

Rutgers University Student Instructional Rating

Summer 2024

Frolov, Lawrence - LAF230

Calculus II For Mathematical And Physical Sciences -

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Survey Form: *Standard SIRS

Enrollment: 19

University-wide Instructor Questions

Weight of responses: 1=SD (Strongly Disagree), 2=D (Disagree), 3=N (Neutral), 4=A (Agree), 5=SA (Strongly

Agree), Resp=Number of Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	SD	D	N	Α	SA	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
The instructor Lawrence Frolov was prepared for class and presented the material in an organized manner.	0	0	0	3	9	12	4.75	4.59	4.63	4.59
The instructor Lawrence Frolov responded effectively to student comments and questions.	0	0	0	3	9	12	4.75	4.75	4.65	4.57
The instructor Lawrence Frolov generated interest in the course material.	0	0	0	2	10	12	4.83	4.62	4.56	4.47
The instructor Lawrence Frolov had a positive attitude toward assisting all students in understanding course material.	0	0	0	1	11	12	4.92	4.72	4.70	4.63
The instructor Lawrence Frolov assigned grades fairly.	0	0	1	1	10	12	4.75	4.61	4.48	4.46
The instructional methods of Lawrence Frolov encouraged student learning.	0	0	0	3	9	12	4.75	4.59	4.52	4.45

Teaching Effectiveness

Weight of responses: 1=P (Poor), 2=F (Fair), 3=A (Average), 4=G (Good), 5=E (Excellent), Resp=Number of

Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	Р	F	Α	G	E	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
I rate the teaching effectiveness of the instructor Lawrence Frolov as:	0	0	0	4	9	13	4.69	4.52	4.52	4.46

University-wide Course Questions

Weight of responses: 1=SD (Strongly Disagree), 2=D (Disagree), 3=N (Neutral), 4=A (Agree), 5=SA (Strongly

Agree), Resp=Number of Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	SD	D	N	Α	SA	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
I learned a great deal in this course.	0	0	1	2	9	12	4.67	4.58	4.49	4.46
I had a strong prior interest in the subject matter and wanted to take this course.	0	3	5	3	1	12	3.17	3.47	3.21	3.45

Course Quality

Weight of responses: 1=P (Poor), 2=F (Fair), 3=A (Average), 4=G (Good), 5=E (Excellent), Resp=Number of

Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	Р	F	Α	G	E	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
I rate the overall quality of the course as:	0	1	1	5	6	13	4.23	4.23	4.19	4.20

What do you like best about this course?

These comments are intended for all instructors.

Comments

The people were very fun to be around, and Larry was very fun when he was teaching.

The atmosphere of the classroom was the best out of any class I've experienced. Mr. Frolov came into class passionate and determined to teach, which made learning the material a lot easier.1

He was realistic about what we need to remember and minimized the amount of things we need to memorize

I like the connections of topics of why certain math works the way it does. I find that interesting how something works because of Calculus 2.

It makes you think critically

If you were teaching this course, what would you do differently?

These comments are intended for all instructors.

Comments

Maybe more activity sheets!! Those definitely helped a lot

The group work we did helped me solve the problems a lot quicker. I would've done them more.

Nothing really

I wouldn't do anything differently.

nothing

In what ways, if any, has this course or the instructor Lawrence Frolov encouraged your intellectual growth and progress?

These comments are unique to the instructor Lawrence Frolov.

Comments

I really enjoyed Prof. Frolov's lecturing, he's very good. He's super engaging and is completely focused for the entire time. He's been great, could not reccomend more.

He was always extremely understanding, and tried to elaborate on stuff as much as possible. He was very kind and always willing to answer my really stupid questions.

He helped me find a new passion for mathematics. He taught our class in a way that was fun and engaging. He explained every problem in a concise, simple, and understandable way.

I think he has an engaging way of teaching and explaining things that make the concepts stick better.

Was very willingly to answer emails and help outside of class time

Lawrence explained new topics and concepts very easily by providing several examples and visualizations. Showed us how to look at problems from a different point of view than only the way we're expected to look at them.

Lawrence constantly tried different ways of interacting with us and making us engage with the material through his high energy discourse. He was always happy to answer questions and provided extremely helpful feedback during group work.

Other comments or suggestions:

These comments are intended for all instructors.

Comments

Larry was one of the best profs I have ever had

Overall very good were a few times where things were overly convoluted but that could just be due to the complexity of the course material

none