

## **APBI 315 Student Evaluation 2009-2010**

Course APBI 315  
Title Animal Welfare and the Ethics of Animal Use  
Instructors David Fraser and Daniel Weary

### **Mean evaluation** (scale of 1 to 5)

1. The clarity of the instructor's expectations of learning. **4.80**
2. The fairness of the instructor's assessment of learning (exams, essays, etc.). **4.86**
3. The instructor's ability to communicate the course content effectively. **4.93**
4. The instructor's ability to inspire interest in the course. **4.87**
5. The instructor's concern for students' learning. **4.73**
6. The overall quality of the instructor's teaching. **4.93**

### **Q15 - Would you recommend this course to others? Please state why or why not.**

Yes, it was interesting and the workload was reasonable.

Yes, it opened my eyes up to a lot of animal welfare issues that I wasn't aware of, and it allowed me to make my own judgment on animal welfare issues without being too skewed...

Yes. I learned a lot and got to research topics that were of interest to me.

Yes! Great course!

YES! The course was very interesting and applicable to current events. I feel that a lot of people could benefit from learning its information.

Yes. Anyone in any discipline. This course is relevant for all humans and I think would interest many.

Yes, this course brings up many unaddressed issue that are affected by our actions in everyday life, yet so little is understood by so many.

Yes! I learned SO MUCH and it really inspired me in many different ways.

I would recommend this course to others. It was a very enjoyable course. The material covered we very interesting, and the work assigned was challeging but very interesting.

Yes-it is a great course to take whether you have a passion for animals or not.

Yes I would recommend this course to others, because the professors are experts in the field AND enjoy teaching, which is difficult to find. Their enthusiasm and passion for animal welfare makes the class extremely interesting and rewarding.

I would 100% recommend this course to any UBC student ... This class was the most enlightening, as well as challenging, course I have taken at UBC. Taking APBI 315 was one of the best decisions I have made in my university career thus far.

Yes, I have already talked about it to just about everyone I know! I can't emphasize enough how much I enjoyed taking this course...

I definitely would, as it is not really a lecture you are attending, but rather a session where animal welfare topics are discussed, which makes for effective learning.

Absolutely 100% YES! It is a challenging course, but Dr. Fraser and Dr. Weary make it fun and extremely interesting. They encourage you to think about the issues and to formulate your own opinions. They are completely knowledgeable and are both wonderful professors.

Yes and No. I loved the course. However as a science student, I generally need my electives to be a GPA boost, and this course was quite a lot of work for an elective. So basically I would tell my friends: this is an amazing course, I learned a lot, but its not for easy marks.