



UC RIVERSIDE - Student Evaluation of Instructor, Discussion Courses - Winter 2015

Course: MATH 004 Section: 012
Instructor: Jacob Richard West

Enrollment: 21
Respondents: 12
Response Rate: 57%

Enrollment: 4090
Respondents: 3059
Response Rate: 75%

Enrollment: 38635
Respondents: 30048
Response Rate: 78%

Questions	Course								Department			Campus				
	<u>7</u> High	<u>6</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u> Low	<u>N/A</u>	Mean	SD	% tile	Mean	SD	% tile	Mean	SD
1 Provides goals and objectives in his/her presentations.	9	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.6	0.9	86	6.0	1.4	88	6.0	1.3
2 Is well prepared and clearly organized.	11	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.8	0.9	94	6.0	1.4	94	6.1	1.3
3 Thoroughly understands the subject matter.	11	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.8	0.9	93	6.2	1.2	94	6.2	1.2
4 Explains the relevancy of the material.	9	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.6	0.9	88	6.0	1.3	89	6.1	1.3
5 Clarifies lecture and readings	10	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	6.6	1.0	85	6.1	1.3	89	6.0	1.4
6 Encourages me to participate and/or ask questions.	9	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	6.5	1.0	81	6.0	1.4	86	6.0	1.4
7 Uses language appropriate to the level of the course.	10	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.7	0.9	86	6.3	1.1	90	6.2	1.2
8 Gives useful feedback on assignments and exams.	9	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	6.5	1.0	83	6.0	1.4	86	6.0	1.4
9 Effectively manages the classroom environment	10	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	6.7	0.9	89	6.1	1.3	92	6.1	1.3
10 Motivates me to do my best.	7	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	6.3	1.0	80	5.9	1.4	81	5.9	1.5
11 Is accessible and helpful during office hours.	9	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.6	0.9	86	6.2	1.3	88	6.1	1.3
12 Is approachable - his/her demeanor encourages interaction.	11	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.8	0.9	93	6.2	1.3	94	6.1	1.3
13 Encourages and respects diverse perspectives.	10	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.7	0.9	86	6.2	1.2	90	6.2	1.2
14 Appropriately handles sensitive situations and/or inappropriate student comments.	9	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	6.5	1.0	77	6.2	1.2	84	6.2	1.2
15 Creates and maintains a tolerant learning environment.	10	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.7	0.9	87	6.3	1.2	90	6.2	1.2
16 Command of English language does not impede my learning the material. (This question is not applicable in foreign language sections.)	10	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	6.7	0.9	85	6.5	1.0	92	6.3	1.2
17 Overall, is an effective teacher.	10	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	6.7	0.9	89	6.1	1.3	92	6.1	1.3

* The number of N/A is not included in the Mean and S.D. calculation.



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Question # 18: YOUR CONSTRUCTIVE COMMENTS ON YOUR GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR'S TEACHING SKILLS ARE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT. PLEASE WRITE YOUR COMMENTS IN THE TEXTBOX BELOW. PLEASE LIMIT YOUR COMMENTS TO 2000 CHARACTERS.

- I really like how he is energized and very helpful. When we go over examples or he helps me one on one I feel good about trying on my own after. I like his attitude which helps me interact more with the class.
- Jacob is ready to become what he chooses to be. He knows the math, has the skill, and is approachable. Jacob is great, and if more professors were like him, I would never think about missing class. I see no flaws whatsoever.
- I love him! NICE! PERFECT!
- I thought Jacob was a great Teaching Assistant. When preparing for a Quiz he made use of the time and explained the problems well. He answered any questions that we had and provided help when needed. Considering the fact that the Professor only had us doing worksheets I believe Jacob had great input when we were stuck with a math problem. He is also very approachable so I personally felt comfortable asking him any question regarding a math problem i didn't understand in Lecture or from the worksheet.
- Mr. West was a very great TA. He helped the students a lot with explanations.
- Jacob was a great teacher and was very helpful as well as knowledgeable about the material he taught. Class was always very straightforward and he did a good job in getting students to interact with each other. He was an excellent instructor and i have no complaints whatsoever.
- the greatest T.A. ever. This guy is super helpful and showed he cared about his students.