

I really wanted to thank you for your class. It was truly a transformative experience and a highlight of my UBC experience.

I do great only when I am interested, inspired and feeling competent, and you and the class you taught last term has made all that happen for me.

I cannot tell you enough how valuable the information is, and how much more I wish to understand and appreciate at a deeper level and broader view. I appreciate your energy and time in supporting my learning.

I loved this class and would take it again. Adele's personal involvement with the students is notable....She is a wonderful professor and a wealth of knowledge! She gets an A+

Loved the true seminar composition, and the instructor gave inordinate amounts of time to ensuring that all students felt comfortable participating in the discussions and discourse, even when the material was either personally or collectively challenging.... I really liked the true interdisciplinary nature of the material.

I enjoyed the class (and am amazed at how several concepts from the course have started cropping up in my life).

Adele is energetic, passionate, interesting and so impressively well-read. She explains difficult concepts well, and asks detailed and provoking questions. She sets a high standard and expects us to meet it which is great for learning. I am grateful to have had the opportunity to be in her class!

Thank you Adele for facilitating our class and managing the discussions which may have gotten tense at some points. Adele has been effective at managing the dynamics of the class and being very respectful of everyone's views. Good questions that probe deeper thinking too. I have enjoyed the class discussions tremendously and learnt a lot from the content.

Thanks for all you have given me over the past few months. I will carry what I learned from you and in your class through the rest of my life and hopefully my students and those around me will also benefit from what I learned from you.

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Course:	EPSE 604A 074 - Advanced Topics in Human Development, Learning, and Culture	Department:	CNPS
Responsible Faculty:	Adele Diamond		

Category Instructions: *Based on a 5-point scale, where 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree and 5 = Strongly Agree, please rate your instructor on the following:*

University Module		Diamond, Adele				
		Individual				
		Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
Q1	The instructor made it clear what students were expected to learn.	4.5	5	1.05	8	4.1
Q2	The instructor communicated the subject matter effectively.	4	4	.66	8	4.3
Q3	The instructor helped inspire interest in learning the subject matter.	5	5	.43	8	4.8
Q4	Overall, evaluation of student learning (through exams, essays, presentations, etc.) was fair.	4	4	.69	6	3.8
Q5	The instructor showed concern for student learning.	5	5	.71	8	4.5
Q6	Overall, the instructor was an effective teacher.	5	5	.86	8	4.4

Highest possible score = 5

Choices / Values: Strongly Disagree=1 | Disagree=2 | Neutral=3 | Agree=4 | Strongly Agree=5

Overall Questions		Diamond, Adele				
		Individual				
		Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
Q7	Overall, I rate the quality of instruction in this course as:	6	6,7	1	8	6
Q8	Overall, I rate this course as:	7	7	1	8	6.5

Highest possible score = 7

Choices / Values: 1 Very Poor=1 | 2 Poor=2 | 3 Less than Adequate=3 | 4 Adequate=4 | 5 Good=5 | 6 Very Good=6 | 7 Excellent=7

30 Most Used Items		Diamond, Adele				
		Individual				
		Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
Q9	The instructor was interested in whether the students learned.	7	7	.71	8	6.5
Q10	The instructor was enthusiastic about the subject matter.	7	7	0	8	7
Q11	Class presentations were well organized.	6	6	.71	8	6
Q12	The instructor summarized important points and concepts.	6	6,7	.78	8	6.1
Q13	The instructor demonstrated a comprehensive knowledge of the subject.	7	7	.33	8	6.9
Q14	Course objectives were made clear.	6.5	7	1.27	8	5.9
Q15	Assignments required by the instructor were useful learning experiences.	5.5	5	1.22	8	5.5
Q16	Evaluation procedures were fair.	5	6	1.07	7	5
Q17	The instructor provided adequate class time for questions.	6	6	.66	8	6.3
Q18	The instructor's feedback on assignments was helpful.	4.5	5	1.05	8	4.1
Q19	The course challenged me intellectually.	7	7	.43	8	6.8
Q20	I was comfortable asking questions or making comments in this course.	6	7	1.05	8	5.9
Q21	The instructor was available for help outside of class or by email/website.	6	6	.71	8	6
Q22	The class atmosphere was conducive to learning.	6	6	.60	8	5.9
Q23	The instructor appeared to enjoy teaching.	7	7	.71	8	6.5
Q24	Current developments in the field were discussed.	6.5	7	.70	8	6.4
Q25	The course was well organized.	6	7	1.49	8	5.6

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Q26	The subject matter was clearly explained.	7	7	1.09	8	6.3
Q27	Student responsibilities and requirements were made clear.	6	7	1.05	8	5.9
Q28	Course requirements were clear.	6.5	7	1.48	8	5.8
Q29	Assigned readings and course requirements were relevant to course objectives.	7	7	1.30	8	6.3
Q30	The instructor explained clearly the basis for evaluating students.	5	5	1.27	8	5.1
Q31	The instructor made good use of scheduled class time.	6	6	.66	8	6.3
Q32	The instructor encouraged student participation in class.	7	7	.71	8	6.5
Q33	Students were treated with respect.	6.5	7	.70	8	6.4
Q34	The instructor used examples and illustrations that helped clarify topics.	6.5	7	.97	8	6.3
Q35	The course challenged me to think.	7	7	.33	8	6.9
Q36	The instructor used a variety of teaching methods.	5	5	1.36	8	4.9
Q37	The instructor communicated clearly.	6.5	7	1.05	8	6.1
Q38	The instructor demonstrated an openness to other points of view.	6	7	1.05	8	5.9
Q39	Overall, I learned a great deal in this course.	7	7	.70	8	6.6

Choices / Values: 1 Disagree Very Strongly=1 | 2=2 | 3 Disagree Somewhat=3 | 4=4 | 5 Agree Somewhat=5 | 6=6 | 7 Agree Very Strongly=7