Student ASE Evaluation for Sinan Aksoy
Department of Mathematics

MATH 184A - Combinatorics (Tesler, Glenn)
Fall 2014

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 25
Number of Students Enrolled: 69

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

   19 (79.2%): Strongly Agree
   4 (16.7%): Agree
   1 (4.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
   0 (0.0%): Disagree
   0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
   0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
   1: [No Response]

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

   20 (83.3%): Strongly Agree
   3 (12.5%): Agree
   1 (4.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
   0 (0.0%): Disagree
   0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
   0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
   1: [No Response]
3. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor encouraged students to ask questions and participate in class/section.

20 (83.3%): Strongly Agree
2 (8.3%): Agree
2 (8.3%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

4. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor interacted well with students and treated them with respect and courtesy.

21 (87.5%): Strongly Agree
2 (8.3%): Agree
1 (4.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

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

19 (79.2%): Strongly Agree
4 (16.7%): Agree
1 (4.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

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

19 (79.2%): Strongly Agree
4 (16.7%): Agree
1 (4.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]
7. The sections were interesting and enjoyable.

16 (66.7%): Strongly Agree
4 (16.7%): Agree
4 (16.7%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

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

17 (70.8%): Strongly Agree
7 (29.2%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1: [No Response]

9. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?

*Please provide any additional constructive comments*

- He was slow, his section was not helpful at first. I had to go his office hour. But toward the end of the quarter, he increased his speed and able to solve more Homework problem.

- Sinan is a great TA. I enjoy his teaching style, walking through the problems step by step and leaving a bit for us to adventure for ourselves and try to figure out.

One change i would like is for him to be more accessible. His office hourse and discussion hours were on the same day, Tuesday. Seeing how the homework was due on Wednesday, this make me have to drop everything else in order to get help from him and finish the homework before the due date.

Asides from that, there is nothing i would change about how sinan helps/ his students and runs his class. He grades fairly, clearly knows the material he is going over and is an all around like able guy.

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- Sinan is basically just awesome. I feel sorry for anyone who clicked the "I did not interact with this person" when they were filling out the CAPES, because they really missed out. He's not only super nice and helpful, but he also makes you love combinatorics. Combinatorics is pretty cool to begin with, but he makes it about 10 times more awesome. Does UCSD have awards for best TA or something? Because this guy deserves to win it.

I don't know if TAs get to see these, but if you're reading this, Sinan, I just want to say: Thank you for everything!

- Sinan was a great TA! He helped all of us students very much. His taught us how to approach problems, and gave us numerous tips to consider when studying and reviewing the material. He was always willing to help with questions, and he knew the course material very well.
• Sinan was such a kind and patient TA. He could ramble a bit but he was always very helpful and clear. I liked him

• Sinan was the most helpful and knowledgeable TA that I’ve had thus far UCSD. He makes sure the students understand the material and goes out of his way to help the students. I would love to have him as my TA in my future courses.

• Very considerate and helpful to student. explaining questions clearly.

• Very nice, friendly and intelligent

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