



**Student IA Evaluation for Jay Bonthius
Department of Computer Science and Engineering**

CSE 21 - Math/Algorithm&Systems Analys (Braun, Oliver)
Summer Session 2 2018

**Number of Evaluations Submitted: 14
Number of Students Enrolled: 37**

1. The Instructional Assistant was well organized and prepared for class.

10 (71.4%): Strongly Agree
4 (28.6%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

2. The Instructional Assistant consistently arrived at lecture, section/lab, office hours and exams on time.

10 (76.9%): Strongly Agree
3 (23.1%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

3. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

12 (85.7%): Strongly Agree
2 (14.3%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

4. The Instructional Assistant helped develop my thinking skills on the subject.

10 (71.4%): Strongly Agree
4 (28.6%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

5. Feedback from the Instructional Assistant on assignments, exams and/or papers was helpful and constructive.

10 (71.4%): Strongly Agree
2 (14.3%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
2 (14.3%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

6. The Instructional Assistant's explanations were appropriate, being neither too complicated nor too simple.

11 (78.6%): Strongly Agree
3 (21.4%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

7. The Instructional Assistant answered questions clearly and effectively, helping students to make connections among the course readings, assignments, and lectures.

12 (85.7%): Strongly Agree
2 (14.3%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

8. The Instructional Assistant was genuinely interested in and enthusiastic about teaching.

11 (78.6%): Strongly Agree
3 (21.4%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

9. The Instructional Assistant was accessible to students outside of class (office hours, e-mail, etc.).

12 (85.7%):	Strongly Agree
1 (7.1%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
1 (7.1%):	Not Applicable

10. The Instructional Assistant effectively connected the section/lab exercises with the material covered in lecture.

12 (85.7%):	Strongly Agree
2 (14.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

11. In terms of communication skills, did the Instructional Assistant demonstrate any of the following? (check all that apply)

12 (92.3%):	No issues
0 (0.0%):	Too quiet
0 (0.0%):	Too loud
0 (0.0%):	Too fast
0 (0.0%):	Too slow
0 (0.0%):	Poor grammar and/or English language skills
0 (0.0%):	Used filler words such as "um"
1 (7.7%):	Other (please describe)
	• GREAT COMMUNICATION INTERESTING

12. I would recommend this Instructional Assistant to other students.

11 (84.6%):	Strongly Agree
2 (15.4%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
1:	[No Response]

13. Please describe this person's greatest strengths as a Instructional Assistant.
Please keep your comments constructive and professional, abiding by the Principles of Community

- I like his vigor and teaching attitude
- It's hard to single anything out, but if I had to it would be that he very clearly cares about how well we do and takes this part of his job seriously. It's really nice to have a TA treat you like you are intelligent and important no matter how stupid your question is. It really motivates you to try your best.
- Jay is extremely enthusiastic, dedicated, intelligent, and well spoken. He is an incredible asset to the university, and it was a great opportunity to be under his instruction.
- Jay is superb at leading discussions. His handle on the material is very good, but his talent is he makes them accessible to students so we can really understand how things work. His homework assignments were really good too. He also made a 2-hour discussion pass by with ease. Seems like a really great guy, a valuable addition to any department.
- Very engaging in his explanations. Makes sure each step is clear to all his students. Makes you want to do the problem and makes you feel confident you can solve the problem.

14. Please describe this person's greatest weaknesses as a Instructional Assistant.
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- Everyone has their weaknesses, but Jay's certainly are not in anything related to his role as an instructional assistant. He was exceptional in every way!
- I'm sure there is one but I can't think of any right now, he's a great teacher and supplement to the Professor.
- Some typos in solution sets.
- Talks about himself sometimes which is funny but sometimes distracting. Adds to engagement but still can be distracting.

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?
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- :) jay is awesome
- Should go over the material besides just doing the homework
- There's not much more to say, I can't be positive enough, keep doing what you're doing, because you're doing a great job.

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