TA Evaluation* for Esma Ozer: ECON 497 (Applied and Computational Economics)

Please describe your TA's strengths. Please provide examples where applicable.	What specific concepts or skills did you learn from the TA that enhanced your understanding of the course material? Please provide examples where applicable.	Please describe any other feedback you have for the TA.
She was able to identify issues in code and explain solutions clearly.	Loops, else if statements, and other basic knowledge on R code	N/a
She is able to explain complex topic in a easy to understand way.	R the programming language she was really knownlodgeable so she would teach it well.	N/A
Ms. Ozer excelled as a teaching assistant through her understanding, supportive nature, and exceptional accessibility. She demonstrated a deep empathy for students' challenges, providing tailored assistance during office hours and beyond. For instance, when I struggled with a challenging problems understanding the function required for my regression, she broke down the steps methodically, ensuring I understood each part before moving on. Her ability to communicate complex ideas clearly, often using relatable examples, made difficult concepts more accessible, such as when she used Venn diagrams to explain the same in the regression analysis. Additionally, her prompt and insightful feedback during the project was invaluable; she met with me multiple times to discuss my progress, significantly refining my proposal. Ms. Ozer's encouragement and motivation inspired students to push their boundaries and think critically. Her dedication to fostering a positive learning environment greatly contributed to the academic success and personal growth of her students.	Ms. Ozer significantly enhanced my understanding of statistical analysis in our economics class by effectively teaching key concepts and skills through creative methods. She improved my grasp of data cleaning and visualization by using real-world datasets, demonstrating how to handle missing values and create clear, informative graphs. Her explanations of regression analysis were particularly impactful; she also used relatable analogies to illustrate complex ideas which was extremely helpful. Additionally, her detailed breakdown of hypothesis testing and confidence intervals, using practical examples from our coursework, made these concepts much more accessible. Ms. Ozer also emphasized the importance of effective data visualization, encouraging us to create various types of plots to explore and present our data clearly. Her holistic approach, which included challenging us to think critically about the real-world implications of our findings, greatly enhanced my understanding and application of statistical methods in economics.	Overall, my experience with Ms. Ozer was very positive. She consistently demonstrated a deep understanding of the course material and was always willing to go the extra mile to help students. Ms. Ozer's dedication and approachable nature made a significant impact on my understanding of statistical analysis and my overall enjoyment of the course.
The TA was extremely knowledgeable and made a strong effort to help the students not only with the assignment but also with broader concepts. However, I faced some difficulty due to a language barrier, as the TA was not fluent in English.	The TA helped me understand the coding aspect of the class which is very crucial.	TA is very understanding and sweet.
The TA was very helpful, cooperative, and understanding. She dedicated herself fully to assisting the students, ensuring they understood not only the homework but also the overall course material and other helpful concepts.	Specifically, she helped me understand R programming, which significantly enhanced my ability to analyze data and apply statistical methods within the course. For example, she provided clear explanations and practical examples on topics such as data manipulation with dplyr, data visualization with ggplot2, and implementing regression models. This hands-on guidance made complex concepts more accessible and improved my overall proficiency in R.	The TA is extremely sweet and knowledgeable. You can approach her without any hesitation, and she is very quick at responding as well.

* The TA conducted the survey after the semester ended. The total number of people who took this course was 14.