



Course Evaluations

Evaluation for K. Hewson - 201201EDUC3604C (Evaluation of Student Learning)

F1: The objectives and goals of the course were clearly communicated. [not answered]

F2: The instructor demonstrated adequate expertise in the subject matter. [not answered]

F3: The instructor seemed to enjoy teaching and was enthusiastic about the subject matter. [not answered]

F4: The instructor communicated clearly in class. [not answered]

F5: In devising and managing activities for classes, the instructor used appropriate teaching/learning strategies and modelled quality classroom practice and procedures. [not answered]

F6: The instructor was successful in stimulating additional reading and appropriate independence and responsibility in students. [not answered]

F7: The instructor helped me to clarify my own ideas about educational practice and prepared me to become a better teacher. [not answered]

F8: The instructor was readily available for individual consultation outside of class time. [not answered]

F9: Evaluation criteria and procedures were appropriate and fair assessments of the learnings expected in this course. [not answered]

F10: Considering all facets of this instructor's teaching, I would rate it as [not answered]

FC: Please comment on any aspect of this instructor's teaching.

[Empty text box for comment]

Please take a moment to review the completed evaluation and ensure that you have answered all questions to your satisfaction. When you have done this, check the box below and click the 'Submit Evaluation' button. Please note that all submissions are final. You may not evaluate the same course twice or modify your responses once an evaluation has been submitted.

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| | <u>Questions1-10</u> (faculty average) | <u>Questions1-10</u> (3604C average) | <u>Questions1-20</u> (3604C average) |
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| Mean: | 4.14 | 4.86 | 4.86 |
| SD: | 0.92 | 0.32 | 0.32 |

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| Mean | 4.94 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 4.81 | 4.94 | 4.44 | 4.88 | 4.94 | 4.75 | 4.88 | | | |
| SD | 0.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.40 | 0.25 | 0.81 | 0.34 | 0.25 | 0.58 | 0.34 | | | |
| N | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | | | |
| Student | | | | | | | | | | | Mean | SD | N |
| 1 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4.80 | 0.42 | 10 |
| 2 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.80 | 0.42 | 10 |
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| 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.90 | 0.32 | 10 |
| 7 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.80 | 0.42 | 10 |
| 8 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.00 | 0.00 | 10 |
| 9 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 4.80 | 0.63 | 10 |
| 10 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.00 | 0.00 | 10 |
| 11 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.90 | 0.32 | 10 |
| 12 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.50 | 0.53 | 10 |
| 13 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.80 | 0.42 | 10 |
| 14 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.90 | 0.32 | 10 |
| 15 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.00 | 0.00 | 10 |
| 16 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.80 | 0.42 | 10 |

Comments

- 1 This class was fantastic! Thank you Kurtis!
- 2 Great personality. A lot of material for just once a week.
- 3 This was a great course, probably the most applicable/useful one in all of PSII. Kurtis was a terrific instructor, knowledgeable, fair and interesting.
- 4 The teacher's ability to model what 'it may look like in the classroom' was brilliant and inspiring. Very practical in approach, well-connected projects and outcomes that crossed-over to a few assignments. I feel that another class or two of Evaluation would have been excellent for reflection and a confidence builder for the students. This course seemed to 'get the shaft' as it was only once a week, started a week behind, and ended when the students are thinking of practicum and lesson planning already so the focus is not there. Mr. Hewson has a ton of enthusiasm to accompany his knowledge and wisdom and would be a great addition to the faculty of Education at the University. He created relationships, learned names, and helped students outside of class time on multiple occasions, unlike many of the professors I had the experience of being taught under.
- 5 Overall a wonderful course! Kurtis managed to teach us the defined learning objectives plus so much more. He is a wonderful example for beginning teachers to see and model after.
- 6 Kurtis is an exceptional instructor. His connectedness with grade level teaching is obvious and all his instruction is based around good practice in research and schools today. Kurtis modelled quality classroom practice for us in class and had great subject expertise. He was always available outside of class. If there is one suggestion that I have, is that Kurtis would have given us a little more time to explore subjects before doing the assignments. I realize that this is really not possible with the limited time allowed for the evaluation class. It might be helpful to make the evaluation class a full credit class and take away time from social context and exceptional learner classes. Kurtis is a great asset to the faculty here and it is most unfortunate that his secondment is over. I wish it could be extended as he brings valuable practical information from teaching to the faculty.

Comments

- 7 This was one of the 2 most valuable classes I have taken in my teacher training. The course design is excellent, and all activities are clearly linked into skills that will be needed in the classroom. Additionally, Mr. Hewson goes out of his way to demonstrate classroom strategies that are inventive and useful in a variety of settings. Some class activities wound up being rushed, but class time was used VERY effectively. I would have appreciated if this class were given a full 6 hours per week instead of being half the time of the others. Additionally, Mr. Hewson went out of his way to learn all student names quickly and correctly, and showed a great deal of respect to us as students and emerging professionals.
- 8 Each class was interesting and fun. He showed and taught us many different teaching strategies that we can take into the classroom.
- 9 Kurtis was great! He used some great methods that I look forward to using in my classroom. He has EXTENSIVE knowledge regarding evaluation. He provides insight into the entire process and was an excellent professor. I'm very grateful to have been a part of his class. However, I did feel that this course was fairly heavy for one only worth 1.5 credits. I had more homework in this class than some of the other courses this semester. Kurtis was always clear that we could discuss extensions with him, which was encouraging, however in PSII it is always busy so sometimes extensions only postpone stress, and therefore don't serve as an answer to the high homework expectations. Otherwise, Kurtis was an exceptional prof.
- 10 Kurtis is fabulous. Time with him has been most useful and valuable (on that note, I wish I had his classes more than once a week). He has excellent handouts, is very supportive and caring, and he models great teaching. He is a teacher I look up to.
- 11 Kurtis a phenomenal professor and has so much experience (both great ideas and innovations as well as mistakes for everyone to learn from) to bring to the class. Regardless of Kurtis being a great instructor, I believe that Evaluation should be more than once a week as it is much more important than Social Context or Psych. The only issue I have with the course being set up as it was, was that it had very minimal instruction time and lots of just do it time. I needed more instruction time to feel prepared to do the activities and I found myself lost and frustrated. I could have asked for help and Kurtis would be more than ready to help, but I did really even know what to ask. Again, having twice as much class time would easily solve this problem.

Comments

- 12 Kurtis is a great teacher, he know the subject matter and communicates it in effective ways. All of his classes were awesome, we were engaged and learning the whole time. He took the time to learn our names, and I really appreciate that, it made me more comfortable going to him with questions and such. Great teaching strategies that we can use as well.
- 13 Great job! I found this class fun and really valuable. The fact that he made such an effort to learn our names really made me feel like he cared about us and what we were there for. Unlike a couple of the other profs I had this semester, Kurtis was always supportive and wanted to get to know us.
- 14 Kurtis Hewson is a fine example of what an effective teacher looks like. He is by far one of the most influential professors on the U of L faculty. The only issue is, he needs to be teaching more classes!
- 15 Kurtis is the most prepared and organized professor I have ever had! He always had the most amazing lessons planned, and had the most creative style to teaching the material. He was informative, engaging, and extremely willing to help. Wonderful course - I got a lot out of it.
- 16 In my opinion, Kurtis was the best prof we had for PSII. Evaluations isn't the most interesting topic to cover, but he made it fun. He had us doing activities and group work that was applicable to teaching. He used different strategies as a model for ideas of what we could employ in our own classrooms. I'm already using the popsicle sticks with names on them idea for my grade 4 class, and it's working phenomenally! He was also extremely flexible and understanding of situations where we had multiple things due around the same time, he would, without hesitation, allow an extension to make our lives easier and ensure that we hand in our best possible work. I am extremely grateful to have had him for a professor this semester, and had a wonderful experience in his class.

