

## Fall 2022 Course Evaluations

Howard University

At Howard University, The Office of Institutional Research and Assessment (IRA) conducted course evaluations for 14 colleges and schools. Evaluations were made available to students on November 18, 2022 and closed December 4, 2022. Faculty received course evaluations on December 14, 2022.

- 3234 courses received at least one evaluation
- 65,873 evaluations were sent
- 20,516 evaluations were completed (response rate of 31.14%)
- A total of 19 questions (8 course and 11 instructor) were asked across all departments.

In the tables below, a Likert scale rating (0-5) is included alongside a mean, standard deviation, and median. These ratings as well as the averages included below aggregate all student responses across the university. The averages are useful when understanding the general student experience across the evaluated courses and are useful in understanding faculty performance regardless of class size.

This report reflects course evaluation data for the following colleges and schools:

- College of Arts and Sciences
- College of Dentistry
- College of Divinity
- College of Engineering & Architecture
- College of Fine Arts
- College of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences
- College of Pharmacy
- Graduate School
- School of Business
- School of Education
- School of Law
- School of Social Work

Several courses from the School of Social Work and School of Business are not included in this report as they operated on a non-traditional course schedule.

If you have any questions, please reach out to our email – [assessment@howard.edu](mailto:assessment@howard.edu).

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**Level:** Howard University  
**Response Rate:** 20516/65873 (31.14 %)

Question		1	2	3	4	5	Mean	Std	Median
Please answer the following questions related to your course.: The workload and pace were appropriate for the course level.	n	793	1325	2586	6949	6802	3.96	1.09	4.00
	%	4.30%	7.18%	14.01%	37.65%	36.86%			
Please answer the following questions related to your course.: This course helped me consider connections between course material and other areas of my personal, academic, or professional life.	n	781	1050	2736	6431	7390	4.01	1.08	4.00
	%	4.25%	5.71%	14.88%	34.97%	40.19%			
Please answer the following questions related to your course.: This course challenged me to think critically about the subject.	n	608	819	2533	6736	7687	4.09	1.01	4.00
	%	3.31%	4.46%	13.78%	36.64%	41.82%			
Please answer the following questions related to your course.: This course helped me to communicate clearly about the subject.	n	814	1151	3018	6610	6767	3.95	1.09	4.00
	%	4.43%	6.27%	16.44%	36.00%	36.86%			
Please answer the following questions related to your course.: This course provided appropriate knowledge in this subject area.	n	623	683	2318	7032	7675	4.12	0.99	4.00
	%	3.40%	3.73%	12.65%	38.36%	41.87%			
Please answer the following questions related to your course.: The course assignments reflected what was covered in the course.	n	655	758	2348	6791	7751	4.11	1.01	4.00
	%	3.58%	4.14%	12.83%	37.10%	42.35%			
Please answer the following questions related to your course.: The course stimulated my interest in the subject.	n	1277	1390	3054	5634	6804	3.84	1.21	4.00
	%	7.03%	7.65%	16.82%	31.03%	37.47%			

Scale: 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly Agree

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Overall, this course was...	n	598	1109	3403	5494	7550	4.01	1.07	4.00
	%	3.29%	6.11%	18.75%	30.26%	41.59%			

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Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor was effective in communicating the content of the course.	n	924	1281	2563	5908	9403	325	4.08	1.12	4.00
	%	4.53%	6.28%	12.56%	28.96%	46.08%	1.59%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor was fair in evaluating student performance.	n	756	885	2618	6000	9561	578	4.15	1.06	4.00
	%	3.71%	4.34%	12.83%	29.41%	46.87%	2.83%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor was well prepared for class meetings.	n	624	666	2446	6154	9973	536	4.22	1.00	5.00
	%	3.06%	3.26%	11.99%	30.17%	48.89%	2.63%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor made effective use of class time.	n	728	841	2498	5952	9786	560	4.17	1.04	4.00
	%	3.57%	4.13%	12.27%	29.23%	48.05%	2.75%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor was accessible during office hours.	n	607	592	3023	5074	8486	2544	4.14	1.03	4.00
	%	2.99%	2.91%	14.87%	24.96%	41.75%	12.52%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor clearly articulated their expectations for students in the course.	n	746	909	2497	6116	9664	402	4.16	1.05	4.00
	%	3.67%	4.47%	12.28%	30.08%	47.53%	1.98%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor provided guidance for understanding course exercises/assignments.	n	938	1203	2762	5737	9261	457	4.06	1.13	4.00
	%	4.61%	5.91%	13.57%	28.18%	45.49%	2.24%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor provided timely feedback on exams/papers/performance.	n	1112	1403	2961	5430	8580	868	3.97	1.18	4.00
	%	5.46%	6.89%	14.55%	26.68%	42.15%	4.26%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor provided constructive feedback on exams/papers/performance.	n	1118	1387	3098	5186	8507	1010	3.96	1.19	4.00
	%	5.51%	6.83%	15.26%	25.54%	41.89%	4.97%			
Please answer the following questions related to your instructor(s). Instructor(s): The instructor created a welcoming and inclusive classroom environment.	n	747	626	2612	5446	10221	571	4.21	1.04	5.00
	%	3.69%	3.10%	12.92%	26.93%	50.54%	2.82%			

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Overall, the instructor was... Instructor(s)	n	667	1067	3518	5663	9337	4.08	1.07	4.00
	%	3.29%	5.27%	17.37%	27.96%	46.10%			

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