



Office of Institutional Analysis, University of Calgary

Instructors and USRIs

How to see results in PowerBI

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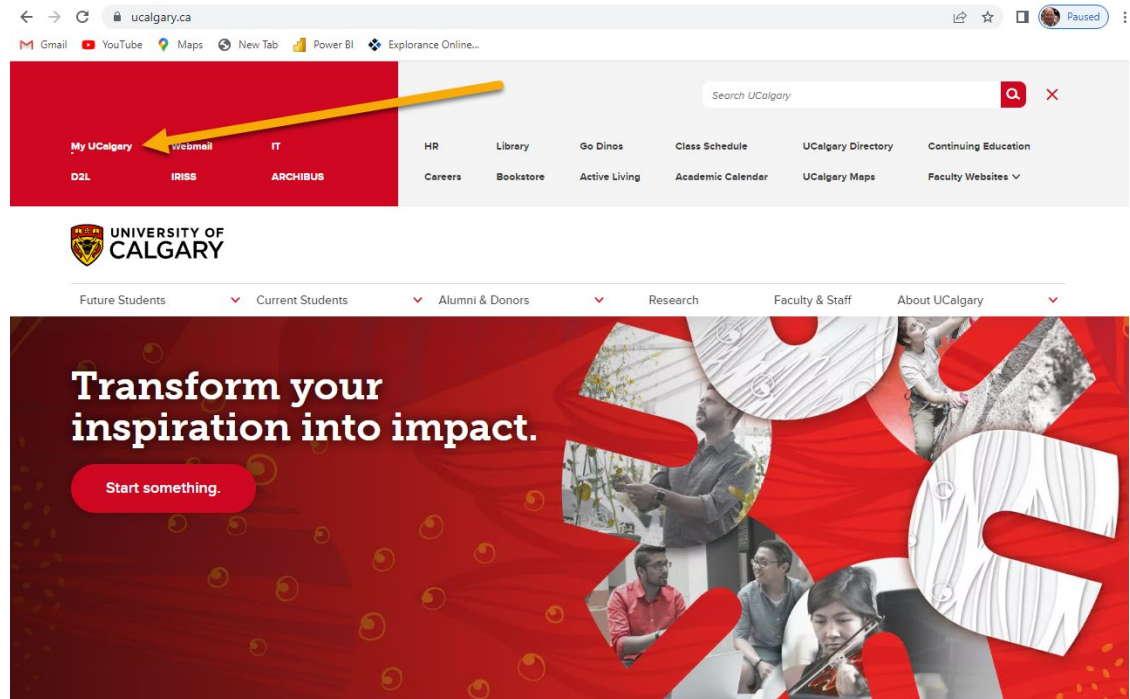
What is the USRI & what is changing?

- Universal Student Ratings of Instruction (USRI) is a method of gathering quantitative course feedback from students.
- As of early 2023, the platform for reporting has changed from a Cognos (IBM) platform to a PowerBI (Microsoft) platform.
 - This change bring changes in navigation to see reports.

How to see results

Step 1

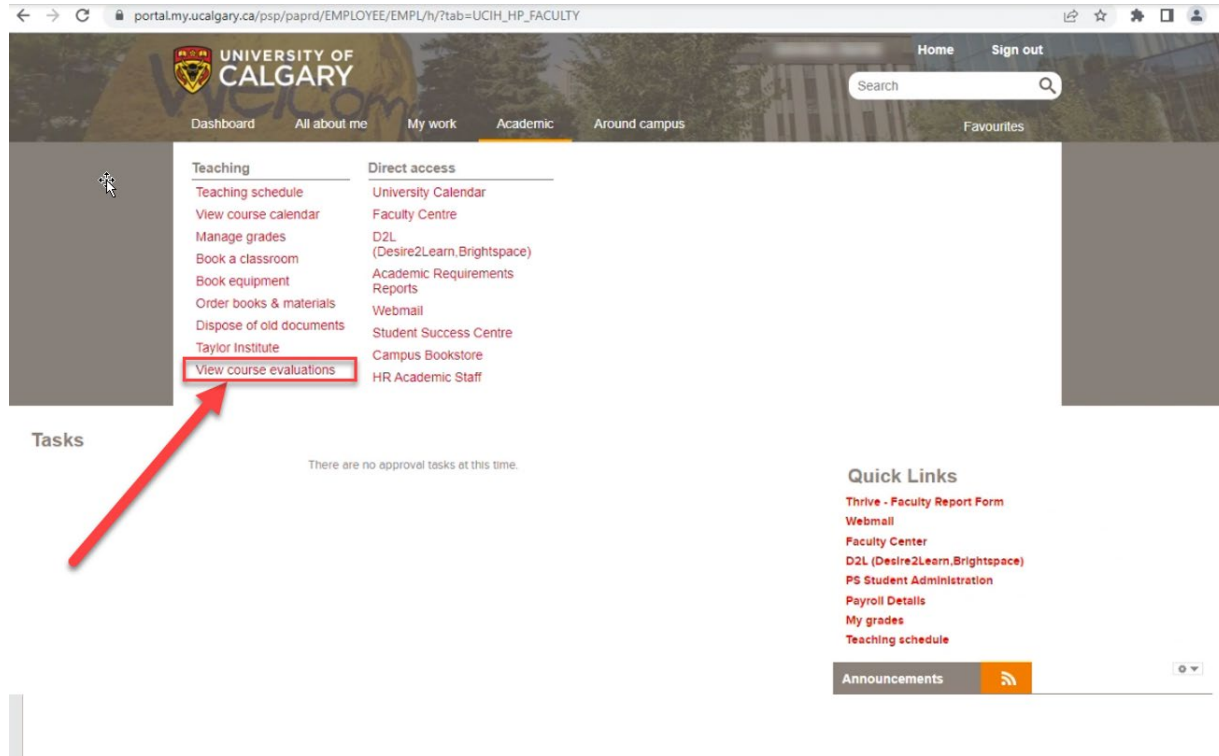
- Go to www.ucalgary.ca/ and Login to your My UCalgary.



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Step 2

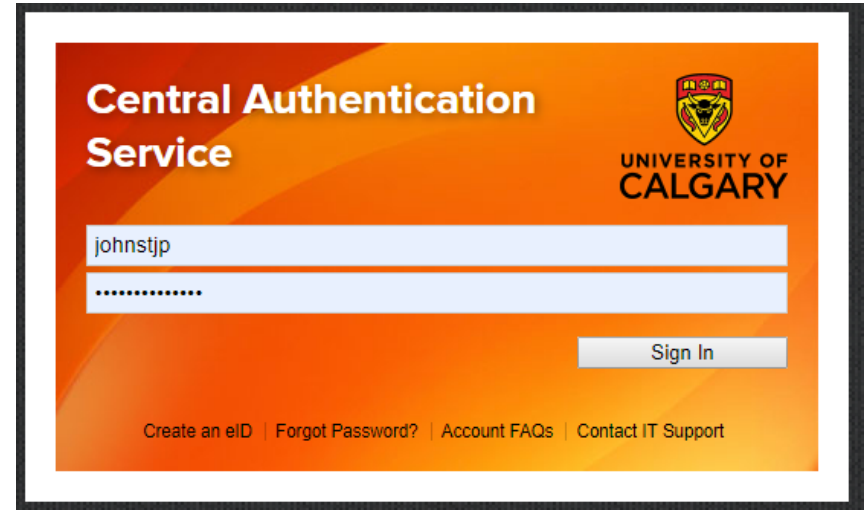
- Go to Academic > Teaching and then click on the “View course evaluations” link.



The screenshot shows the University of Calgary portal interface. The browser address bar displays the URL: `portal.my.ucalgary.ca/psp/paprd/EMPLOYEE/EMPL/h?tab=UCIH_HP_FACULTY`. The portal header includes the University of Calgary logo, navigation tabs (Dashboard, All about me, My work, Academic, Around campus), a search bar, and a 'Sign out' link. The 'Academic' tab is selected. A left-hand menu lists various links under the 'Teaching' section, with 'View course evaluations' highlighted by a red box and a red arrow pointing to it. Other links in the 'Teaching' section include Teaching schedule, View course calendar, Manage grades, Book a classroom, Book equipment, Order books & materials, Dispose of old documents, Taylor Institute, and View course evaluations. The 'Direct access' section lists links such as University Calendar, Faculty Centre, D2L (Desire2Learn.Brightspace), Academic Requirements Reports, Webmail, Student Success Centre, Campus Bookstore, and HR Academic Staff. The 'Tasks' section indicates 'There are no approval tasks at this time.' The 'Quick Links' section on the right lists links like Thrive - Faculty Report Form, Webmail, Faculty Center, D2L (Desire2Learn.Brightspace), PS Student Administration, Payroll Details, My grades, and Teaching schedule. The bottom of the page features an 'Announcements' section with a feed icon.

Step 3

- Login with your IT username and password and with 2 factor authentication



The screenshot shows a login interface with an orange and yellow gradient background. At the top left, the text "Central Authentication Service" is displayed in white. At the top right is the University of Calgary logo and name. Below the title, there are two input fields: the first contains the username "johnstjp" and the second contains a masked password ".....". A "Sign In" button is located to the right of the password field. At the bottom, there are four links: "Create an eID", "Forgot Password?", "Account FAQs", and "Contact IT Support".

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Step 4

- Find the row for the course & section # you want, in that row right click on the “Survey Release Indicator” and then go to “Drill Through” and select “Printer PDF Version”

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USRI Instructor Report

USRI Instructors' Report

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Winter survey results to be available on May 15th

Available Ratings For Instructor: [Redacted]

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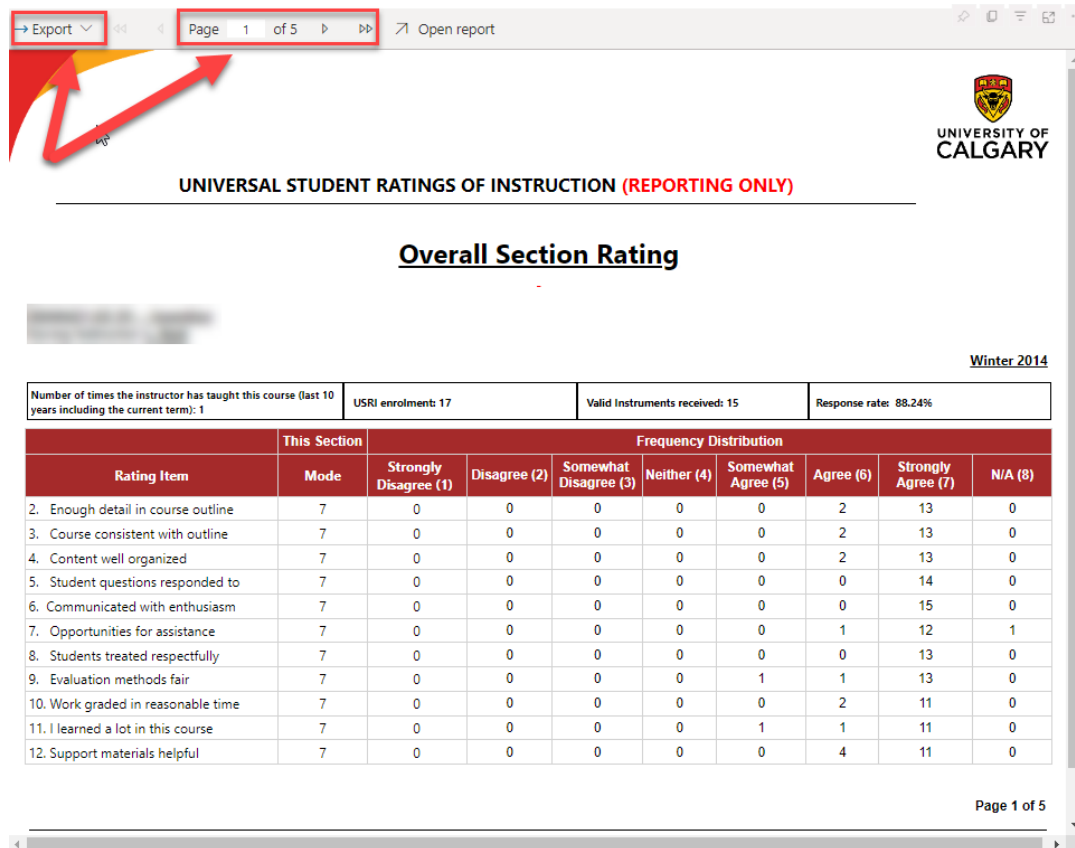
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Winter 2015		LEC 01	Invention	Invention	Releasable
Winter 2014		LEC 01	Invention	Invention	Releasable
Winter 2012		LEC 01	Geology of the Mountain Regions of Western Canada	Geology of the Mountain Regions of Western Canada	Releasable
Fall 2011		LEC 01	Principles of Geology & Goph I	Principles of Geology & Goph I	Releasable
Fall 2010		LEC 02	Principles of Geology & Goph I	Historical Survey	Releasable
Winter 2010		LEC 01	Geology of the Mountain Regions of Western Canada	Historical Survey	Not
Fall 2009		LEC 02	Principles of Geology & Goph I	Historical Survey	Releasable
Winter 2009		LEC 01	Geology of the Mountain Regions of Western Canada	Historical Survey	Releasable
Fall 2008		LEC 01	Principles of Geology & Goph I	Historical Survey	Releasable
Winter 2008		LEC 02	Principles of Geology & Goph I	Historical Survey	Releasable
Winter 2007		LEC 01	Glyc Of Mtn Regions Of W Canada	Historical Survey	Releasable
Fall 2006		LEC 01	Glyc Of Mtn Regions Of W Canada	Historical Survey	Releasable
Winter 2006		LEC 01	Principles of Geology & Goph I	Historical Survey	Releasable
Winter 2006		LAB B03	Intro To Geologic Field Methods	Historical Survey	Releasable
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Drill through

Printer PDF Version

How to see results

- The Printer PDF version gives you the option to navigate through 5 web pages and includes demographic data and an interpretation guide providing context and additional information
- You can export to PDF and save the file to your computer (about 10 pages in total)



UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY

UNIVERSAL STUDENT RATINGS OF INSTRUCTION (REPORTING ONLY)

Overall Section Rating

Winter 2014

Number of times the instructor has taught this course (last 10 years including the current term): 1	USRI enrolment: 17	Valid Instruments received: 15	Response rate: 88.24%
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Rating Item	This Section Mode	Frequency Distribution							
		Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Somewhat Disagree (3)	Neither (4)	Somewhat Agree (5)	Agree (6)	Strongly Agree (7)	N/A (8)
2. Enough detail in course outline	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	13	0
3. Course consistent with outline	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	13	0
4. Content well organized	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	13	0
5. Student questions responded to	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0
6. Communicated with enthusiasm	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0
7. Opportunities for assistance	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	1
8. Students treated respectfully	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
9. Evaluation methods fair	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	13	0
10. Work graded in reasonable time	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	0
11. I learned a lot in this course	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	11	0
12. Support materials helpful	7	0	0	0	0	0	4	11	0

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How to see results

- You can also see your results for courses prior to Summer 2020 in a historical format that uses Mean (average) instead of Mode (most frequently selected) and includes question 2.1
- In PowerBI, use the navigation options on the left column to select “USRI Instructor Historical Report”.

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USRI Instructor Historical Report - Historical

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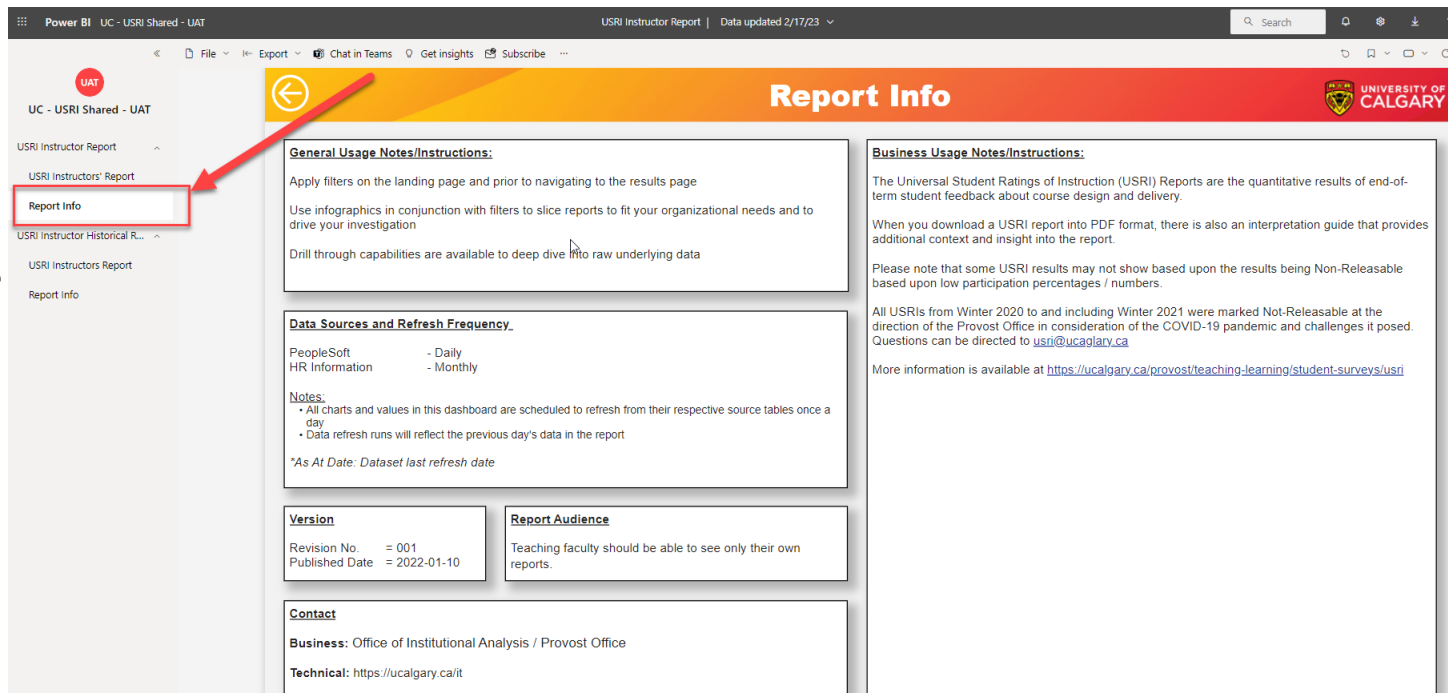
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How to see results

- Use the navigation options on the left column to go to Report Info
- This provides information about the report



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General Usage Notes/Instructions:

Apply filters on the landing page and prior to navigating to the results page

Use infographics in conjunction with filters to slice reports to fit your organizational needs and to drive your investigation

Drill through capabilities are available to deep dive into raw underlying data

Data Sources and Refresh Frequency:

PeopleSoft	- Daily
HR Information	- Monthly

Notes:

- All charts and values in this dashboard are scheduled to refresh from their respective source tables once a day
- Data refresh runs will reflect the previous day's data in the report

*As At Date: Dataset last refresh date

Version

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Report Audience

Teaching faculty should be able to see only their own reports.

Contact

Business: Office of Institutional Analysis / Provost Office

Technical: <https://ucalgary.ca/it>

Business Usage Notes/Instructions:

The Universal Student Ratings of Instruction (USRI) Reports are the quantitative results of end-of-term student feedback about course design and delivery.

When you download a USRI report into PDF format, there is also an interpretation guide that provides additional context and insight into the report.

Please note that some USRI results may not show based upon the results being Non-Releasable based upon low participation percentages / numbers.

All USRIs from Winter 2020 to and including Winter 2021 were marked Not-Releasable at the direction of the Provost Office in consideration of the COVID-19 pandemic and challenges it posed. Questions can be directed to usri@ucalgary.ca

More information is available at <https://ucalgary.ca/provost/teaching-learning/student-surveys/usri>

What else is important about course feedback?

- In order for USRI results to be releasable other than to the instructor, two conditions must both be met:
 - There must be at least 8 students responding
 - The number of responses must be at least 20% of enrolled students
- All USRIs from Winter 2020 to and including Winter 2021 were hardcoded as Not Releasable (regardless of response rate) as per the Provost and in consideration of challenges posed by the Covid-19 pandemic.
 - These reports may only be seen by the instructor they pertain to.

Support and for other questions

- Email usri@ucalgary.ca
- Website www.ucalgary.ca/usri