

# “319 International NASE-IAU Astrobiology Course”

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## Questionnaire

### Discipline:



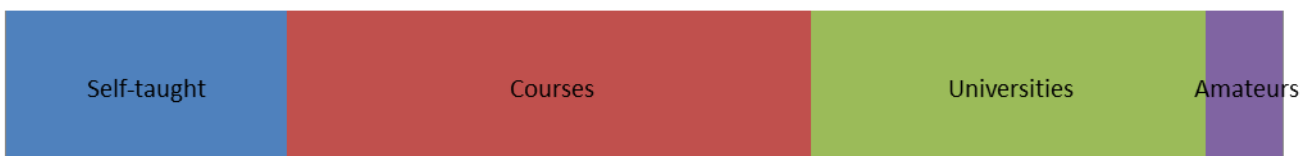
### Level:



### Is this school your first contact with astronomy?



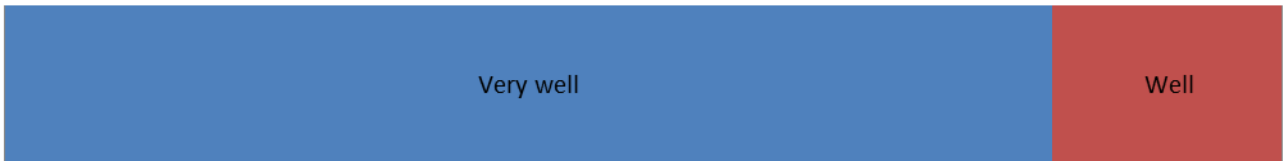
### If no, what is your background in astronomy?



### What was the cause for participating in this course?



**What do you think of the choice of dates?**



**What about duration?**



**What do you think of the organization of the day (and night) in four different types of activities: conferences, working groups, workshops, observations?**



**What kind of activities have preferred?**



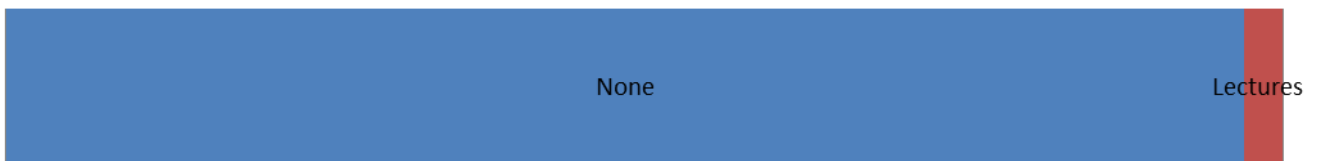
### What kind of activities you like less?



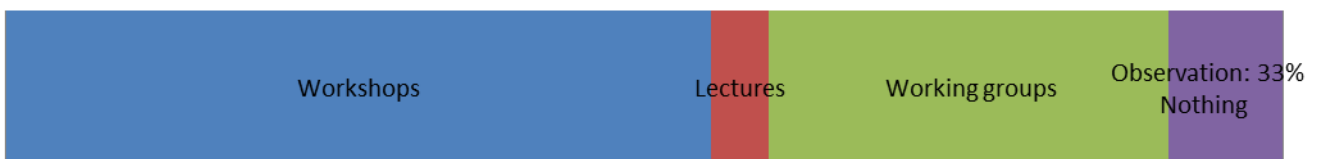
### The subjects, have met your expectations?



### What would you delete?



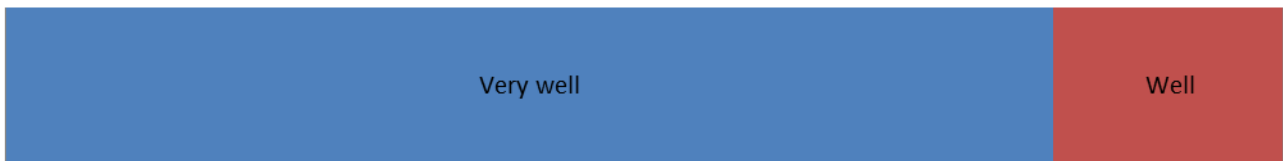
### What would you add?



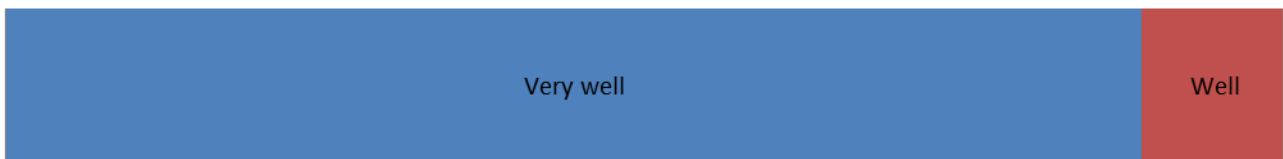
### The level of activities has been:



**What is your opinion about the teaching methods of teachers?**



**What is your opinion about NASE web?**



**What is your opinion about coordination between different activities?**



**What is your overall opinion of the course related to:**

**a) Exchanges and contacts with other participants?**



**b) What is your opinion about the usefulness of the course to their teaching?**



**What especially criticize?**

- The time. Not enough for the Subject.
- Sadly we didn't had the time to do all the workshops
- None
- The order of activities.
- More practice for the participants
- I have nothing to criticize
- More instructions should be given for the experiments, more notes for the lectures.
- The duration of the course
- Nothing
- I would like some workshops that were in working groups
- I wish there was more time for workshops and hands-on experience.
- It was too interesting and demanding at the same time. I think it was difficult toope with such a heavy program.
- None
- I' d prefer a 2-day duration with more practicing and experimenting
- I want much more time to do everything with my hand
- The duration was too short
- We didn't work in groups. We share some tools for our individual work instead.
- I would split the seminar into two days because everything was very valuable but needed a lot of time. So I believe it could be expanded into 2 days and each day have shorter sessions.
- Lectures
- I prefer more time to learn to make things.

- Short time for workshops
- I wish there was more time for workshops

### **What you would value more?**

- The models of the solar system and astrobiology.
- The various workshops in every subject.
- The simple experiments
- The inspiration we've learned!
- Great presentations, clever ideas and experiments with simple materials.
- The demonstrational approach to the seminar
- More working group
- To have other event courses.
- The great work of the activities on the NASE platform
- The variety of activities
- Very useful
- All
- The passion of program contributors to diffuse their thoughts and experience on teaching astronomy.
- All models were excellent, but I prefer the experience of Photosynthesis.
- The interaction between the participants and the organizers, the fruitful discussions and the inspiring workshops.
- Loved the toilet paper AU and planets fruit scale
- The exercises in the lab were the best part of the meeting.
- It was hands on. Excellent work. Come again for a second course!
- I found very useful the teaching tools we learned to explain astronomical phenomenon in my classroom
- The immediacy of the tutors and simplicity of methods suggested.
- The idea to teach astronomy to students of high school
- Spectrometry
- Workshops and working groups
- The experiment with the Doppler's phenomenon. I had in mind only the theoretical model which was never enough! Finally I saw the Doppler's phenomenon with my eyes! Thank you for that. Plus, the fact that all the material can be found in the kitchen/house is super valuable. But the most valuable element was the passion that Rosa had for her subject. Well done! That was extremely inspiring!
- Working group
- The cooperation with other participants
- The variety of activities
- I particularly liked the diversity of the topics taught and the different workshops presented in each topic.

### **Other observations (it is important to have them!)**

- Activities concerning the tools for estimations. More time in order to construct and use them and enough time for the astronomer in order to make us realize the dimensions of his work with exoplanets.
- I liked especially the different approaches and the diversity of the subjects
- Better present less familiar topics first.
- Longer seminar duration and exchange ideas with colleagues from other countries.
- To give lessons and time for general discussion on each subject and activities.
- We would likely to see what happens to the teaching of astronomy in other countries
- It was very disappointing that we didn't make all the workshops though we had the materials required.
- Training activities are a crucial part of the program. Perhaps videos with sound explaining in detail the presented activities (in English at least) would be practically useful.
- I wish for another workshop, in the form of a Laboratory, or Summer School with stargazing.
- I know it may be difficult to find the time, but I think it would be nice if the course was split in two days with more time for discussions and collaboration.
- We left behind a lot of things to discuss perhaps another time, in a follow-up meeting...
- Need more astronomy at Greek schools.
- I hope to participate again in such an interesting workshop!
- I would like more time for workshops and working groups.
- It was very interesting to learn from Mis Ros.
- The theory in certain lectures was a little difficult.