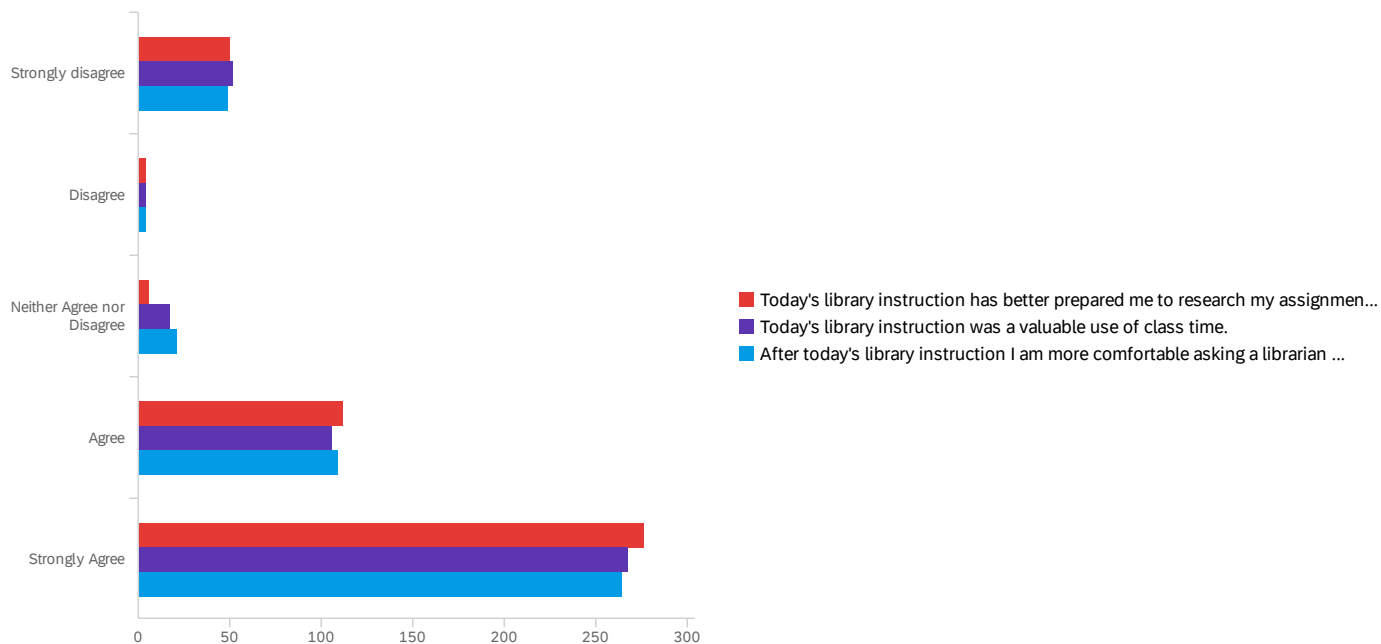


# 2015 SOLI Report

Student Opinion of Library Instruction (SOLI)

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## 7 - To what extent do you agree with the following statements:



#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Today's library instruction has better prepared me to research my assignments for this class.	1.00	6.00	5.13	1.57	2.47	449
2	Today's library instruction was a valuable use of class time.	1.00	6.00	5.07	1.60	2.57	447
3	After today's library instruction I am more comfortable asking a librarian for help with my research.	1.00	6.00	5.08	1.57	2.46	448

#	Field	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total
1	Today's library instruction has better prepared me to research my assignments for this class.	11.14% 50	0.89% 4	1.34% 6	24.94% 112	61.69% 277	449
2	Today's library instruction was a valuable use of class time.	11.63% 52	0.89% 4	3.80% 17	23.71% 106	59.96% 268	447
4	After today's library instruction I am more comfortable asking a librarian for help with my research.	10.94% 49	0.89% 4	4.69% 21	24.33% 109	59.15% 265	448

## 8 - What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for improving this course?

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

The class was very informative. I'm still not sure about finding some of the sources outside of this library.

Instructor was very thorough in the explanation of the different resources as well as how to navigate them. An improvement that could be made is asking for questions; students, unless prompted, are not likely to ask questions on their own.

I do not have anything negative to say about the session today during my class period. I found it informative and helpful for my research paper due at the end of the semester. I will most likely be using the chat box used to directly talk to librarians for help. I found him informational knowledgeable and helpful.

Mr Holt did a fantastic job

I felt that you did a wonderful job informing my class on all the resources we have at our finger tips at VSU. Thank you!

He did a great job. No need for improvement.

Nothing, he made the librarians seem really approachable and chill and I like that I feel more comfortable going to the librarians for guidance.

Nothing.

Nothing. He was great and very informative. I would definitely go to him for help if/when I need it.

I think Emily Rogers could present in a slightly more interactive way. Otherwise it was very helpful and informative.

She did a great job explaining ways to navigate the digital and physical catalog system. She asked us on several occasions if there was anything we were confused about, and answered those questions thoroughly.

Nothing. She was very kind and helpful and spoke clearly. What more would you need?

I believe she did great but if Ms. Rogers was a little more aggressive then I think I would have been able to pay more attention and learn more.

Good Job!

none!

She was very knowledgeable and helpful. She provided us with information and guidance for future research projects.

Possibly speak louder. The information was clear and easy to understand, but it wasn't too engaging. (I'm not sure how engaging this kind of class can be, though.)

Tell me something I don't know

No suggestions. Wonderfully instructive course as always.

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

You did a very good job. Thank you for teaching me how to use research tools that are provided for me here at VSU.

N/A great day of instruction

nothing

I think this session was very helpful and I am more prepared to do my research for my paper in English 2060.

I've done this before numerous times. Sorry, but I think that our class time would have been better spent learning about something that didn't have a number of videos that could guide us if we happened to have any questions...

The course was very useful.

None - she did great.

She was great.

Great class! Thank you for taking time out of your day to help us in our studies.

Everything was good

thanks

I think that he should talk slower.

Keep up the good work!! :)

Nothing, he explained everything very clearly.

He was great. The only thing that I might say is to slow down.

I liked the instruction. You did a very good job, didn't go to fast, and this quiz makes sure that the students were paying attention.

Use discover research guide and one other to show the differences

You did perfect

Please speak louder and try to connect with the class more. I became bored and distracted myself with facebook to stay awake.

All of the instruction can be explained in half the time rather than an hour.

I have trouble thinking of something that he needs to do differently.

He was very polite and energetic about the information he was saying. It was nice to see how pumped he was, but at the same time he was very professional and helped explain the search engine extremely well.

To go more in depth with finding a good topic to research about and excluding hard topics that do not provide much information in the database.

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

She did absolutely amazing and I have no real suggestions for her to improve on. I think she should keep doing exactly what she is doing because it obviously works and I really enjoyed listening to her.

I do not think there was anything she could do to improve. The information given was all useful and using classmates topics as examples to search was extremely helpful.

None. She did a fantastic job.

Nothing, she was wonderful and very insightful and helpful! :)

N/A

He was perfect. He even helped me find the exact article I was looking for.

Nothing at all you did a great job

None, excellent presentation and very helpful!! Thank You.

He did good.

A little long-winded at times. Try to cut straight to the point, this is a library tutorial not a comedy club lol. Also, try not to get side-tracked. Overall I really appreciate your enthusiasm, and vast knowledge of the library. Thank you!

I think he did a wonderful job of explaining because I didn't know how to use some of the things he pointed out today so that was very helpful.

Nothing he did an outstanding job today.

None, amazing session, very informative and helpful!

dID GREAT

Slightly slower delivery of information.

It was efficient and effective as is.

Provide more examples and go further in detail when explaining the steps.

Find a way to make students more involved.

Really great, love your personality and enthusiasm. You make libraries look fun.

great job!

did great

No extra suggestions, i feel you properly equipped me with knowledge of the library.

printed guides on how to access each website and what uses those websites have.

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

N/A

N/A

No suggestions at this time, as this session was extremely helpful and I cannot identify any area for improvements.

She did very well but I'm still not completely sure how to find info on my topic

really great thanks for your time

she is great!!!!

Get a nametag that reads "Research Genie"

None. I found it very interesting and enjoyed the opportunity to learn more and further research my topic.

no

He was fantastic! I learned a great deal on how to research better and the importance of key words.

Did a fantastic job, this was my first encounter.

I think he did exceptional in his explanations.

Was made slightly less useful due to ESCPO being down. But that wasn't Brett's fault.

Give better examples of how to narrow down researching topic under the databases.

great course, well paced and provided a lot of useful tips.

keep on keepin on. good work!!

n/a

Brett did a very good job.

none

Did great

HE IS VERY GOOD AT EXPLAINING WHAT HE IS DOING BUT SOMETIMES HE MOVES A LITTLE QUICKLY. OTHER THAN THAT HE IS EXCELLENT

I cannot think of any suggestions for improving this course, because I believe he covered all the subjects he needed to, in an efficient way. He has a good tone of voice and I can tell he is well-prepared and knows about what he is talking about.

Slow Down a notch

Very good presentation and explanation of the research materials. Maybe go a little slower, but as stated very good. No need for any major changes.

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

I appreciated this session, very helpful

This course was very helpful. Brett went around the class after the lesson and helped us all out individually

Nothing really he was very helpful!

None, he did an excellent job at preparing us for research and making resources available for us

Nothing. Great job! Never fully understood Galileo until now. Great job Bret!

Nothing. The course provided plenty of instruction for future research.

Nothing at all. He did a very well job.

I do not have many suggestions, I think that he did pretty well. There were some things I did not know about research that he helped with.

He spoke perfect and clearly, Great job !

He was interesting while teaching. Not boring at all. I learned more about the library and how to research because of him.

It was good presentation

Nothing he did a great job.

That you help me in how to research my papers in the future.

No suggestions, he did great.

None! Good Job!

N/A

Nothing. He did excellent.

She did a fanominal job and I am very glad and thankful we had her

Wonderful job! So helpful, thank you so much!

nothing

None. She did great. Thank you!

it works pretty well. I think that there aren't many problems with the program.

none

Keep up the good work!

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

Mr. Holt did very well on teaching our class on how to use the Gailelo research method.

None, super friendly and very approachable and very knowledgeable!!!

No suggestions.

It was great!

She did an excellent job explaining

She did a great job! Very clear and was willing to help if confused! Really helpful!

I do not have any suggestions. Laura was great. She was attentive, patient, and she knew what she was talking about while giving us instructions.

Nothing, I believe the course was very helpful.

None

none

Nothing. She was really good at answering the questions we had for her even though when they were not related to odum library.

I would suggest more examples. She probably did enough, but it takes me seeing things a couple times. Other than that, she was amazing!

I really like the presentation she was very good at answering everyone's question I wish it was a little earlier in the day so i could have been more interactive because all of the information was very helpful.

Great Job!

No suggestions! Great lesson!!

Cover APA citations more please.

None, you did an awesome job!

None, thank you

I think she did an awesome job, and I do not have any suggestions!

Slow down when moving from website to website to give students more time to follow instruction.

Enjoyed it!

Make it more interactive.

I thought the course was very helpful. I can't think of any suggestions.

Thank you so much for helping us begin our research process. This was so helpful. I will contact you if I have any other questions regarding research.

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

Thank you for the help! The handouts and questions were a help to understand the path I should go down in future research.

I really received some great information today that I previously did not know about for researching topics in the library and through the online databases. I feel very comfortable now with navigating to these types of things, and I am way more confident now with researching for my paper.

They were pretty great about everything. They didn't speed through the course and made sure everybody was on the same page.

I accidently put strongly disagree the first time, very sorry every piece of information was vital. Thanks again

Nothing, i think they both did a very good job helping us students with researching our topics.

Nothing, the course went over all the ways I can get sources. I found at least 4 sources for my paper just this morning.

focus on only a few different databases rather than literally all of them...I would rather be proficient at maybe 4 or 5

The class was very informative and showed how to effectively use the library's resources.

You both did a great job and I see that you both are willing to go through great extents to get us whatever information needed.

I have no suggestions at this time; I received good information and can now better navigate the Odum online resource.

None

You did a great job.

I feel she did very well and don't see anything she needs to improve on.

Good Lecture on reference search

The presentation was too fast! I couldn't even begin to take notes. It was overwhelming!

NONE SHE EXPLAINED EVERYTHING WELL. SHE WAS WILLING TO STOP IN THE MIDDLE OF INSTRUCTION TO HELP STUDENTS CATCH UP AND UNDERSTAND HOW TO USE THE VARIOUS RESOURCES.

nothing

Nothing outstanding instructor!!!

She was great and really took her time to help us get a better understanding of the Odum Library website and ways to find good articles for our research papers.

A little more professional would be helpful. More in language. Used the word 'like' a good amount when not necessary

Slow down.

Very Friendly! Very helpful!

She was a great instructor and very helpful.



What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

Nothing, she was great in assisting and showing the steps to finding what we need

She did great

Move slower

Keep up the good work!

Include more examples using students topics. This would give another perspective other than just the normal searches for the class.

I have none

Mrs. Davis did a great job showing me and the class how to navigate all the options we have to find data for our research paper. I would not change a thing in her presentation.

Awesome job, very helpful and made it easier to understand!

Keep up the good work.

N/A

I have no suggestions. She provided me with valuable help that I will be very grateful for when it comes to writing my research paper.

none

nothing at all.

She was amazing

Get the class more involved.

None, you killed it.

I am good at paying attention but that does not mean I cannot get bored. I feel as though he could have just been a little bit more upbeat. I am glad I stayed focused because I did learn new things that I think were useful.

Mr. Holt was great he answer any question one might have and explain numerous things about the the library use online.

Nothing he covered everything that i might need with great detail.

I think he did a great job, he is a great communicator and relays his opinions eloquently.

Well done, i appreciate the help in instruction for how to research more thoroughly.

hope you feel better soon

N/A, Great instruction given and very helpful.

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

I think he did a wonderful job.

I really enjoyed his lesson. And i think that maybe next time he should give more detail explanations on where to search and how to find sources.

I have no suggestions. Thank you for helping me out. You were very helpful.

I have none, he did an amazing job with the course. Great Job! :)

He did an excellent job and I am better prepared for my research.

Keep up the optimism.

Good job :)

No suggestions, did a great job with the lesson and I have learned a lot.

none

This was a very informative course.

talk slower

Nothing should be changed. You did very well at passing along the information.

everything was good! Thank you

Nothing, it was good!

Make sure everyone is alert even though it is rough being awake at 8:00AM in a dark classroom.

No improvements needed

No suggestions.

N/A. He did very well with his instruction on everything.

None

He was awesome! Thank you so much for the resources you have provided!

Speak a little slower and clear. Also give students extra time to navigate the website.

Speaking more clearly towards the students. She did a good job but I was in the back and couldn't hear her very well.

She did an excellent job only thing she might could improve on is not going through some of the material so quickly. She did a great job though!

She did an amazing job, I leaned a lot

What suggestions would you give [QID4-ChoiceGroup-SelectedChoices] for impr...

No suggestion. You did a great job given the time frame.

There is no need for improvement.

None. Everything was well explained.

Speak Louder.

Great job! Well explained.

I can't think of any improvements. Everything that was discussed today was helpful.

None, they did a fine job.

it was very informational in helping me with my topic and how to search it.

They were perfect :)

Great work! Very Informational.

Great Work!

Micheal Holt is a wonderful instructor. I have personally went to him for one on one sessions and I appreciate his enthusiasm and helpfulness.

I think that he did a really good job

none. the information made it a little easier to understand how to go about finding more information. Straight to the point

NA

none, he did pretty well

The lesson was very helpful, I would not change a thing.

He did a great job!

yes

I was not aware of all the help the librarians offer, and also of some of the different ways to use the research engines. This class was very helpful.

Wonderful instruction. Will be helpful in future research.

**End of Report**

