

112 ITALIAN

Introduction

ASSU would like to thank the faculty and staff of the Italian Department for their kind assistance in providing the following evaluations. If you would like to get involved with the Italian Studies Students' Union (ISSU), please come by the ASSU office, SS 1068.

Editor

ITA 100Y1Y Italian Language for Beginners

Instructor(s): A. Cristiano

	Resp: 26							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	0	3	3	34	46	11	5.6
Explains	0	0	0	4	32	56	8	5.7
Communicates	0	0	0	0	7	46	46	6.4
Teaching	0	0	0	3	7	57	30	6.2
Workload	0	0	15	61	15	7	0	4.2
Difficulty	0	0	11	61	19	7	0	4.2
Learn Exp	0	0	4	50	29	8	8	4.7

Students felt Cristiano was a very good and enthusiastic instructor.

Instructor(s): F. Calabrese

	Resp: 28							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	7	0	0	35	28	28	0	4.6
Explains	0	7	3	21	39	14	14	4.9
Communicates	0	0	0	3	0	32	64	6.6
Teaching	0	0	7	7	21	46	17	5.6
Workload	0	0	4	68	16	12	0	4.4
Difficulty	4	0	4	72	8	12	0	4.2
Learn Exp	0	0	4	33	38	9	14	5.0

Students described Calabrese as enthusiastic, knowledgeable and kind. They suggested, however, that an answer key be provided for homework questions so that more class time be allotted to instruction and oral practice.

ITA 101Y1Y Elementary Italian Language

Instructor(s): L. Somigli

	Resp: 21							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	0	0	0	28	57	14	5.9
Explains	0	0	0	0	23	57	19	6.0
Communicates	0	0	0	9	33	47	9	5.6
Teaching	0	0	0	0	19	47	33	6.1
Workload	0	0	19	71	4	4	0	4.0
Difficulty	0	0	19	61	14	4	0	4.0
Learn Exp	0	0	7	42	42	7	0	4.5

Students felt Somigli performed well as an instructor.

ITA 233Y1Y Ethnicity and Mainstream: Italian Canadian Culture

Instructor(s): G. Scardellato

	Resp: 31							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	0	0	3	45	38	12	5.6
Explains	0	0	0	0	25	51	22	6.0
Communicates	0	0	0	3	12	51	32	6.1
Teaching	0	0	0	0	6	72	29	6.1
Workload	3	10	10	63	6	3	3	3.8
Difficulty	0	6	16	66	6	3	0	3.8
Learn Exp	0	0	0	32	20	32	16	5.3

Scardellato was praised for his knowledge, enthusiasm and dedication. Students were very pleased with this course.

ITA 249H1F Italians in China: From Marco Polo to Matteo Ricci

Instructor(s): F. Guardiani

	Resp: 21							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	5	20	30	30	10	5	4.3
Explains	0	0	5	30	20	40	5	5.1
Communicates	0	5	0	10	10	55	20	5.7
Teaching	0	0	5	30	20	30	15	5.2
Workload	0	0	15	70	5	10	0	4.1
Difficulty	0	0	10	80	5	5	0	4.1
Learn Exp	0	0	0	66	13	13	6	4.6

Guardiani was an approachable, enthusiastic and friendly instructor.

ITA 250Y1Y Intermediate Italian

Instructor(s): A. Urbancic

	Resp: 24							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	0	0	8	0	33	58	6.4
Explains	0	0	0	4	0	45	50	6.4
Communicates	0	0	0	0	4	29	66	6.6
Teaching	0	0	0	0	0	37	62	6.6
Workload	0	4	0	66	8	12	8	4.5
Difficulty	0	4	4	70	8	4	8	4.3
Learn Exp	0	0	0	16	27	27	27	5.7

Urbancic was described as one of the best instructors at UofT. Students felt she was a helpful, enthusiastic, creative and effective teacher.

Instructor(s): A. Urbancic

	Resp: 26							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	3	3	7	11	19	53	6.0
Explains	0	3	3	3	15	19	53	6.0
Communicates	3	0	0	3	3	26	61	6.3
Teaching	0	0	3	3	7	30	53	6.3
Workload	0	0	0	52	24	20	4	4.0
Difficulty	0	0	0	60	20	20	0	4.6
Learn Exp	0	5	0	15	30	30	20	5.4

Most students really enjoyed this course and were pleased with Urbancic's teaching.

ITA 251Y1Y Intermediate Italian II

Instructor(s): F. Guardiani

	Resp: 19							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	15	42	10	10	21	0	3.8
Explains	23	5	35	23	0	11	0	3.1
Communicates	27	11	27	16	11	0	5	2.9
Teaching	11	11	5	50	5	16	0	3.8
Workload	0	0	15	78	0	5	0	3.9
Difficulty	0	0	16	72	11	0	0	3.9
Learn Exp	6	0	0	26	53	13	0	4.6

Students felt Guardiani could improve by providing more examples in class and by being more approachable.

ITA 300Y1Y Survey of Italian Literature

Instructor(s): F. Guardiani

	Resp: 31							Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Presents	0	0	12	16	35	19	16	5.1
Explains	0	6	3	19	29	29	12	5.1
Communicates	0	3	0	16	22	35	22	5.5

Teaching	0	0	3	22	22	32	19	5.4
Workload	0	3	6	70	6	6	6	4.3
Difficulty	0	0	3	70	12	6	6	4.4
Learn Exp	4	4	4	39	8	21	17	4.8

Students enjoyed this course and wrote that they learned a lot from Guardiani. However, a few students felt that the class was too fast-paced.

ITA 358H1F From Manuscript to Print, from Print to Computers

Instructor(s): F. Guardiani

Enr: 15	Resp: 14							Retake: 69%
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Mean
Presents	0	0	0	42	35	14	7	4.9
Explains	0	0	0	7	35	50	7	5.6
Communicates	0	0	0	7	21	28	42	6.1
Teaching	0	0	0	7	21	42	28	5.9
Workload	0	0	7	71	14	7	0	4.2
Difficulty	0	0	7	57	35	0	0	4.3
Learn Exp	0	0	0	60	30	0	10	4.6

Students enjoyed Guardiani's classes. He was always available to answer questions and give extra help.

ITA 390H1F The Commedia dell'Arte

Instructor(s): G. Colli

Enr: 32	Resp: 28							Retake: 89%
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Mean
Presents	0	0	0	32	21	32	14	5.3
Explains	0	0	0	25	32	21	21	5.4
Communicates	0	0	0	3	17	25	53	6.3
Teaching	0	0	0	11	14	37	37	6.0
Workload	0	3	17	75	3	0	0	3.8
Difficulty	0	0	21	75	0	3	0	3.9
Learn Exp	0	0	5	16	27	16	33	5.6

Students found the course quite enjoyable. Colli was described as a nice instructor who was very enthusiastic, approachable and entertaining.

ITA 415H1S Drama in Performance

Instructor(s): G. Colli

Enr: 10	Resp: 9							Retake: 100%
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Mean
Presents	0	0	0	0	55	22	22	5.7
Explains	0	0	0	0	22	33	44	6.2
Communicates	0	0	0	0	11	33	55	6.4
Teaching	0	0	0	0	0	77	22	6.2
Workload	0	0	0	77	22	0	0	4.2
Difficulty	0	0	0	88	11	0	0	4.1
Learn Exp	0	0	0	33	22	22	22	5.3

Students felt that Colli performed very well.