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Course evaluation and course report Third cycle education

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Course evaluations

PhD courses at MedFarm

Medical Epidemiology

- 1 week course on campus (except 2020 online)
- Yearly since 2009

Evaluations

- We have a high response rate, 100% the last 5 years
- Allow time in the schedule for students to complete the evaluation
- Ask for honest feedback

Anonymous responses

- Separate questions that cannot be anonymised from questions that should be anonymised

Use the poll function in Zoom or separate evaluation forms

1. Did you experience any problems related with Zoom (connection/function)? (Multiple choice)

No problems	(0/0) 0%
Connection problems	(0/0) 0%
Sound problems	(0/0) 0%
Video problems	(0/0) 0%
Other	(0/0) 0%

1. Reasons for attending the course

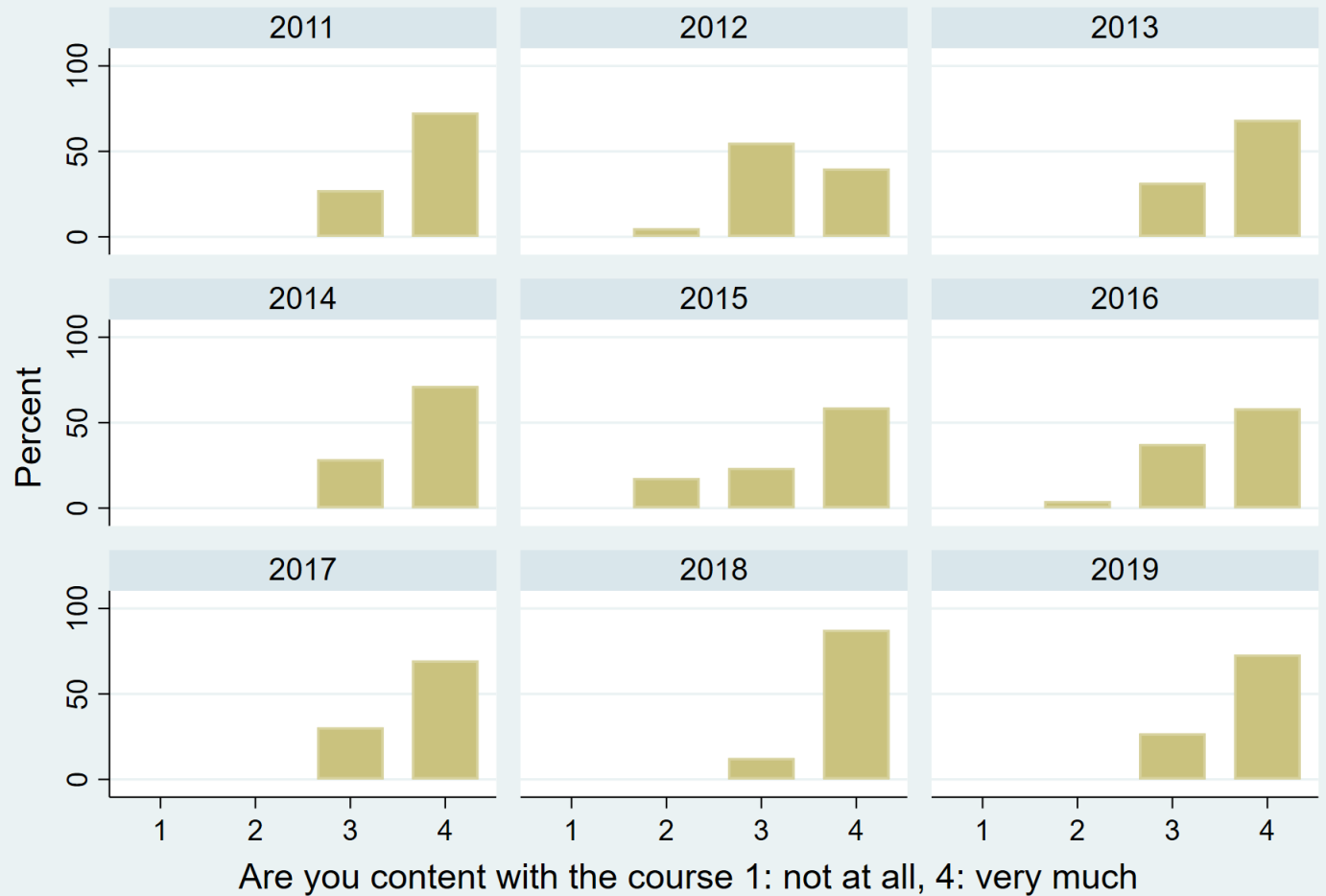
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2. the course					
3. the description of goals					
4. the lectures					
5. the seminars (workshops)					



Medical Epidemiology 2011-2019




Graphs by year

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The course...



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6. yielded knowledge of relevance for your research project				
7. was held at a teaching level matching your training				
8. was concluded with an adequate examination				

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Important to match level of teaching with level of training

But also – for a student to select a course that matches their level of training!

Was the course held at a teaching level matching your training?	Are you content with the course 1: not at all, 4: very much			Total
	2	3	4	
1	1 100.00	0 0.00	0 0.00	1 100.00
2	2 10.00	12 60.00	6 30.00	20 100.00
3	2 2.42	38 38.38	59 59.60	99 100.00
4	0 0.00	9 12.00	66 88.00	75 100.00
Total	5 2.56	59 30.26	131 67.18	195 100.00

You asked for it...

- One or two things that you thought was good
- One or two things that you think could be improved
- Any particular comments!

You asked for it...

Some examples are rather old.

What you thought

I think the first day or two were a bit heavy and assumed a lot of pre-knowledge that I didn't have about terminology.

- One or two things that you think could be improved

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Comments!

Fruit is nice but we need more than that with our coffee...

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workshops!

at you the

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Better to not have a
group examination task
(a general comment to
PhD courses at
MedFarm).

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The course report

- The course report is a new concept to me
 - Good feature is that we should reflect upon evaluation responses and take actions if deemed appropriate
 - Some issues are difficult to address (more courses, longer courses, more workshops) – dependent on availability of teaching facilities etc.

Questions

- Feedback to students
 - When and how to give feedback on course evaluations to the students?
- Other types of course evaluations
 - Formativa kursvärderingar, possible in shorter courses as well?