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**LRC 576 – Teacher Research**

**Data Collection**

Below is a sample of the quantitative survey that will be available for LRC 320 students in an online survey tool called Qualtric. I will ask LRC 320 students to take the survey at the mid semester point. The survey will be anonymous.

Below the survey are the interview questions that I will administer on 3 to 5 student volunteers in the course selected at random to gather my qualitative data. I will interview them remotely through Skype or Google+ and record the interviews with Camtasia. I will then transcribe and code the interviews.

**Survey Questions for Student’s Perspective on the Online Course***(The radio response buttons are off at this point, but will be cleaned up in the survey tool.)*

**Design:**   
Please help us understand your experience with the overall design of the course.

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| How would you rate… | Extremely Poor (1) | Below Average (2) | Average (3) | Above Average (4) | Excellent (5) |
| The course introduction?  The getting started instructions? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The rate the syllabus? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The grading criteria explanation? |  |  |  |  |  |
| Your experience in navigating through the course content? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The overall course organization or flow? |  |  |  |  |  |

**Objectives:**   
Please help us understand your experience with the learning objectives.

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| How would you rate… | Extremely Poor (1) | Below Average (2) | Average (3) | Above Average (4) | Excellent (5) |
| The learning objectives for the entire course?  The learning objectives for each module? |  |  |  |  |  |
| Based on the learning objectives, were you able to understand what you were going to learn in each module? |  |  |  |  |  |

**Assessment:**   
Tell us your experience with course quizzes, assignments and activities.

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| How would you rate… | Extremely Poor (1) | Below Average (2) | Average (3) | Above Average (4) | Excellent (5) |
| The effectiveness of the quizzes in assessing what you learned?  The effectiveness of the activities in demonstrating what you have learned? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The course assignments in helping to strengthen your knowledge of course topics? |  |  |  |  |  |

**Materials:**   
Please help us understand your experience with the course coverage and materials used.

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| How would you rate… | Extremely Poor (1) | Below Average (2) | Average (3) | Above Average (4) | Excellent (5) |
| The course in sufficiently covering the topics? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The course instructional modules and resources? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The course readings and reference materials helping you to understand the course topics? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The ways of learning the material? |  |  |  |  |  |

**Support:**   
Let us know your experience with course support.

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| How would you rate… | Extremely Poor (1) | Below Average (2) | Average (3) | Above Average (4) | Excellent (5) |
| Your experience with the course's instructional and technical support? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The instructor and the TA’s responsiveness to your questions? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The instructor's or TA’s feedback in a timely manner? |  |  |  |  |  |
| The instructor's or TA’s feedback on your assignments? |  |  |  |  |  |
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**Engagement:**   
Please rate the following:

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| How would you rate… | Extremely Poor (1) | Below Average (2) | Average (3) | Above Average (4) | Excellent (5) |
| This course for the value it will bring to your career? |  |  |  |  |  |
| This course in meeting the stated learning objectives? |  |  |  |  |  |
| Did this course meet your expectations?  The discussions in helping you to succeed in this course? |  |  |  |  |  |

**Feedback:**   
Please provide us with any comments or suggestions regarding the course.

**Interview Questions for Student’s Perspective on the Online Course**

Have you ever taken an online course before LRC 320? If so, could you talk about your past experience with online courses?

How was your overall experience/impression of the LRC 320 online course? Give examples.

Were you able to navigate through the course to find what you needed? Why or why not?

Did you find the learning objectives for the course helpful? Why or why not?

How did the assignments help you to learn the content in the LRC 320 course?

Were the materials/resources for the LRC 320 sufficient in covering the topics? Why or why not?

Describe the support you received from the instructional staff.

Describe how the discussions contributed to your experience in the LRC 320 course.

Explain how the LRC course did or did not meet your expectations.

Explain how the LRC will help you in your future career path.