

**Student IA Evaluation for Jay Bonthius  
Department of Mathematics**

MATH 18 - Linear Algebra (Huynh, Thang L)  
Winter 2019

**Number of Evaluations Submitted: 19**  
**Number of Students Enrolled: 193**

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

13 (68.4%): Strongly Agree  
6 (31.6%): 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 presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

14 (73.7%): Strongly Agree  
5 (26.3%): Agree  
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

3. The Instructional Assistant encouraged students to ask questions and participate in class/section.

11 (57.9%): Strongly Agree  
7 (36.8%): Agree  
1 (5.3%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

4. The Instructional Assistant interacted well with students and treated them with respect and courtesy.

12 (66.7%): Strongly Agree  
6 (33.3%): 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]

5. The Instructional Assistant did not just provide answers, but taught students how to solve problems.

10 (52.6%): Strongly Agree  
8 (42.1%): Agree  
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
1 (5.3%): Not Applicable

6. The section was useful and helped with the rest of the course.

12 (63.2%): Strongly Agree  
5 (26.3%): Agree  
1 (5.3%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
1 (5.3%): Not Applicable

7. The sections were interesting and enjoyable.

7 (36.8%): Strongly Agree  
8 (42.1%): Agree  
3 (15.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree  
1 (5.3%): Not Applicable

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

13 (68.4%): Strongly Agree  
6 (31.6%): Agree  
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Disagree  
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree

9. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?

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- He went over practice problems that were more abstract in nature and could only be solved if the student understood how to apply the material. This was helpful for the tests because problems we we had on examinations were rarely the type to be done without a full understanding of the material.
- Honestly one of the best TA's I've ever had. Section was amazing review of the class, and he helped me learn the material well.
- I hope that he will provide review session for the students before the final exams. It's very important to review the past materials that we have learnt so far.
- Jay is one of the best IA's I've had in my entire UCSD career. It's obvious to see that he puts a lot of care and attention into planning discussion sections and that he truly cares about teaching his students. His discussion sections helped me understand what was happening in lecture more clearly and he often went above and beyond what he needed to do for discussions. He had very clear discussion notes and problems worked out, and he answered student questions well. A++ IA :)
- Jay is very enthusiastic about the material and helped me connect topics together. I was able to understand the material because his explanations within sections answered my questions.
- Jay is very enthusiastic and genuinely interested by the concepts in this class. He explains concepts very well and can be humorous at times, making section enjoyable.

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