



**ASE Student Evaluation for Andrew Chamberlain
Department of Economics**

ECON 100A - Microeconomics A (Sinitsyn, Maxim)
Fall 2012

NUMBER OF EVALUATIONS SUBMITTED: 31

1. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice graded fairly and consistently.

16 (51.6%): Strongly Agree
9 (29.0%): Agree
1 (3.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
5 (16.1%): Not Applicable

2. I went to the Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice's office hours.

16 (51.6%): Yes
13 (41.9%): No
2 (6.5%): Not Applicable

3. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice's assistance during office hours was well-informed, clearly presented and valuable.

15 (48.4%): Strongly Agree
2 (6.5%): Agree
3 (9.7%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
11 (35.5%): Not Applicable

4. In general, material covered during office hours was beneficial and helpful in my overall understanding of the course.

19 (61.3%): Strongly Agree
3 (9.7%): Agree
8 (25.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
1 (3.2%): Strongly Disagree

5. I went to the Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice's discussion sections.

30 (96.8%): Yes
0 (0.0%): No
1 (3.2%): Not Applicable

6. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice came prepared and well organized to discussion sections.

28 (90.3%): Strongly Agree
2 (6.5%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (3.2%): Not Applicable

7. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately at discussion sections.

27 (87.1%): Strongly Agree
3 (9.7%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (3.2%): Not Applicable

8. In general, discussion sections enhanced my understanding of the course material.

25 (80.6%): Strongly Agree
5 (16.1%): Agree
1 (3.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree

9. I went to the Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice's midterm exam review session(s).

9 (29.0%): Yes
2 (6.5%): No
19 (61.3%): Not Applicable
1 (3.2%): [No Response]

10. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice came prepared and well organized to exam reviews.

9 (29.0%): Strongly Agree
3 (9.7%): Agree
1 (3.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
17 (54.8%): Not Applicable
1 (3.2%): [No Response]

11. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately at exam reviews.

12 (38.7%): Strongly Agree

4 (12.9%): Agree
1 (3.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
13 (41.9%): Not Applicable
1 (3.2%): [No Response]

12. In general, exam reviews enhanced my understanding of the course material.

17 (54.8%): Strongly Agree
6 (19.4%): Agree
7 (22.6%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (3.2%): [No Response]

13. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice was approachable, courteous and showed interest and concern for students' learning and understanding.

25 (80.6%): Strongly Agree
5 (16.1%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (3.2%): Not Applicable

14. I would recommend this Teaching Assistant/Tutor/Undergraduate Instructional Apprentice to other students

25 (80.6%): Strongly Agree
5 (16.1%): Agree
1 (3.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree

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

Please provide any additional constructive comments

- Andrew Chamberlain did very well this quarter and if I had an opportunity to have him as a TA in the future it would be wonderful.
- Andrew is an amazing TA and honestly, I learn more from him than from the professor (who I found condescending and not helpful or encouraging..). Andrew is extremely patient and never gives up in trying to explain things to us, students. If I couldn't understand it one way, he'd try another, he'd draw pictures, make up ways for me to remember things, look up youtube videos. I did very poorly on my first midterm exam, a 34/50 (before I started getting help from Andrew). The second midterm exam I scored a 45/50 and but more importantly, I felt that I truly understood the material thanks to his teaching. He should teach this course. His discussion sections are always packed. Why? Because he comes prepared, writing review notes on the board TEN MINUTES before discussion to help us understand our problem sets. He goes very fast, yet he's thorough. He is very knowledgeable without being condescending and genuinely concerned about his students. He scheduled extra office hours for me and another student that needed help even though he's busy with his own research and work. I wish more TAs in the econ department could be as helpful and kind as Andrew. I hope student evaluations make a difference and I certainly hope all of the students that benefited from Andrew's above and beyond TA-ing write evaluations.
- Andrew is by far one of the best TA's I have had at UCSD. He goes above and beyond and shows genuine, sincere care for students' learning. His sections are very clear and extremely helpful.

- Andrew was a great TA. He did a good job explaining concepts and making difficult ones pretty clear. Definitely happy that he's TAing my next econ class!
- Best 100A TA by far. Made room in my schedule to accommodate his discussion section.
- Best TA I have ever had for any class here. By far the most awesome person you will meet!
- Best TA I have had at this school so far.
- Great TA. Explains the material well and write down a short summary of what we learned in class at the beginning of the session. Shows concern for student's learning and is always willing to help.
- he is really good at teaching and really cares about the students to learn things.
- He is very good at explaining concepts and showing how to interpret graphs
- He tried to do as many exercises and answer as many questions as he could in the limited amount of discussion/office hour time. Even offered to email us the solutions to whichever problems he couldn't complete during those times. Highly approachable and truly friendly and helpful. I had him for Econ 1 and chose to go to his discussions because of how helpful and prepared he is.
- One of the best TA's I've come in contact with. He is very well organized and provides an easier approach to learning the material. GREAT TA!!!
- one the best Teaching Assistant I ever had. He clarified much of the subject and enhanced my understanding of the material greatly. TA came prepared every section and worked diligently and did not waste a single minute of our section time. I would like to thank him for such a wonderful job and for all the help he has given me.
- really good tutor
- Very helpful and showed great interest in subject

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