, and he was so nice and relatable. Lecture and notes were hard to follow at times. I would be lost and didn't know what to right down. Overall, very										
Koch											
Koch	one of the best proffessor										

one of my favorite professors that I have had here at Texas Tech. very genuine and helpful. he provides interesting

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Agree

79%

Agree

19%

Koch	Loved Koch, was an amazing professor and one of the best classes I have ever taken, would recommend him to everyone,
Koch	Very good teacher, has lots of examples for everything he says but overall good teacher
Koch	Good storyteller
Koch	Always organized and materials are well prepared and makes learning fun.
Koch	This class is amazing. I not only learned what i expected to learn but I learned extra material and was able to gain different perspectives on most subjects.
Koch	The best professor that I had this semester. He knew what he was talking about and somehow managed to capture my attention for an hour and a half. That is very impressive and I am very grateful to have taken the class from him.
Koch	Absolutely loved his class!! He is very good at explaining different life concepts.
Koch	Thank you for lecturing my most thought provoking and eye opening course this semester.
Koch	Great professor!
Koch	very interesting lectures with easy to follow grading guidelines
Koch	Class is always the same and gets to be boring at some times, but he is a good teacher that cares about what he teaches.
Koch	Really great class, a little studying was required but overall a fairly easy class and very interesting.
Koch	Very Excellent Teacher and very wise
Koch	Loved this class and the teacher!
Koch	He got way too distracted and off-topic. Music was extremely distracting.
Koch	Awesome overall. Only thing was the syllabus on his site was from last year and I could not find the current syllabus. His reviews saved me. My only thing about his teach style was that he would explain things in stories which was great. But would struggle to say a 1 sentence line I could put on a flash card all the time. But his TA was very good at that so it helped. Amazing professor though
Koch	Dr. Koch is a pimp
Koch	A great speaker and a good teacher. While I can't say I agree with all of the ideas discussed in the course, I found myself attending just to listen to him.
Koch	very good teacher, although will need to take class again due to my own mistakes I would say Dr. Koch is an amazing professor.
Koch	THIS CLASS IS AMAZING EVERY TECH STUDENT SHOULD HAVE TO HAVE MR. KOCH AS A PROFESSOR.
Koch	Dr. Koch was an excellent instructor. He made everything clear and he would answer all questions that were asked.
Koch	Hilarious instructor.
Koch	My favorite class of the semester! I definitely struggled a lot and had my lowest grade in here, due to the fact that he could jump around in lectures. But other than that he was amazing and such a kind professor !!!
Koch	This class is definitely worth taking on a general basis because I believe the things that are discussed really hit home as well as benefit in more ways than one. Whether it's a good or bad joke, Dr. Koch does his best to ensure that we all get a good laugh (it was a 9:30am) class after all; you'd be surprised how well those jokes take off, thank me later. As for the exams, as long as you pay attention, which is not hard to do at all, you should be more than satisfied as to what the course provides. Because of this course, I wouldn't be surprised if I ended taking another Sociology course
Koch	I very much enjoyed this class. Thank you
Koch	great lectures
Koch	Made the course incredibly interesting and fun for all students.
Koch	Cool
Koch	Koch was a phenomenal instructor. However, he often drifted away from the facts and proceeded to display his own political opinions as factual.

]	Koch	He is a great teacher, I would take his class over and over just because of his ability to keep students engaged and teach with such ease.					
	Koch	none					
]	Koch	good proffessor					
	Koch	The way the class was designed was great.					
]	Koch	great class, instructor knows what he is doing and loves to do it.					
	Koch	I love this class! Dr. Koch is a very good instructor and he keeps the class interesting and very fun. He seems to really care about his student's grades which is very appreciated.					
]	Koch	Great professor! Must listen to lectures or audio files he posts or you'll be lost					
	Koch	This course challenged the way I think about things (in a good way).					
]	Koch	Professor Koch was amazing. He did very well at getting everyone's attention and keeping it throughout the semester. His teaching style is suitable for just about everyone. When any confusion occurred he made sure to tend to it immediately to clear the air. Very good experience being in his class.					
	Koch	He was my favorite professor this semester. It is more than just a class for him.					
]	Koch	Best lecturer and professor I have.					
	Koch	This class was a good class and the professor was very engaging and interesting.					
]	Koch	He is an amazing professor. This class became my favorite very quickly. He stated the purpose of the class pretty often and showed us how he was fulfilling it. Just an amazing class to take					
	Koch	GREAT CLASS. IF YOU SHOW UP, TAKE NOTES, GO TO REVIEWS, AND DO FLASH CARDS, YOU WILL SUCCEED IN THIS CLASS					
]	Koch	The instructor truly cared about the topic he taught and always tried to engage his students throughout his lectures. Overall it was an amazing class!					
	Koch	Loved his class. Super fun and informational					
]	Koch	Great course					
	Koch	great guy and teacher					
]	Koch	Great Teacher!					
	Koch	tests weren't like lecture too many tests too					
]	Koch	Great teacher. Class was enjoyable to come to. He connected to current events and made class easier to understand. Loved the magic tricks and sense of humor he carried through the semester.					
]	Koch	I loved this class. This class made me want to change my major to sociology, so I did.					
]	Koch	Dr.Koch was an amazing professor, he kept very engaging lectures and was always open minded for new prospective. If I could take this class again, I most definitely would!					
	Koch	Has very intriguing lectures					
]	Koch	Great professor. Very friendly and make learning fun.					
	Koch	Cool teacher, easy, and interesting.					
]	Koch	This was my favorite class throughout the semester. Dr. Koch was an awesome instructor and I am very happy that I took the course.					
	Koch	Lectures were very engaging and fun!					
	Koch	Exams are a bit difficult worded but mr koch's class was very enjoyable and made me happy to go to.					
	Koch	I really enjoyed this course as well as having Dr. Koch as a professor! He engages with the students as he teaches and he also presents the subject in an understandable matter that is easy to obtain! I'm very thankful that I decided to register for his class!!!					
	Koch	Best class this semester. Amazing lectures.					

Koch	I really did not want to take this class because I thought sociology was a liberal field of study, so I was skeptical. But I loved this class! I never felt the need to skip a lecture because I genuinely enjoyed coming to class even though I could've skipped because the lectures are online. Dr. Koch is SO interesting! I feel like he teaches through his stories which make the content engaging and memorable. I learned a lot in this class that I can apply to life. Valuable course and great professor.				
Koch	Koch was an amazing teacher, as he is able to teach a very complicated topic that he has so much experience in to students in bite sized chunks. Overall amazing teacher, 10/10 would take this class again.				
Koch	There was plenty of time to understand the course material. Conversation and student's points of views were heard and respected. Amazing online resources.				

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Fall 2019, SASW SOC 1301 Introduction To Sociology Section 9 Instructor: Koch, Jerome (Primary)



There were: 265 possible respondents.

	Question Text	N	Avg	SASW Avg		Sch Avg	Str Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Str Disagree
1	Course objectives followed (Koch)	156	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.5	81%	14%	3%	1%	1%
2	Instructor effectiveness (Koch)	156	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.3	78%	17%	4%	0%	0%
3	Valuable learning experience (Koch)	156	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.3	78%	14%	6%	1%	0%

Instructor	Text Responses
	Question: 3Q. Comments instructor or course
Koch	good teacher
Koch	Lectures set up well, flow throughout the year. I liked the system of having five tests as opposed to two or three.
Koch	Throughly impressed with professor Koch and his way of teaching.
Koch	I absolutely loved taking professor Koch's sociology, it was the class I looked forward to every week and kept me eager to learn more in the course. Professor Koch was very effective in lecture and provided outlines for notes that followed the topic for each day. While Koch sometimes would go off on tangents and tell stories I thought he did a great job and I would recommend this class to any student at Tech.
Koch	The class was a joy to be in. The professor was engaging with the class and made sure we had every opportunity to gain and understand the material.
Koch	Dr. Koch was a phenomenal teacher who made the course information easily absorbable through stories that stuck with the students and made for lasting memories.
Koch	He's a cool professor always starts class with a lame dad joke which makes it kinda fun. He makes it very easy to understand the topics and know exactly what to study for the tests.
Koch	The lectures were very interesting. The stories and information were very informative and interesting. Dr. Koch was passionate and full of knowledge and made the class entertaining. I liked the study guide that he provided and it made taking notes and studying for the test easier.
Koch	I enjoy this class. It makes me happy that I am majoring in Sociology. I also feel as if I have learned the basics about Sociology.
Koch	Professor Koch's lectures are insightful, moving, and even entertaining. His class delves farther into Sociology than basic terms and definitions, and was often a class that I looked forward to attending. His insights were incredibly valuable and encourage students to look for evidence rigorously rather than relying on basic assumptions and to question the structures around them rather than accepting things blindly. I would, and have, recommend this class to anyone looking for hours, credit, or with an interest in the topic of sociology.
Koch	Grading system makes it hard to earn an A since 95% of the grade is made up from exams
Koch	Favorite course I've taken this far at TTU. Professor Koch is an outstanding teacher and a funny character. Enjoyed going to that class every time and the things I learned were interesting and valuable.
Koch	great teaching style and makes lectures very interesting! really enjoyed this class
Koch	I enjoyed this class however i wish that his lectures would truly help with a lot of the true or false questions on the exams.
Koch	Would like for there to be more review session opportunities
Koch	Dr. Koch was one of the most interesting professors I've had so far and made learning sociology a fun experience
Koch	was off topic too much

Koch	Dr. Koch is awesome and I would take a class taught by him again! I really really appreciate that we did not have to buy any materials for the class. As a student who has to work to pay for books, this seriously meant alot and I learned just as much without any textbook. Dr Koch knows his stuff and his lecture stories that he correlates with the material helped me better understand concepts and were equally entertaining.
Koch	I enjoy this class a lot. It's always very interesting and the professor always makes the class enjoyable. I also learned a lot, due to the resources he provided.
Koch	wonderful professor, he connected all material to where we could connect it to our personal life and his lectures were all wonderful to attend.
Koch	keeps the class very entertaining and willing ness to learn
Koch	Amazing lectures!!
Koch	Dr.Koch is an amazing lecturer, he made the class very interesting and easy to understand
Koch	The professor is a great guy, and fun to listen to, however it is hard to keep an A in the class when the only points are taken from exams and attendance. Interesting class though!
Koch	Very good teacher. Made everything interesting.
Koch	Loved being constantly engaged even during exams.
Koch	Best prof. I had this semester. Which is surprising because I didn't expect to like the class and I didn't expect it would better than BA 1301.
Koch	Other than the time the class as an over all wasn't bad
Koch	This class was very interesting. Dr. Koch always made his lectures easy to listen to by personalizing them with his own life experiences.
Koch	Dr. Koch sometimes gets off topic, kind of draws the subject and doesn't get straight to the point. But overall he is a good professor. His lectures are interesting.
Koch	Great course
Koch	Definitely the most interesting class I took all semester and I felt like I really did learn a lot. LOVE the dad jokes & I really did look forward to coming to class!
Koch	He tends to go off topic
Koch	the info we learned was interesting and explained in a good way.
Koch	Very good teacher and his lectures made me declare my major as Sociology. Very passionate about this class and I highly enjoy his lectures
Koch	Learned so much and loved the class as well as the professor. My favorite class this year!
Koch	Dr. Koch is the best teacher I have had yet. He makes an hour and a half class fly by. He is very entertaining and keeps me engaged on the topics we are covering.
Koch	I enjoyed his class. He can get a little side tracked with his examples or at least get a little confusing but he's very good and I enjoyed the class
Koch	Great teacher and even better person. Really enjoyed the class.
Koch	Amazing Professor! He is very passionate about Sociology and makes lecture very enjoyable. We cover a lot of information but the stories he tells help you remember the information very well!
Koch	Professor is interesting and if you study for the test you'll do good in the class
Koch	Would definitely take one of his courses again
Koch	Teacher was very engaging and active with class discussion. The one class that was easy to stay engaged. Professor was excellent with the class
Koch	While this was a very interesting class, I was a bit disappointed that Dr. Koch seemed to teach his students what to think rather than how to think. Many one sided opinions were presented in class which was borderline indoctrination. Other than that Dr. Koch is a very intriguing professor and his research is rather fascinating. The class also somewhat challenging but wasn't too difficult to succeed in so that was a big plus.

Koch	Dr. Koch was very passionate about what he was teaching us and had many stories and examples to help the students learn concepts. I am also grateful that he includes so many exams to give us a chance to makeup if we do bad on one.
Koch	Loved this class.
Koch	This class was very interesting, the professor is very helpful. I liked the class very much. This course talks about our society and shows us the different perspectives. I liked the Professor's teaching style as it is very encouraging.
Koch	Amazing teacher!!
Koch	Sometimes bordered too religious, coming from someone who considers herself strongly religious but overall excellent teacher
Koch	This was my favorite course this semester.
Koch	He's a great teacher, he 's very in tone with his students. He can sometimes sway away from the topic so you have to pay attention to the actual information.
Koch	My favorite class! I might've stayed in college if all my classes were like this. Great Job Koch.
Koch	I really enjoyed the way in which the class was taught. It was a lot of information to take in, but after studying it becomes much easier.
Koch	Dr. Koch is an amazing professor who never failed to keep his students interested in learning more. Great learning experience. I'm very happy to have had the privilege of being his student.
Koch	He's honestly a great teacher, as long as you go to lecture and listen you will get an A. He honestly lectures very well and thoroughly.
Koch	I enjoyed this class very much. Dr. Koch was a great professor and made this class very enjoyable.
Koch	Such a great Professor, he makes class fun and easy to learn which all his stories. By far my favorite Professor.
Koch	you're a great teacher keep it up.
Koch	best class, dope magic tricks, good music, great teacher
Koch	Dr Koch has made this course a delight to take. His teaching methods were very interesting and I was never bored or confused in class.
Koch	Favorite teacher at tech! Overall I loved the class (it's like listening to a good ted talk)
Koch	I thoroughly enjoyed this course and Dr. Koch definitely made the class intriguing. I would recommend.
Koch	Dr. Koch is an amazing professor, and this class was a great experience.
Koch	I Loved the class, every day gave a new insight to day to day life. The teacher was very pleasant and inserting to engage with during the lecture. The class was a highlight of my day
Koch	Love this class! I learned a lot and the lectures were great!
Koch	I loved this class so much. The hour and 20 minute class flew by and I was never bored. Dr. Koch was a funny dude. He had the ability to make me think and analyze every little social concept in such depth.
Koch	Really great class.
Koch	Loved this class, always looked forward to it!
Koch	great course and would recommend
Koch	10/10 enjoyed this professor and class. Dr. koch made class very interesting and you could always tell he enjoyed what he did!
Koch	My favorite class/teacher
Koch	Dr. Koch is a very effective professor and was by far my favorite of the semester. His class is very interesting and opened my eyes to the world of sociology.
Koch	Dr. Koch is so good at what he does. I learned so much about sociology that I could carry with me throughout life.
Koch	By far my favorite class of my first semester at TTU
Koch	It was a very enjoyable course.
Koch	Great course! Awesome lectures!

Koch	Favorite class yet most challenging. Very well taught
Koch	Awesome teacher!!!!
Koch	One of my favorite classes.
Koch	Very good professor!
Koch	Professor Koch was very engaging and professional in his teaching. He taught the course content extremely well and in a way that the students could understand.
Koch	My favorite class of the semester. Amazing professor and amazing class. Very memorable and is making me consider minoring in Sociology.
Koch	Professor Koch made this course extremely interesting, and never failed to supply intriguing stories with each lecture. The course material was presented in a very straight-forward manner, and I found it enjoyable to sit in lecture. Upon registering for Sociology, I was completely unaware of the insight and gratification that I would gain from the course.
Koch	Explained everything in class very well
Koch	I enjoyed being in this class with such an amazing instructor. He is very nice and helped me understand what the class is about.
Koch	Professor was great! I really adored him. Towards the end, the lectures did tend to drag on and his political views were painfully integrated into the lectures. At times to the point where we wrote notes for ten minutes and then were forced to sit and listen for the rest of the class to topics unrelated to the test. Got painful. However!! That was not always the case, and I do believe the class brought new insights and was a valuable experience. The professor often making things fun and I wouldnt take the time back. My only complaint is if you are going to talk politics, make it clearer and don't beat around the bush. Don't need the passive aggressive style of teaching, that was what got boring and frustrating towards the end of the class. But still, like I said, overall a good class and I did enjoy it.
Koch	love the teaching style and everything about the course
Koch	Dr. Koch was an extremely effective teacher. In the beginning I didn't really have an interest in his class, but as I went through the course I discovered a lot of different valuable assets, not only for passing the class, but for applying to my life as well. He taught the material and was engaging in his lectures. He taught the material and gave real examples that could be seen in real life, which I personally loved. He was fair with his grading and gave students every opportunity to succeed. He is one of the best teachers I've had the privilege of learning from