

Course Evaluation - Instructor Interface[Course List](#)[Logout](#)**Instructors: List Stats for course**[Course List](#)**Course Name:** MATH2200L: DIFF CALC LAB**Call Number:** 91-426**Period:** 12:20P-01:10P W**Semester:** Fall 2005**Instructor:** P BERGONIO**Evaluation Start Date:** 28 Nov 2005**Evaluation End Date:** 10 Dec 2005

Current stats for that class:

1. Please tell us your major.

8;50.0% Business
 0;0.0% Education
 0;0.0% Mathematics
 7;43.8% Science (other than Mathematics)
 1;6.3% Other
 0;0.0% No Answer

2. The instructor was well prepared for class.

Average: 3.81250
Standard Deviation: 0.40311
 13;81.3% Strongly Agree
 3;18.8% Agree
 0;0.0% Neutral
 0;0.0% Disagree
 0;0.0% Strongly Disagree
 0;0.0% No Answer

3. The instructor used class time effectively to assist students in learning.

Average: 3.75000
Standard Deviation: 0.57735

13;81.3% Strongly Agree
 2;12.5% Agree
 1;6.3% Neutral
 0;0.0% Disagree
 0;0.0% Strongly Disagree
 0;0.0% No Answer

4. The instructor was responsive to questions in class.

Average: 3.81250
Standard Deviation: 0.40311

13;81.3% Strongly Agree
 3;18.8% Agree
 0;0.0% Neutral
 0;0.0% Disagree
 0;0.0% Strongly Disagree
 0;0.0% No Answer

5. The instructor was available for individual consultation.

Average: 3.56250
Standard Deviation: 0.72744

11;68.8% Strongly Agree

6. The instructor provided prompt and helpful feedback on lab reports.

Average: 3.43750
Standard Deviation: 0.89209

10;62.5% Strongly Agree

3;18.8% Agree

2;12.5% Neutral

0;0.0% Disagree

0;0.0% Strongly Disagree

0;0.0% No Answer

4;25.0% Agree

1;6.3% Neutral

1;6.3% Disagree

0;0.0% Strongly Disagree

0;0.0% No Answer

7. The instructor has been effective in increasing interest in mathematics and its applications.**Average:** 3.20000**Standard Deviation:** 0.77460

6;37.5% Strongly Agree

6;37.5% Agree

3;18.8% Neutral

0;0.0% Disagree

0;0.0% Strongly Disagree

1;6.3% No Answer

8. The instructor demonstrated a reasonable knowledge of Maple.**Average:** 3.81250**Standard Deviation:** 0.54391

14;87.5% Strongly Agree

1;6.3% Agree

1;6.3% Neutral

0;0.0% Disagree

0;0.0% Strongly Disagree

0;0.0% No Answer

9. Your answer to this final question, along with your other ratings and comments, will help the Mathematics Department to recognize faculty members whose teaching is truly outstanding. I rate my professor in this course as:**Average:** 3.25000**Standard Deviation:** 0.85635

8;50.0% Outstanding (exceptional teacher)

4;25.0% Superior (above average to excellent)

4;25.0% Good (a solid and competent teacher)

0;0.0% Fair (improvement needed)

0;0.0% Poor (seriously deficient)

0;0.0% No Answer

Comments:

There are 11 comments for this course:

10. Please comment briefly on specific aspects of this instructor's teaching which in your opinion particularly deserve praise and criticism such as assignments, grading, testing, methods of instruction, enthusiasm, etc.:

He was very "hands on" and helped you out a lot if you need it.

He was very helpful in explaining problems. He used class time efficiently and made Lab almost enjoyable!

i thought mr bergonio was brilliant especially in comparison to my actual calculus teacher, nadia mazza. he was extremely helpful at all times and was excellent at explaining difficult concepts and the proper usage of maple which can sometimes be very frustrating. i would advise anyone with the option to take mr. bergonio because overall he was very helpful.

Mr. Hendon would be considered an outstanding professor, but his tests are extremely challenging. In his defense everything on the test is in the notes, but he seems to make a point to breeze over the hardest things and then ask questions specifically targeting it, it is almost as though he knows we don't understand it and he wants to prove that we are not prepared for CALCULUS. This may come as a shock but we didn't all take AP calculus in high school and we all aren't 18 years old fresh out of high school. We are going to forget some things, how about helping us out. I am by no means a math prodigy, but I worked really hard in this class and I am guessing my grade is not going to reflect that. I know calculus is supposed to be challenging, but this is silly. The worst part about this class, along with most others is their lack of consistency. If the same person were to take the same class with two different professors their grade would be completely different and that seems like an area worth addressing. I didn't like the JExam's but at least it was fair.

Ms. Ettinger was always prepared for class and answered questions. Having previous calculus classes, I noticed that her teaching methods were not particularly effective. I noticed that her explanations were a little confusing. It seemed like she copied the notes from the book on the board. This was confusing for the class but she would always answer questions.

My teacher was always willing to help and very clear when explaining our assignments we had. He was extremely easy to understand and laid back. He was enthusiastic with his teaching a kind of boring class and didn't make it as boring and hard as it could have been. I had no problem with the class and would refer him to other students.

Needs to return graded material back to students sooner.

Have students answer questions to show that they truly understand what they are typing into the computer program.

Very prepared and knowledgeable about the software and the concepts being taught.

Very approachable and friendly.

Phil Bergonio is a wonderful teacher. Every time i came to class i was always anxious to learn something new and he knew how to correlate the math applications to our calculus lectures. He is very enthusiastic yet demanding and commanding of the class

Phil was always EXTREMELY helpful, knowledgeable, and patient. He was an awesome instructor.

phil was very good at answering my questions when i had specific problems with maple. he also wrote constructive criticism on the labs he returned. all in all, he was a very good instructor.

Very fair grader, he makes students learn the material well. I think he did a great job of teaching our class. He went through descriptions on the board well too.

Number of students in this course: 20

Number of evaluations for this course: 16