Texas Tech University

Fall 2023, SASW SOC 1301 Introduction To Sociology Section 1 Instructor: Koch, Jerome (Primary)



There were: 190 possible respondents.

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1	1 Instructor followed course objectives	95	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.5	83%	14%	2%	1%	0%
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2	2 Overall Instructor effectiveness	95	4.8	4.5	4.3	4.3	83%	14%	1%	2%	0%
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3	3 Course a valuable learning experience	95	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.3	82%	13%	3%	2%	0%

Instructor	or Text Responses					
	Question: Comments instructor or course					
Koch	best prof for sociology!!!!!!					
Koch	Absolutely amazing class with an amazing professor! I would recommend him and his class to anyone, and wish I could take more classes with him. The lectures are so interesting, everything is clearly outlined and conveyed, and he will do whatever he can to make sure his students are successful (within reason, of course).					
Koch	I am a junior who is in the process of switching majors. I have had a lot of professors and teachers in my life, but none of them are as good or caring as Dr. Koch. He is incredibly kind and always takes the time to talk to you should you want to. He has great stories that relate the topics he teaches about in very digestable and often heartfelt ways. It is a rather large lecture hall but I have enjoyed being in his class more than any other at my time at Texas Tech.					
Koch	Professor Koch is a very professor as he taught sociology in a very efficient and understanding way. I truly enjoyed his class as he made the class interesting by talking about the topic and associating those topics to real life scenarios which truly helped me to understand the content even better. For the first time, if I could take a class again, I would take this class again.					
Koch	Very straightforward class with a fun professor.					
Koch	Dr. Koch is probably the best professor ive ever had. He made the class so interesting and fun. This class would be a $10/10$ in my ratings					
Koch	None					
Koch	Great magician					
Koch	great professor!! definitely made it fun and was good at keeping us all engaged! very understanding and repeats anything you didn't get.					
Koch	Amazing course					
Koch	Best Class this semester! I very much enjoyed the content in this class and the professor. Koch was very personable and entertaining during his lectures. I did not need this class for my major but I would take another course of his!					
Koch	I know Mr. Koch is retiring but he was one of my favorite professors of the semester. He often made the class light- hearted despite the heavy topics that were covered in class. I think this class is the perfect introduction to sociology. It allows students to deeply grasp concepts that we see in our day to day and think about the world around us. overall I enjoyed how introspective this class was for individuals. I hope to see other professors who try to deeply connect students to their topics in the future.					
Koch	I have enjoyed listening to your stories this semester, and I have loved getting to know more about this subject! Thank you!					
Koch	Great professor! If I could, I would definitely take his class again or any other class he teaches.					

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Koch	He was very helpful and made the course extremely easy to navigate and understand.
Koch	The professor was great, his lectures were always interesting and left me thinking after class.
Koch	talented, brilliant, incredible, amazing, show stopping, spectacular, never the same, totally unique, completely not ever been done before, unafraid to reference or not reference.
Koch	How teaching really made you think after a lecture, I personally question things now with more of a humanist approach
Koch	The lectures were interesting. The class was straightforward and it was clear what was needed from the first day of class.
Koch	He was a GREAT professor and made all lectures very enjoyable and easy to understand all the material. the material was very straight to the point and was easy to access.
Koch	Dr.Koch specifically is an amazing professor and made class interesting every single time and truly puts his all into his class. I hope he teaches other classes as well I would love to take another class by him!
Koch	He was great. Passionate about teaching and interacted with the class.
Koch	Dr. Koch is an amazing person and an amazing teacher and I always look forward to going to his classes every Tuesday and Thursday.
Koch	The professor is overall really nice and it's always funny how he inserts a joke in the beginning of the class.
Koch	Very chill, makes information easy to understand, I actually learned some valuable life lessons in his class.
Koch	I felt that the stories told in class could've been shortened.
Koch	thank you for a great semester and all the fun times and laughs
Koch	I loved this class and the professor. He interacted with the class and made it an enjoyable learning experience. The exams tested our knowledge well and didnt stray from material learned in class. The other coursework engaged our minds and were mainly opinion based sociology questions that helped us understand the lesson better. Dr. Koch is an amazing professor.
Koch	great professor
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Koch	N/A
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Koch	This class was very interesting and I enjoyed it.
Koch	It was great! Teaching strategy was amazing.
Koch	Professor Koch was very involving of all of his students. He explains concepts and theories in a way that connects everything together for students. I would definitely recommend this course to other students with this professor.
Koch	Personally I love this man, he made class to fun and enjoyable I've never loved a class more it was difficult at some points but he tired his best to make it understandable
Koch	He was amazing!
Koch	I recommend providing a way to have CC on lecture recordings, but other than that I loved the energy he brought and the ways he kept things interesting and not so boring. He was a great help when you needed it and provided good material/ sources for his students.
Koch	Professor Koch is an incredible teacher. He made every class enjoyable and interesting. Would highly recommend!
Koch	I really like how much you incorporated humor and your own experiences into the lectures. It made the course more entertaining and helped me stay engaged throughout the lecture despite being an hour and twenty minutes long.
Koch	I loved this class. The instructor made this class really fun. He is really funny.

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Koch	Dr. Koch is outstanding. He achieved all of his proposed goals, including teaching us where to look instead of how to think. This course was invaluable to my life experience. This course does not even count toward my degree plan but I would take this course AGAIN if I could. The only change I would propose for the class would be to make it slightly harder because some of my fellow classmates did not get enough out of the class. I cannot stress enough that I believe Dr. Kochs sociology 1301 should be a required class for all majors. Thank you Dr. Koch.						
Koch	I enjoyed this class. Dr. Koch did an excellent job teaching, and the content was really amazing! I would highly recommend this course to anyone!						
Koch	His overall teaching style is engaging. He has good dad jokes and magic tricks which is a bonus.						
Koch	Dr. Koch is an amazing speaker and I looked forward to class every Tuesday and Thursday. He is well spoken and promotes real learning by pushing students perspectives, covering edgy topics, and maintaining ambiguous opinion.						
Koch	I dont agree with hardly anything that Koch says, but he is a great orator and he finds a way of weaving in personal anecdotes that aid in understanding an overall concept. I thoroughly enjoy listening to his lectures and I feel that I learn something every time I leave his classroom.						
Koch	Very Engaging teacher, loved the magic tricks, Lecture quizzes were my only pet peeve as some things didnt stick out during the lecture that were on the quizzes						
Koch	I loved this class, it was so eye-opening and educational. Amazing professor.						
Koch	Amazing teacher that is dedicated to his students and work.						
Koch	Professor Koch was helpful, nice, and cares about the success of his students. Overall enjoyable class.						
Koch	Koch is easily one of my favorite instructors. The passion that he has for sociology is evident in his teachings. Koch makes an atmosphere in the class where people of different backgrounds and opinion can have honest and productive conversation. There honestly was not one day of class where I did not learn something. He takes our time here at Tech serious, and for that I am grateful to him.						
Koch	Seriously the best professor on campus.						
Koch	Thank you Dr. Koch						
Koch	I was nervous at first for this class, but Dr. Koch made it easy to understand with the stories and examples. Overall - I really liked his class!						
Koch	Great teacher						
Koch	this course was super awesome and amazing						
Koch	I never expected to enjoy a sociology class but the teacher made it very enlightening and made me look forward for class.						

Koch	Dr. Koch is a once in a lifetime professor, truly values his work and likes interacting with his students. By far. my favorite class of the semester.
Koch	My favorite teacher at Tech. He put his all and made the class fun by doing some magic trickks. 100/100.
Koch	He made his lectures fun and entertaining. He actually gave people a reason to show up to class! He also does extra credit, which is very generous.
Koch	I think Dr. Koch was good at teaching, but I felt like I knew everything we were talking about
Koch	This was the best class Ive ever taken and he made it very easy to learn and pick up the course objective.
Koch	I love this teacher! He makes class something I actually look forward to.
Koch	none
Koch	Lectures were very interesting, and easy to follow up.
Koch	Very smart man, I wish I got to know him better I feel like he really cares about his students and helps out his students as much as he can when there is no lack of responsibility or character on the students end.
Koch	BEST PROFESSOR EVER !!! Loved his class and the coursework. Such a fun and enjoyable class!
Koch	A great teacher. Very thoughtful and caring. He always makes his lectures fun to listen
Koch	Ive never heard someone give such interesting lectures as Dr.Koch. I really really enjoyed all of his lectures. Great guy and a great Professor!
Koch	The first part of the course is the most important because most of the test questions are about things that we learned in that section. At the beginning of the semester his lectures were good, but as the class went on, his lectures became confusing and off topic. In addition, the audio recording are such a pain, because if I miss a part in the notes, the audio will not let me skip to that part of the lecture to listen to it.
Koch	very fun and interesting class!
Koch	It was a good class.
Koch	Dr. Koch was effective in keeping the class engaged and making them think deeper about their own beliefs.
Koch	I felt that students were at times singled out in negative ways to get his point across. The course itself was easy and the music and stories always started out the class on a positive note.
Koch	I loved the dad jokes opening each class, and usually the tangents were interesting. I didnt appreciate the false information about religion, specifically Christianity, and the fact that when those opinions were presented, if the other perspective was presented at all, it would be shown in a bad light. I think for the future he should consider presenting both sides in neutral terms.
Koch	Was really good in explaining lectures, and going over test materials.
Koch	I absolutely loved this course, and especially Dr. Koch. He made the class ands content extremely enjoyable! I would recommend this course to anybody.
Koch	He made the lectures fun and interesting.
Koch	Dr. Koch was one of the best professors I have had. His lectures were interesting and engaging and I felt that I learned a lot throughout the semester.
Koch	Professor is amazing
Koch	Favorite professor so far, loved everything he had to say and really made the lecture room feel magical.
Koch	I really enjoyed this professor I like his lectures and I felt I was very in touch with the class.
Koch	good class
Koch	I loved eveything about this course.
Koch	Not an easy course but having Dr. Koch as a professor is well worth it. So kind and funny, and the work is easy when you dedicate the time to learn the content he provides. I would easily take this class again just to have Dr. Koch again.
Koch	He did a great job, very easy going, very easy to talk to, very effective professor.
Koch	Love this professor, makes lectures worth attending

Koch	Great class.
Koch	Dr. Kochs lectures were the most entertaining and interactive lectures I have experienced. His lectures are light and funny yet valuable.
Koch	Good teacher.
Koch	Good professor he taught me a lot.
Koch	Loved this class so much. Great Professor!
Koch	Sometimes the professor would get off topic. Overall this has been a really good course to take.
Koch	The instructor is good and the course was very easy to complete.