

Instructor Observation

Instructor: Quinn Briggs

Observer: Brett Amidan

Class: CSE 170 Technical Teamwork

Date/Time: 11/18/2024 2 pm

Observed areas:

Creating an environment of respect and rapport	Had the students discuss their favorite Thanksgiving dish, while waiting to start class (allow snow delayed students to get to class).
Establishing a culture for learning	I like the idea of giving them a Remote Work Day. Great opportunity to practice remote work and meeting.
Communicating with Students	Used slides to give an agenda for the day. Used slides to show the steps for successful Agile teamwork. Organized Teams to facilitate communication for each team and with the business owner.
Using Questioning & Discussion techniques	Breaking class up into teams (tables) is a great way to facilitate discussions. Used a timer to keep the discussion time from going too long.
Engaging Students in Learning	Each team assigned project roles.
Using Assessment in Instruction	

Enjoyed class! First 8 minutes spiritual thought, announcements, and welcome. 5 minutes going over the assignments over the next few weeks. 14 minutes used to discuss Agile Team dynamics. 6 minutes discussing in their teams their roles. 6 minutes discussed using Teams for each project. Last 21 minutes the groups worked together on their tasks.