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Subject: Course Evaluation Results for: CS 2300 002 - 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
201320	TC	CSE	CS 2300 002	24314	Discrete Structures I	Charles D. Allison	20	35	57.1

## **Demographics**

Total

Description	Response Total	Response Percent				
Class Standing						
Sophomore	9					
Junior	5					
Senior	4					
Freshman	1					
Crse req'd for program?						
Required	19					
Crse Requirement						
My Major	18					
General Education	1					

### Instructor

Total Strongly Agree Agree(%) Neutral(%) Disagree(%) Strongly Disagree(%) Avg Dev 4.89 0.42

Description	Total	Strongly Agree	Agree(%)	Neutral(%)	Disagree(%)	Strongly Disagree(%)		Std Dev
Organized		95	5				4.95	0.22
Respectful		95	5				4.95	0.22
Fair		95	5				4.95	0.22
Clarity		80	10	10			4.70	0.64
Knowledgeable		100					5.00	0.00
Timely Feedback		85	10		5		4.75	0.70
Achievement Standards		95	5				4.95	0.22
Recommend		90	5	5			4.85	0.48

Comments Total 0

#### Description

#### Helpful

Dr Allison is easily approachable and available. Information in class was presented in a neat and organized manner and class expectations were made clear at the beginning.

Explanations are really clear. The practice test were really helpful. I really enjoyed the class.

Great professor for a very hard course. The thing that helped me most was when was able to go talk to him during office hours and get a bit of extra help.

He expected us to do the work and go to class

He is very knowledgeable about the subject

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He really loves what he does which makes it more enjoyable as a student.

He was very capable of expressing the topics in ways that were easy for the students to understand. Very good understanding of the topic.

I don't generally fill this section out, but how could I not. Wonderful teacher, and here's why: prepared, passionate about subject, doesn't just read from the slides, teaches clearly, keeps canvas updated, respects students time by always being in class, very knowledgeable, respectful, clear expectations, gives practice tests (very, very helpful for a topic so foreign to me), hard(good hard), a teacher that "gets it". I could go on... Clearly an instructor that could make a lot more money in the industry. Thanks for teaching, I've greatly benefited!

One of the best classes I have ever had. While it had its challenges, I learned so much! The teacher when though the problems in class like I would and it made it easy to follow.

Professor Allison created a great atmosphere in the class room. His background and teaching style are great.

Professor Allison is the best! He's very knowledgeable about the course material, he knows how to clearly get the information across, and he's very friendly and helpful.

Professor Allison is wonderfully knowledgeable in the subject material, and knows how to communicate that knowledge in a way that is reliable and effective. I have taken many CS courses from 4-6 other professors, and none else compare. He is humorous, understanding, efficient, and covers all questions and material. Would recommend for any and all CS students.

Professor Allison knows and can teach this subject VERY well! this allows him to teach and help everyone understand the material.

The homework and the quizes were helpful in learing about Discrete Math. He is a hard teacher but you learn what Discrete Math is all about. I would have gotten a higher grade from a different teacher but I probably wouldn't have learn as much.

his teaching was very clear and easy to understand

knowledge from the teacher of the course material was exellent

knows his stuff, knows how to teach it.

#### Suggestions

But harder questions on the practice tests, so that when you take the test you know what to expect. I could do all the practice test questions but the questions on the test always stumped me.

I really didn't like that the homework was due before teaching how to do it in class. I also thought the homework assignments were a little too far off from what the test questions were like

I would have greatly benefited from a tutor or study session. Both of which I could have found or created on my own, but really didn't make the effort.

I would have liked more examples on mathematical/strong induction - this topic was the hardest for me to grasp.

More practice problems

None. This class was one of the most fun and worthwhile classes I have taken. Not much.

Teach more classes!

The one thing that could have made this class better is for the assigned home work problems to include some if not all odd numbered problems. As the answers to these odd numbered problems are in the back of the book I could have used it to check my work and make sure that I was doing the assignment correctly. As the class currently stands there were many times where I turned in homework and had no clue if I had done the problems correctly. This is a very difficult course and it would have been very helpful to be able to check myself. Yes some people would have abused it. However, it would have been nice to know that I wasn't doing the problem right when I was working on it so I could correct it right then and there.

it took us a long time to get feedback from the grader

none

none.

sometimes i think you know the material so well that you expect it to be easily understood by the students when sometimes it's not very well understood simply because its a hard subject. Or maybe i'm just a little slow. Either way, you're doing a great job still.

You can also view your results in UVLink on the teaching page under the faculty tab. Please reply to this e-mail with any questions or concerns.

Thank you!

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