Daniel Ferreira Latest teaching evaluation (2009) – Selected students comments.

Course: "Incentives and Governance in Organizations", MSc Management and Strategy.

Question: Please write below aspects of the teaching that have **pleased** you most and describe briefly why these aspects have pleased you.

Response

Pleased with everything. Very stimulating lectures and brilliantly taught. Very

interesting case studies as well which made for interesting class discussions.

The lecturer's teaching is well organized and presented, which helped me to accept the new knowledge quickly.

I am happy with the content of the course, like the case-based approach. The teacher is energetic and explains the material well.

The real-life focus of the teaching.

I liked that the course didn't focus on classic theory and models but rather on challenging the norms, finding the caveats in existing models and suggesting ways to overcome them.

The way he is teaching.

Very stimulating teaching style. Case studies classes very interesting.

Great lectures. Energetic. Great structure. Good structured and interesting seminars.

He used to present the lectures very nicely and involve the class in the lectures. Also the way of conducting classes was good.

Very knowledgeable and intelligent; Ask stimulating questions; good at explaining ideas; well designed course.

Classes were nicely structured and presented.

All aspects of this teacher are perfect.

Very interesting course.

The teacher is very good at teaching and explaining.

This teacher puts in effort to prepare his lecture slides (they are pretty well prepared and comprehensive). His lectures are fairly interesting and engaging. Also, he is generally quite effective in facilitating discussion during seminars.

He has a good content for his lectures and is always well prepared. His explanations are very clear.

- his lecturing style was fuelling interest in the subject - he was able to answer any question and always had a good example to support the argument - he challenged us in problem classes to think further -> he nurtured interest in the subject

The lectures were conducted well and the class discussions were highly interactive with inputs and insights being shared.

The lecture notes are precise and the content is really interesting.

I learned so much in MN404. The professor presented the subject matter very clearly. The structure was great and I felt the professor paid attention to the audience, and as such not just lecturing, but actually engaging the class. Out of all my courses this has been the one where I learned most.

He was direct and very extraverted - helped us see the meaning of the context. He was passionate about teaching.

A very good teacher with a humorous approach. Kept the class interesting and lively.

he was enthusiastic, energetic and had a wonderful way of simplifying explanations of more complex issues into clearly understandable and memorable language.

Subject matter was very interesting and it was taught very well. The seminars in particular were very interesting and useful.

One of the best taught courses. The content is extremely interesting and useful. The professor is excellent in conveying knowledge and inducing thought. Classes were very successful.

The interactive seminars.

The course materials were very well developed and included everything that was needed. The lecture slides were also well organized and the lectures were very clearly presented. It was great that we had a new case every week so that we got to know different examples for each piece of theory and didn't get bored.

There was a good pace in the course, the teacher could present difficult topics in an understandable way, omitting confusing details.

Teaching skill. Was very easy to understand. Good environment in class.

He's very enthusiastic and he could elaborate how the theories or academic ideas are applied in real life. He's encouraging everyone to speak up.

Valid Responses	41
Total Responses	41

Course: "Corporate Finance", MSc Finance.

Question: Please write below aspects of the teaching that have **pleased** you most and describe briefly why these aspects have pleased you.

Response

Very enthusiastic teacher with good presentation skills. I very much enjoyed his lectures.

He introduced us to a recent theory of the probability of financial distress. As these

theories have not been found on books yet, it was very profound.

An excellent teacher. Clearly enjoys his subject and gives lots of information.

Constantly giving examples and always answering questions and getting discussions going. Also made lots of articles available.

Presented enthusiastically throughout his section, willing to respond to any queries asked.

He is enthusiastic and explains topics well; able to answer some difficult questions

Everything.

very extensive excel file examples; fascinating case studies; practical.

He is a very knowledgeable teacher.

The way the subject was conveyed to us.

Uses a bunch of cases to illustrate theories.

HIS TEACHING IS VERY APPLIED.

again kept the class quite lively and went at a good pace.

Excellent course material with loads of case studies to provide practical aspects. Best thing is he gave us loads of information about various companies and develop interest to read relevant books. Explains things in a positive and interesting way.

Daniel is a great lecturer, is very engaging and has a good sense of when to push the class and demand more from us. He tries to keep the class lively and ask lots of

questions. He entertains all questions and thoughts but does so in a precise manner.

Daniel is a very good teacher, very responsive to questions and generally friendly.

He is enthusiastic.

I felt very stimulated... The topics were very interesting, I feel I learned so much both in class and at home through textbooks.

Enthusiastic, interesting examples to illustrate the theory.

Valid Responses	19
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Selected student comments from "Incentives and Governance in Organizations", MSc Management and Strategy, from previous years 2006-7 and 2007-8

 I loved this course. The content was interesting and mostly the teacher had energy and passion in teaching and everything was very well structured and organized. I very much enjoyed this course and would definitely recommend it to future students.

- The best course of MSc Management. Worth paying the tuition fees and waking up early on a Friday morning to attend it.
- He knew the stuff very well, and was able to explain questions asked, which is awesome. I really enjoyed the use of case studies in classes, which were not only interesting, but encouraged discussions, and I learnt a lot from it. He was also able to lead discussions very well (staying on the topic, encouraging everyone to talk,...)
- Amazing teacher, great enthusiasm, very clear explanations My favourite course this year!
- Mr. Ferreira is a very stimulating teacher who knows his subject very well. I appreciated his enthusiasm for the subject.
- The teacher was of excellent quality. One of the best teachers at LSE!
- Well done! The course was well organized and structured, and taught at an appropriate level. Thank you for an interesting, useful and thoughtful class. I learned a lot and enjoyed the course. Thanks.
- Mr. Ferreira was very helpful in communicating the theory of this subject and very popular among the course's students.
- Great teacher, always willing to explain. Very clear. Congratulations!!! Excellent course!
- Great instructor, was able to communicate complicated materials very clearly. Put a lot of effort in teaching. We greatly appreciate it.
- I thought this teacher was very good and made this course seem very interesting, especially by selecting interesting cases during seminars.
- A bright and outstanding lecturer. Very stimulating!!