UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA
Department of Mathematics

Student Evaluation of Teaching*

Instructor  ROSS

Course and Section no.  242-3

Please comment below on special strengths and weaknesses of the instructor and the instructor's conduct of the course. Constructive criticism is solicited.

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Instructor  Prof. Ross

Course and Section no.  Math 242  Section 3

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Professor Ross was a very good instructor. The homework assignments were short, but still required a good understanding of the material to finish. The exams were fair in that they covered all the material. Having 1 page of notes was good too. Sometimes he goes little fast in lectures, but he answers all questions.

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Instructor  Dr. Ross

Course and Section no.  242 Section 3

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I like the way Dr. Ross teach this class. He has good methods of laying out the materials and very thoroughly on explaining the materials for this class.

He need to find simple ways to explain some other difficult techniques in Calculus. But overall he is an brilliant teacher.

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Instructor: Ross

Course and Section no: Math 242

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This was a very interesting class, and the instructor was very helpful. Ross was well-prepared for lecture and he did lots of examples on the blackboard so that the material discussed was understood by everyone in class. He explained the material very well, and quizzes were of big help for the exams. Homeworks he gave out throughout the semester were fair enough, because it helped with the exams. I would wish to have him as my instructor for Math 243.

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Ross knows his material and prepares the lectures very well. His notes and his explanations are thorough and detailed. Also includes many examples which are very helpful. Learning is easier in this class from previous years because he speaks clearly and asks us if we understand. The homework was doable and allowed us reasonable time to do it. Very good teacher.

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Instructor  David Ross

Course and Section no.  Math 242, Sec 3

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Nice professor, helpful.
Appropriate amount of HWs.
Quizzes and exams are challenging.
His handwriting is a little bit hard to read.

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Instructor: Prof. Ross

Course and Section no.: Math 242

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Prof. Ross is a great teacher who is very knowledgeable in the subject. He is easy to talk to and is always helpful when we ask questions. It was a very difficult class but with his study guides and quiz sheets, it helped tremendously on exams. Thank you Prof. Ross.

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Instructor: Dr. David Ross
Course and Section no.: Math 242-3

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His explanations of concepts were generally very clear and easy to understand. Sometimes when using overheads rather than writing on the chalk board, he would go too fast to follow, so slowing down would have been helpful.

He is very approachable and willing to help students in any way possible and his grading curve is generous. I would definitely take another course from this professor.

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The website and links were very good and helpful. Lectures were pretty drawn out (dry) and could be more problem-specific vs. doing proofs. Having students work out problems together is suggested.

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Instructor  D. Ross

Course and Section no.  Math 241C Sec 003

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- Takes the time to thoroughly explain problems and theorems, sometimes might take too much time in explanation. Fewer proofs might be helpful.
- Fair grades for exams and quizzes. Justifiable curves.
- Can grades be posted online?

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Instructor: David Roos

Course and Section no.: Math 242, Sect 3

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Way an Dr instructor some of the topics were very confusing. Way well organized for the lectures. I wish we could’ve done more practice problems in class instead of talking about theories.

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Instructor: Ross

Course and Section no.: Math 242 Section 3

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Not a very good teacher. Assigned the really hard problems for homework. Didn't really give good examples in class that would prepare us for the homework. He assumes we know and understand, but we don't.

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