

Course evaluation results

Computer Programming Languages and Algorithms in Bioinformatics, 2ECTS

Circle one number for each question

1. Overall how do you rate the course?

poor 1 2 3 4 5 excellent

5: 30% (3)

4: 40% (4)

3: 30% (3)

Average: 4.0

Comment:

2. Did the course meet your expectations?

not at all 1 2 3 4 5 completely

5: 40% (4)

4: 40% (4)

3: 20% (2)

Average: 4.2

Comment:

3. How do you rate the degree of difficulty of the course?

too hard 1 2 3 4 5 too easy

3: 10% (1)

2: 50% (5)

1: 40% (4)

Average: 1.7

Comment:

4. Did the course teach you skills that are relevant for your future research?

not at all 1 2 3 4 5 very relevant

5: 40% (4)

4: 20% (2)

3: 20% (2)

2: 20% (2)

Average: 3.8

Comment:

5. Were the lectures helpful?

not at all 1 2 3 4 5 very helpful

5: 40% (4)

4: 40% (4)

3: 20% (2)

Average: 4.2

Comment:

6. How do you rate the performance of the lecturer (clear, well structured, engaging)?

poor 1 2 3 4 5 excellent

5: 50% (5)

4: 40% (4)

3: 10% (1)

Average: 4.4

Comment:

7. Were the labs helpful?

not at all 1 2 3 4 5 very helpful

5: 70% (7)

4: 20% (2)

3: 10% (1)

Average: 4.6

Comment:

9. Suggestions to improve the course:

- More basic examples in lectures and labs to help the beginners.
- A tutorial to help with the basic syntax of Perl
- More supervisors on the labs to help those that are stuck
- Maybe the course should run longer than a week to help digest the topic
- Cover more bioinformatics in the lab (e.g. Gene Ontology with BioPerl)

10. General comments:

- It's not that often that bioinformatics courses comes around. Especially the ones that gives you practical knowledge!