

UC RIVERSIDE - Student Comments of Instructor, Discussion Courses - Winter 2024

Course: CS 011 Section: 003 - INTRO TO DISCRETE

**STRUCTURES** 

Cross Course: MATH 011 Section: 003

Instructor: Chris Grossack

Question # 18: YOUR CONSTRUCTIVE COMMENTS ON YOUR GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR'S TEACHING SKILLS ARE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT. PLEASE WRITE YOUR COMMENTS IN THE TEXTBOX BELOW. PLEASE LIMIT YOUR COMMENTS TO 2000 CHARACTERS.

- Chris is a good teacher/TA. Chris teaches the materials extremely well despite the Professor of the class being mediocre/average. I loved going to the sections and learning about math when I was in Chris's class.
- Chris was a great TA. They helped clarify material by the professor and showed helpful examples to supplement it as well. They provided a safe and comfortable learning environment that allowed me to ask questions and take part in discussion. Chris also had great knoweledge and enthusiam for the math, providing examples and giving history on certian topics.
- This TA was amazing, and was the core of how I learned this class. Chris was able to teach me everything I needed to know for tests/exams, and was overall just amazing. If I could have a TA like them for every class, I would.
- You explain things very well, it makes it easier to understand the concepts.
- · Maybe a little faster on the content pace? (but maintaining the quality of everything else because it was all great)
- Chris is a great teacher and I honestly wish he was teaching the actual CS011 class instead of the professor. The 50 minutes I spend in discussion is worth ten times more what I spend in the lecture. I always learn something and it never fails to keep my attention. He's a great teacher and I hope the best for him and thank him for helping me so much through CS011, I know I wouldn't have passed without him.
- Great job. Good at explaining and easy to approach. I found the TA far more helpful than the Professor and a much superior teacher. The
  only thing was they canceled office hours once suddenly, and would come slightly late to discussion.