# The University of Texas at El Paso - Evaluation Results

Evaluation Results - Fall 2017 Instructor: Cryer, Billy Term: Fall 2017 College: LA Dept: RWS1301 Section: 14734 Response Rate: 12 responses/24 enrolled (50%)

### Section A

### The following questions refer to the instructor.

1. The instructor clearly defined and explained the course objectives and expectations.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Response	Index
91.7%	8.3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4.9166

### 2. The instructor was prepared for each instructional activity.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Response	Index
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# 3. The instructor communicated information effectively.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Response	Index
91.7%	8.3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4.9166

#### 4. The instructor encouraged me to take an active role in my own learning.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Response	Index
83.3%	16.7%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4.8333

### 5. The instructor was available to students either electronically or in person.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Response	Index
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### 6. The instructor stimulated my interest in the subject:

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Response	Index
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# Section B

# The following questions refer to this course.

7. Estimate how much you learned in this course:

Well Above Avg	Above Avg	Average	Below Avg	Well Below Avg	No Response	Index
58.3%	41.7%	0%	0%	0%	0%	N/A

8. Estimate how much this course challenged you intellectually:

Well Above Avg	Above Avg	Average	Below Avg	Well Below Avg	No Response	Index
58.3%	33.3%	8.3%	0%	0%	0%	N/A

#### Section C

### Overall

9. Provide an overall rating of this course:

Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Poor	Very Poor	No Response	Index
91.7%	8.3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4.9166

# 10. Provide an overall rating of the instructor:

Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Poor	Very Poor	No Response	Index
100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	5.0000

# **Comments:**

1. While some might say this class was overly easy I beg to differ. Because of the lax rules I felt I was better able to learn and apply the new techniques efficiently. Instead of rushing to meet an unreasonable deadline or page count I could focus of making my writing complex, compelling, and effective. This is the first time since elementary school that I feel I have learned about the techniques of writing and am able to implement them.

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3. Since I came from Juarez almost three years ago, I didn't really had any experience with writing essays or citation formats. Professor Billy Cryer helped me to develop my skills in a huge way and make me understand that everyone can write properly according to situations no matter what. He helped all of our class to write effectively and he encouraged each and every one of us to express our ideas in paper in a way to learn writing. I believe that was one of the strategies that helped us to make a good writing progress.

4. Billy has been the greatest instructor! He really encourages us to do our best and always makes himself available when we need help with anything. Overall, I really enjoyed his teaching ways, they were very effective. 10/10!

5. Professor Cryer made sure to give everyone a good chance at passing and was more than eager to help in any way possible. Throughout the year he focused primarily on his students and their understanding of writing and rhetoric which I believe helped the class do well as a whole.

6. Professor Cryer is an outstanding and intellectual instructor, he gives plenty of extra credit and opportunity to raise higher grades. I highly recommend to anyone who would like to improve in their writing skills to take his class.

7. The professor helped me get a better understanding in creative writing.

8. I love Billy. Hands down my favorite professor from this semester.

9. Billy Cryer is a great instructor and really cares about the success of his students. He provides interesting readings and challenges our writing efforts. This class was enjoyable yet very knowledgable and informative.

10. Great teaching skills my writing has approved more since I took this class.

11. Excellent course that really improved me as a writer. Great professor in this course as Billy would have workshops in class that helped my writing be much more specific. Overall, loved the course.

12. The course is great and the instructor is really good. One of the best instructors I had this semester.

13. professor billy Is very friendly and approachable. If there were any issues with course work he was very understanding and tried to find a solution or simply lend a helping hand.

14. OMG! He is the best professor at UTEP!! He teaches with so much passion and cares about his students!

15. Billy is a great instructor! He taught everything very clearly and made sure we understood before moving on. He always made himself available if we needed help with anything. Most effective English class I have taken.

16. The course is very easy if you follow the professor's instructions. Professor Billy is a fabulous person. He deal with his students very politely and also has a predisposition to help them. I really have not any bad comments about this course.

17. He is a great instructor and the course is great.

18. This course was a wonderful introduction to my first semester at UTEP. The course was interactive and challenging but also fun. The work assigned allowed for a lot of confidence and personal growth in my writing and provided useful criteria and curriculum for future classes.

19. N/A

20. Billy was a great professor. he taught lessons everyday but made it a point for them to be fun and interesting. He was by far the best professor I had this year.

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