

Teaching Evaluation Summary (201710: Fall 2016)

Instructor Report

Instructor: **Loseu, Ivan**
Subject: **MATH**
Catalog & Section: **1341, 05**

Course Title: **Calculus 1 for Sci/Engr**
Enrollment: **19** Responses Incl Declines: **17**
(Declined: **1**)

Course Related Questions

Question	Responses	Mean (from 5)	University Mean	Median (from 5)	University Median
The syllabus helped me to learn.	15	4.27	4.01	5.00	4.00
The textbook(s) helped me to learn.	16	3.94	3.85	4.00	4.00
The materials posted online, including Blackboard, helped me to learn.	16	4.56	4.23	5.00	4.00
The out-of-class assignments and fieldwork helped me to learn.	16	4.53	4.19	5.00	4.00
The lectures helped me to learn.	16	4.50	4.13	5.00	4.00
The in-class discussions and activities helped me to learn.	16	4.50	4.14	5.00	4.00
The classroom technology helped me to learn.	16	3.78	4.01	3.00	4.00
I found this course intellectually challenging.	16	4.06	4.08	4.00	4.00

Learning Related Questions

Question	Responses	Mean (from 5)	University Mean	Median (from 5)	University Median
I learned a lot in this course.	16	4.38	4.23	4.50	4.00
I learned to apply course concepts and principles.	16	4.38	4.25	4.00	4.00
I developed additional skills in expressing myself orally and in writing.	16	3.90	3.95	4.00	4.00
I learned to analyze and evaluate ideas, arguments, and points of view.	16	4.00	4.07	4.00	4.00

Instructor Related Questions: \$DISPLAY_NAME\$

Question	Responses	Mean (from 5)	University Mean	Median (from 5)	University Median
The instructor possessed the basic communication skills necessary to teach the course.	16	4.62	4.43	5.00	5.00
The instructor clearly communicated ideas and information.	16	4.44	4.27	5.00	5.00
The instructor clearly stated the objectives of the course.	16	4.62	4.37	5.00	5.00
The instructor covered what was stated in the course objectives and syllabus.	16	4.69	4.44	5.00	5.00
The instructor came to class prepared to teach.	16	4.75	4.50	5.00	5.00
The instructor used class time effectively.	16	4.69	4.29	5.00	5.00
The instructor provided sufficient feedback.	16	4.60	4.16	5.00	4.00
The instructor fairly evaluated my performance.	16	4.56	4.31	5.00	5.00
The instructor is someone I would recommend to other students.	16	4.50	4.19	5.00	5.00
The instructor treated students with respect.	16	4.81	4.54	5.00	5.00
The instructor acknowledged and took effective action when students did not understand the material.	16	4.81	4.28	5.00	5.00
The instructor was available to assist students outside of class.	16	4.81	4.35	5.00	5.00
The instructor displayed enthusiasm for the course.	16	4.81	4.52	5.00	5.00

Instructor Effectiveness: \$DISPLAY_NAME\$

Question	Responses	Mean (from 5)	University Mean	Median (from 5)	University Median
What is your overall rating of this instructor's teaching effectiveness?	16	4.50	4.34	5.00	5.00

Please comment on the strengths of this course and/or ways to improve this course.

The course was laid out very logically and each chapter flowed well into the next chapter. Went over some practical applications of Calculus, which was GREAT.

The notes are very helpful

Describe instructor's strengths, areas for improvement, and any additional comments.

Probably the best professor I've had at Northeastern so far. Fantastic in every way - Professor Loseu is visibly enthusiastic about the material, communicates every concept in Calculus crystal clear, the handouts are well thought out and intuitive. I felt excited to learn Calculus even though I'm not particularly interested in math! Overall, he is the ideal math professor, I cannot think of anything negative to say. I just wish he taught Calculus 2 so I could take him next semester! :)

Although he was occasionally hard to understand (thick accent), it was clear that he cared for the students and he knew the material.

Very engaging professor, goes over examples with clarity

He was always open to help students if they didn't understand something in the class and in office hours

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The syllabus helped me to learn.	28	4.14	4.01	4.00	4.00
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Professor Loseu was a great teacher, he explained every topic very clearly

This is a standard calculus course with a terrible textbook

Everything was great

Get new book.

Great teaching style. Lectures are great.

A better textbook for this course would suffice, but other than that this course is good.

decent class, didnt learn much because i had taken a similar one in high school, but I didn't really get the new concepts introduced

The course covers all the necessary information for Calculus 1. It is in-depth and encompasses many useful techniques for solving problems.

It is very straight forward. There is not much you could do to improve it.

While I know the concepts very well, the applications (other than the set we were given) of the general principles still seems a bit vague to me which I think could be improved.

calc 1 is calc 1

Describe instructor's strengths, areas for improvement, and any additional comments.

Overall an excellent instructor.

Dr. George has a fantastic pace and also a very low key sense of humor which really made the class more enjoyable. He very clearly explains concepts and example problems and is the first to realize his own mathematical errors, which is refreshing. Would highly recommend.

Excellent professor all around -- extremely well prepared for class and excellent at communicating concepts

Awesome!!!

A great professor!

Professor Loseu is one of the best math teachers that I have had in my life.

Worst part is his accent, other than that he is the perfect professor.

His teaching style was very useful and he knows a lot of information. His accent is very understandable and easy to follow. I would definitely take another class with this professor.

Great enthusiasm for teaching and relatively clear when explaining topics.

Always made sure to provide ample office hours and made sure class was aware of any changes or conflicts. Provided plenty of practice material and examples to help prepare for quizzes and exams.

He is very enthusiastic and clearly understands the material very well. He takes questions a lot, which is good. However, he does not always answer the questions very clearly. But, overall an excellent professor.

One of the best professors I have had at Northeastern (as a sophomore). He enables students with the resources they need to succeed, does everything he can to help, always making himself available. A friendly person who knows his material extremely well, and effectively passes it onto us in an interesting way.

Really good teacher. He knows what he's doing. Comes to class with a plan and is very straight forward and ordered. He's funny at times too