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Subject: Course Evaluation Results for: CS 3320 001 - Charles D. Allison

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# **Course Evaluation Report**

Dear Faculty Member,

The Student Rating of Instruction system is now closed for the courses listed and your grades should all be submitted. If they are not, please work with the registrar's office immediately to submit your grades. Your detailed survey results are shown below.

Term	Division	Department	Course ID	Course	Description	Professor	Evaluations Taken	Total Enrollment	% Complete
201220	TC	CSE	CS 3320 001	13681	Numerical Software Development	Charles D. Allison	10	12	83.3

# **Demographics**

Total

Description	Response Total	Response Percent
Class Standing		
Senior	10	100%
Crse req'd for program?		
Required	5	50%
Elective	3	30%
Both	2	20%
Crse Requirement		
My Major	10	100%

### Instructor

Total Strongly Agree Agree(%) Neutral(%) Disagree(%) Strongly Disagree(%) Avg Dev 10 0 0 0 4.87 0.22

Description	Total	Strongly Agree	Agree(%)	Neutral(%)	Disagree(%)	Strongly Disagree(%)	Avg	Std Dev
Organized	10	80	20				4.80	0.42
Respectful	10	90	10				4.90	0.32
Fair	10	90	10				4.90	0.32
Clarity	10	70	30				4.70	0.48
Knowledgeable	10	100					5.00	0.00
Timely Feedback	10	90	10				4.90	0.32
Achievement Standards	9	78	22				4.78	0.44
Recommend	10	90	10				4.90	0.32

## **Comments**

Total

### Description

# Helpful

Allison is the epitome of what embodies the perfect teacher. He is absolutely an expert in the subject matter, and he stretches his students to achieve much more than they would if they were taking the class from pretty much anyone else. He is the best teacher in the CS department, and all the students who have been around for a while know it. Cloning technology needs to be improved so that he can teach the other CS classes as well.

I found the class format, of discussing a subject, and then having homework, a program and a quiz, a good way to learn.

Professor Allison gives very clear examples of what he is teaching in class and explains things very clearly. If I had a question I felt confident that he could answer my question and help me outside of class if I visited his office. He grades fair. Even though the course was challenging I felt like I learned a lot and actually enjoyed the things that I learned.

Some of the course material was very challenging to understand. Luckily Chuck is very willing to help. Surprise visits in the office are warmly welcomed, and he responds to emails very promptly, even late at night. Chuck knows the material very well.

The professor understands the material and knows where it is useful so instead of learning a bunch of possibly boring facts a student is engaged by a desire to understand and use the knowledge in the real world.

There were always very helpful examples that were done in the class. Going over

homework assignments were also a great help in helping to understand the material better.

This class was great. Having small tests was very nice. I felt like I could adequately learn everything and be well prepared.

Very helpful, learned a lot

### Suggestions

I felt like since quizzes are extra credit it would of been nice to have them before the homework so we were exposed to the problems an extra time before having to do them on our own.

I'm hesitant to make this suggestion because it's partly my own fault. It has been years since I took a math class, so it took some catching up and refreshing. There were a couple of times that I felt he went through the math too fast. This is my fault on two counts. One, I'm very capable of asking questions during and after class to clarify anything I missed. And two, I didn't prepare for the lectures as well as I am probably expected to. So this suggestion is merely something to consider. Other than me being rusty at math, I don't really have other suggestions.

None. I thought it was well planned out.

Pay this man some more money, great professor!

Some of the examples were not practiced prior to class which meant that sometimes they did not work, I would have much more enjoyed seeing them work then seeing the professor debug while in class.

The class seemed like a lot of tests and homework were all crammed into the end of the semester. Maybe move the tests up so they are more evenly spread.

The only suggestion I might have is to have assignments due a little closer to when the material has been covered... sometimes it was a little hard to remember back how to do things (though towards the end of the semester, I felt like this was not an issue). Keep up the great work, professor Allison!

Work load was a little heavy, in this class specifically. Others of his classes weren't quite so bad, but I felt like I was always doing homework for this class, non-stop.

You can also view your results in UVLink on your faculty detail schedule. Please reply to this e-mail with any questions or concerns.

Thank you!

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