Instructor: Nestoridi, Evrydiki-Xenia Subject: MATH Catalog & Section: 51, 8 Course Title: LIN ALG AND MULTIVAR CALCULUS Enrollment: 18 Responses Incl Declines: 17 (Declined: 0)

1. Please comment on the section leader's knowledge and presentation of the material and how well he/she coordinated the sections with lectures.

Strengths

- I thought Evita was very professional and very serious about helping us out. She really made it easy to come to her for help and was very knowledgeable about the material, really emphasizing what is more important to know. She easily coordinated the section with lectures, and when we fell behind in lecture she told us what we missed and caught us up a bit in section.
- She was always prepared and motivated and I liked that a lot.
- She knew what parts of the material were more important and presented material plus how to answer specific question.
- The section leader was excellent at presenting material that even the lecturer hadn't covered yet.
- Very good TA, cared about her students a lot, was readily available, went above and beyond to make sure her students did well.
- Very prepared for all the lectures, knew the material very well, followed the material from the lecture closely (this
 was helpful)
- Was very efficient in covering the material well.
- Evita demonstrated a thorough knowledge of the material, and generally did a fine job correcting the knowledge deficits that students might obtain during lecture.
- Explained everything clearly to us. She was a great section leader and I got much more out of her section than out of the lecture
- Very clear, moved at a perfect pace, made up for the lecturer's weaknesses.
- Very knowledgeable
- clear knowledge of the syllabus and course and provides thorough yet easy and concise explanations, also prepares good examples to solve in class for each new material taught
- She knew the material extremely well and was comfortable in front of the class.
- She is an amazing lecturer who combines the best of knowledge in the class and presents it in a nice fashion.

Suggestions for Improvement

- · nothing.
- · None.
- She emphasized more how to solve problems than really understanding the material
- None
- Spend a little more time on concepts, a little too much plug and chug.
- The clarity of the lectures were often hard to follow, mostly due to the difficulty of the material.
- N/A
- · Nothing.
- Not very coordinated with lectures, sometimes went ahead, sometimes fell behind
- I would have liked section to be longer than 50 minutes--we often didn't have time to solve all of the problems on the board.
- Nothing much here, Just stay as you are.

2. Please comment on the section leader's effectiveness as a discussion leader, his/her ability to answer questions and keep the discussion on track. Strengths

- She's so good! Moves fast, but that is what the course has to do. she answers questions quickly and is able to connect the question to what we are currently doing or the next topic easily.
- She actually was a great leader and made me interested in the topic.
- Discussion was kept on track and effective at reviewing the materials of lecture.
- She did a great job of managing time and involving the class.
- Usually knew exactly what she was doing and kept up with Yi.
- Kept the section flowing nicely.
- Always was willing to cover any question asked.
- Generally, Evita did an excellent job with this. Every session was productive, and certainly helpful to a student who might be lost after lecture.
- · Answered questions very well.
- Always made sure that students understood the material. Always made sure all students participated in the problem solving.

- · Stays on track
- creates and interactive environment for students and allows them to try themselves which is extremely helpful
 for the students
- Evita worked hard to find example problems that would be helpful and important. She had members of the section help her solve each problem and encouraged us to ask questions whenever something didn't make sense.
- Great. She was able to explain the problems nicely, teach concepts nicely and make us believe in ourselves.

Suggestions for Improvement

- · nothing.
- · None.
- . More patience with students and questions. Take the time to answer them fully
- None
- Had trouble understanding the questions being asked and thus wasn't too helpful in answering questions.
- N/A
- Nothing.
- Sometimes too long on the easier parts of a question and have to rush through the harder parts
- I would have liked to go more slowly, but I know we had to keep pace with the lectures.
- · Nothing much again

3. Please comment on the attitude of the section leader towards the students and his/her availability outside of class.

Strengths

- She is very kind, and professional. She definitely wants us to do as best we can in this class and is very
 available, especially during finals week. even if we cannot go to her OH we can email her and she will answer
 our questions.
- · Always available.
- Kind and willing to help outside the classroom. Very good at making students work on problems during section by making them speak up.
- · Very empathetic.
- Very nice and helpful, always available via email.
- · Available outside of class in Office Hours.
- Was so open to having outside help.
- Evita demonstrated abnormally high levels of concern for her students. She surpassed expectations in this
 regard, and generally exhibited great compassion towards her pupils. She also went out of her way to make
 herself available outside of class, which I appreciated.
- Had plenty of office hours and held extra review sessions before tests.
- Very friendly, very interesting and energetic. Understanding of the students.
- Enthusiastic
- very friendly and sweet, extremely gentle and always available for the students and extremely dedicated
- She cared--genuinely--and wanted us to do as well as we possibly could. I always felt encouraged to ask questions, come to office hours, and keep going.
- Really nice. Makes you confident
- Very involved with individuals, great attitude and very helpful!

Suggestions for Improvement

- nothing
- None.
- She freaked me out at times-It was stressful having to do math as fast as she did or wanted. This was due primarily to the fact that we had a lot of material to cover.
- N/A
- N/A
- Nothing.
- Only reason why I loved Math 51

4. Please comment on the overall performance of the section leader.

Strengths

- Definitely a very strong leader and she is always willing to help and she tries to make sure we know how to do problems and always encourages us to do practice problems. she also created sheets of practice problems for us to do that were specific to certain topics.
- Great.
- Gives different ways to solve problems. Gives students many question to study from for each topic.

- Evita is awesome.
- Amazing TA, can make difficult topics easy and understandable and is patient and willing to help.
- Good knowledge of material and is open to answering questions and being available outside of class.
- Evita did an amazing job. I would convey far more enthusiasm, but I found the class to be very boring, so it is difficult to write with the emotion that Evita deserves.
- She was very good.
- Loved section because of the section leader's competence.
- excellent
- Evita was both really good at math and someone with a lot of personality who seemed like she would make a good friend or coworker--wow! I didn't think that combination was possible before I came to Stanford, and it was inspiring to have her as my teacher.
- Awesome. Almost perfect

Suggestions for Improvement

- None.
- None.
- Has trouble communicating all the ideas to the class, whether it be through answering questions or in teaching the material itself.
- Sometimes the pace was a little fast but she probably didn't really have any choice there because of how much the course covered
- Nothing.
- No