

Ribet Math 115 F '12

Instructor

Unmarked	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total Marked	Total Forms	Average
0	0	0	0	2	7	9	13	31	31	6.1
	0	0	0	8	35	54	91	188		

Course

Unmarked	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total Marked	Total Forms	Average
0	0	0	0	1	5	15	10	31	31	6.1
	0	0	0	4	25	90	70	189		

36 enrolled

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TEACHING EVALUATION SURVEY FORM

Instructor Ken Ribet Course Math115 Semester Fall 2012
Enrolled Yes Auditing _____ Your Major Math

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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor?

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

*Good preparation for course. Awesome boardwriting.
clear and passionate lecture.
He was very willing to answer questions during the lecture and o.H.*

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Sometimes it was hard to realize what professor was trying to prove.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Highly Recommend!

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Instructor KEN. A. RIBET. Course MATH 115 Semester FALL 2012
Enrolled YES? I HOPE SO? Auditing NOPE. Your Major PHYSICS.

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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor? *dude this guy is great.*

1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

fantastic understanding of the entire course - enough so that we can be flexible and do different things in whatever order seems best. Amazing dedication towards his students. I wish I had more time to be involved more!

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

lectures are such an integral part of the course such that one misses out if one isn't there. Not really a weakness of the lecturer though.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Prof. Ribet is a cool dude! Cheers for making this entire course a great experience!

Happy face! ☺

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Instructor Ken Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fall
Enrolled Auditing _____ Your Major Comp Sci, Math, Stats
(intended)

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

lectures were very informative, but also entertaining enough to hold my attention. Very receptive to questions.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Being too awesome. Maybe not assigning as many starred homework problems?

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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Instructor Ken Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fall 2012
Enrolled Yes Auditing No Your Major Math

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

The ability to explain complex part and make great example in difficult situations

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

I think that the professor should use the computer less so we get by hand practice.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

I really enjoyed the class. Professor is smart and funny

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Instructor Ken Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fall 2012
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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor?

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

His ~~is~~ great personality & willingness to help. Always planned lectures to the detail & informed us beforehand as to what to expect.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Sometimes in class, it would be nice to hear the explanations as he writes step by step what he did. Sometimes he would say it, but not write down the steps & it would make it a little hard to understand if a student was a bit confused or lost.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

The course has no pre-requisites, yet it was assumed the students knew certain things, this wasn't the case for all of us & it was therefore harder for us.

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not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Prepared & clear lectures. Enthusiastic and helpful attitude toward students. Always willing to answer questions and help during office hours. Very approachable.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Could improve penmanship.

4. Please rate the overall *course* on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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Enrolled [check] Auditing Your Major Math

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Rating scale: 1 not at all, 2, 3, 4 moderately effective, 5, 6, 7 extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Intensely lectures, knows what he is talking about. Always addresses relevant questions. Good guy Ribet is good.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

Rating scale: 1 not at all, 2, 3, 4 moderately effective, 5, 6, 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Additional questions could require more thinking.

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Enrolled Auditing _____ Your Major Math

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not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Very prepared lectures, excited about the course, very friendly to his students. Definitely "Good Guy Ribet"

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Etchaverry is very far to walk.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Enjoy!

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Instructor Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fall
Enrolled Y Auditing _____ Your Major Computer Science

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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor?

1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

- clarity
- knowledge of subject
- interesting presentations
- networking with students
- reasonable homeworks & tests

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Course was a pleasure to take and very interesting!
Ribet is a fantastic teacher,

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Instructor Ken Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fall 2012
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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor?

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Ken is an obviously seasoned professional. He is brilliant, humorous, and approachable. He writes consistent and fair exams.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

The only complaint I have is board legibility and penmanship, which are sometimes an issue.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

I would highly ~~be~~ advise that Math 113 be a prerequisite. I took 115 and 113 concurrently and found 115 very difficult at the start.

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Instructor Kenneth Ribet Course Number Theory (Math 115) Semester fall
Enrolled Auditing _____ Your Major Mathematics

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not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

All of the above. Prof. Ribet is a great teacher and a great person.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

I don't know.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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Instructor Ribet Course 115 Semester Fall
Enrolled Auditing _____ Your Major EECS + Math

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not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Very well organized lectures, helpful during office hour, neat boardwork, everything is amazing!

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

None 😊

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Made me want to go graduate school in Math, it has been a huge pleasure, thank you!

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Instructor Ken Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fall 12
Enrolled _____ Auditing _____ Your Major CS/STAT

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1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

- Organized. Examples. willing to answer questions.
great attitude.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Provide notes since his lecture doesn't follow anything - have to study with ~~at~~ just recheck and notes.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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Instructor Kenneth P Course 115 Semester Fall
Enrolled Fall 2012 Auditing _____ Your Major Math

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

He is well prepared and a great attitude

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

N/A

4. Please rate the overall *course* on a scale of 1 to 7:

1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Its a hard course in general

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Instructor Ken Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fa 12
Enrolled Auditing _____ Your Major EECS

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

(Chose) a stuffy classroom
(got assigned)

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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Enrolled [check] Auditing Your Major Mathematics

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Rating scale: 1 not at all, 2, 3, 4 moderately effective, 5, 6 [checked], 7 extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Attitude toward students is friendly, and covers many contents

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Organization of lectures. In my opinion, following book's order is better.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

Rating scale: 1 not at all, 2, 3, 4 moderately effective, 5, 6 [checked], 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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Instructor ~~Robert~~ Ribet Course Math 115 Semester Fall 2012
Enrolled ✓ Auditing _____ Your Major Math. Stats

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not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

All of the above, especially attitude toward students and lecture content.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Maybe work on writing a little neater on the board?

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor?

Rating scale from 1 (not at all) to 7 (extremely effective), with 4 labeled as moderately effective.

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Understandably material
Accessibility

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Adding partition to the syllabus is sort of odd

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

Rating scale from 1 (not at all) to 7 (extremely effective), with 4 labeled as moderately effective.

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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Enrolled Yes Auditing No Your Major EECS

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Rating scale from 1 (not at all) to 7 (extremely effective), with 4 labeled as moderately effective.

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Handwritten response: Knows the material well, very approachable. Very receptive to questions and open to questions.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Handwritten response: Sometimes lectures don't seem as structured as they could be.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

Rating scale from 1 (not at all) to 7 (extremely effective), with 4 labeled as moderately effective.

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Handwritten response: Textbook was kind of confusing

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Instructor Ribet, Ken Course 115 Semester Fall
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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor?

not at all

moderately effective

extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Very interesting topics covered, good midterms, helpful at office hours by giving students enough hints to work with but not giving away the most "fun" part of problems that students should figure out on their own, which was very willing/enthusiastic about student questions, approachable, friendly! great!

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

~~The~~ I was not overly fond of the Sage examples ~~and~~ because ~~the computer~~ they were sometimes more confusing than enlightening. However, everything on the board was amazing and very well-motivated!

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all

moderately effective

extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Text is a bit annoying in that it rambles and algorithms were never really clearly described. But the proofs were nice and exercises very excitingly challenging. Definitely take this class with Prof. Ribet!

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

preparation, approachability, boardwork, lecture style, fair homeworks/exams, sense of humor, flexibility
~~and~~ very kind and caring toward students, helpful office hours, everything!

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

the only complaint I have is that sometimes with the ~~most~~ more difficult material, he doesn't slow down enough (at least for me) to accompany the needs of students who are having trouble following the lecture. But he's more than willing to if you ask.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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TEACHING EVALUATION SURVEY FORM

Instructor KEN RIBET Course MATH 115 Semester FALL 2012
Enrolled X Auditing Your Major APPLIED MATH

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1. Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and course, how would you rate the overall teaching effectiveness of this instructor?

Rating scale: 1 (not at all) to 7 (extremely effective). 6 is checked.

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Handwritten response: Professor Ribet is EXCELLENT in reaching out to students: via email, class lunches & breakfast, and frequent office hours. I had basically no previous knowledge coming into this course and I struggled with the material throughout. BUT, Professor Ribet's patience and accessibility allowed me to gain real insight into the material. In short, his lecturing/communicating skills, and true desire to help students is one-of-a-kind, traits that I wish more math professors had.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Handwritten response: I would have liked a little more structure to the course, largely because I was always struggling to keep up. Some things he did that helped me keep up with the material is:

- * display SAGE worksheets
* email us about the week ahead
* write Agendas on the board at the start of lecture

Handwritten note: I hope he keeps up these habits more regularly.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

Rating scale: 1 (not at all) to 7 (extremely effective). 6 is checked.

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

Handwritten response: I think if Professor Ribet wrote more on the board of what the game plan for the class is (rather than give largely oral explanations), he'd be easier to follow in lecture. He does speaking and writing half & half more in office hours, and I found this more constructive.

THANK YOU, PROFESSOR RIBET!!

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not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

office hours were well done & frequent. Homeworks were relevant.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Perhaps follow a more structured lecture plan. Sometimes I felt confused as to the aim of the current discussion until long after it was over.

4. Please rate the overall *course* on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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not at all moderately effective extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

- Motivates students to learn
- Seemed very passionate about the subject
- Genuinely cares about the students

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

- It might have just been me, but it was often hard to follow the notes written on the board. I personally like it when instructors write notes in very step-by-step manner. I often looked things up outside class to get a better understanding.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

- Thanks for the semester!!

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1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Professor Ribet is very friendly. His class is hard.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Sometimes can be very hard to follow during the lecture.

Can be slow down a little bit.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

1 not at all 2 3 4 moderately effective 5 6 7 extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, extremely knowledgeable on the subject.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Sometimes the lectures are not clear.
More example.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

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5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Prepared, good attitude towards students, willing to answer questions on multiple media. Fair midterms

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Some hwk assignments very long.
Lectures sometimes quite fast & somewhat difficult to follow
Sage sometimes difficult to follow

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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*Lecturing style and organization
online calendar and well-maintained class website*

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

I didn't really find s/he to be very helpful

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

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Very, very knowledgeable. And very open to questions and nice. Very clear.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

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Loved it!

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2. What are the instructor's strengths? (i.e. preparation and organization of lectures, content, boardwork, examples, clarity, willingness to answer questions, attitude toward students, office hours, homework, exams, grading).

Handwritten response: good home work questions, Test questions are fair. Very enthusiastic about getting to know students. Seems like a really sweet guy.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

Handwritten response: Lectures are dry, pretty much survived off learning from the hw. Perhaps use a more current book though.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

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Handwritten response: I feel like I've learned some but not much really. With a different teacher it could have been a great class.

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The instructor is so friendly and approachable.

3. What are the instructor's weaknesses? How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?

More organization of the course. I feel that reading assignments, or listing the reading to complete before class.

4. Please rate the overall course on a scale of 1 to 7:

not at all moderately effective extremely effective

5. Comments on any other relevant aspects of the course such as content, text, how it could be improved, advice to people who have to take it, etc.

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