Student ASE Evaluation for Robert Snellman
Department of Mathematics

MATH 20E - Vector Calculus (Sun, Hui)
Spring 2016

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 27
Number of Students Enrolled: 410

1. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor was well organized and prepared for class.

15 (55.6%): Strongly Agree
8 (29.6%): Agree
3 (11.1%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (3.7%): Not Applicable

2. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

18 (66.7%): Strongly Agree
7 (25.9%): Agree
1 (3.7%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (3.7%): Not Applicable

3. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor encouraged students to ask questions and participate in class/section.

16 (59.3%): Strongly Agree
7 (25.9%): Agree
2 (7.4%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (3.7%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (3.7%): Not Applicable
4. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor interacted well with students and treated them with respect and courtesy.

14 (51.9%): Strongly Agree  
7 (25.9%): Agree  
5 (18.5%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
1 (3.7%): Not Applicable

5. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor did not just provide answers, but taught students how to solve problems.

16 (59.3%): Strongly Agree  
8 (29.6%): Agree  
2 (7.4%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
1 (3.7%): Not Applicable

6. The section was useful and helped with the rest of the course.

16 (59.3%): Strongly Agree  
6 (22.2%): Agree  
4 (14.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
1 (3.7%): Not Applicable

7. The sections were interesting and enjoyable.

14 (51.9%): Strongly Agree  
6 (22.2%): Agree  
4 (14.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
2 (7.4%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
1 (3.7%): Not Applicable

8. I would recommend this Teaching Assistant/Tutor to other students.

15 (55.6%): Strongly Agree  
6 (22.2%): Agree  
6 (22.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
9. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?

Please provide any additional constructive comments

• Great TA! Very friendly and helpful

• Great TA.

• He is critical, and is not afraid to hurt your feelings. He holds your hand once, and expect you to be able to do it again without his help. He is the Gordon Ramsay of TAs (but quieter and perhaps nicer). If you are the kind of student who ask "Where is the syllabus?", ask for excuses, etc. avoid him like the plague. He gives out no mercy. If you are a student who is independent and can learn, he is there for you.

• He is one of the best TA's I have ever had. First of all, I can understand him and secondly, he makes everything as clear as possible. He doesn't just show the answer to someones question but takes you through all the steps and makes sure you understand why this and that is done to the problem.

• He is the best TA

• I wish most math sections would provide a review rather than just a session where the TA can answer questions.

• I've had Robert before and I was excited to have him again as a TA. He knows the material very well and explains problems and concepts well.

• Robbie was a great Teaching Assistant. He was direct in his teaching method and articulate in his explanations. He may come off as being a bit strict and frank, but to me, he's not here to be your best friend. This is the guy you're going to want to go to when you need help with the math and he'll be there for you. I can respect that, and he is reasonably polite and overall nice. He's also fair in grading. I should have came to discussions more and after bombing the second midterm it became apparent how helpful those sections are. Thanks Robbie, you did a fine job as a Teaching Assistant.

• Robert is a fantastic TA. He was very helpful. His explanations of the course material were very clear and made much more sense then the lectures. He is the only reason I passed the class and I cannot thank him enough.

• Very knowledgeable of the topic.

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