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To Whom It May Concern

Dear Sir/Madam,

I write to offer feedback on a peer observation of a lecture delivered by Dr. Ilenius Ildephonc that took place on March 28, 2023 at the University of the West Indies, Five Islands Campus.

From my observation of Dr. Ildephonc's presentation, there was evidence of a high level of preparation and forethought that went into the lesson. He skillfully created a scaffold of the knowledge the students would have acquired prior to the session and used a bridge-in activity to make the connection with the lesson being taught. Dr. Ildephonc was largely responsive to the students queries and the level of comfort of the students in asking questions and verbalizing muddy areas was evident throughout the lecture.

Dr. Ildephonc's approach was largely based on the problem-based learning approach, which allowed the students to concurrently work through concepts and relationships as they are being delivered. This was supplemented through the use of instructional videos available on YouTube and the use of the smart board for real-time engagement. These scenarios also allowed for deep thinking to take place at the same time as students were able to engage in vibrant and interactive discussions facilitated by probing questions from the lecturer. These discussions were helped, in part, by the small and intimate class size but also the strategies used by the lecturer to engage the class.

The main takeaways from the peer observation was the effectiveness of Dr. Ildephonc's infusion of technology tools in his lesson; how he was able to actively engage his students though the use of questioning technique to help students make connection between the current and previous lessons.

Yours truly,

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