

Mathematics Faculty Teaching Evaluation
Spring Quarter 2009

PARK, F.E.

The questions were:

1. How would you rate your instructor as an effective teacher?
2. How would you rate the availability and helpfulness of your instructor outside of the classroom?
3. What is your rating of this course independent of the effectiveness of the instructor?

Math 32A, Sec. 3 - Calculus of Several Variables

	Distribution of Scores											Avg	Stdv
	Blank	NA	Failing 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Excellent 9		
Ques1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	132	8.90	0.30
Ques2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	13	127	8.84	0.45
Ques3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	40	95	8.55	0.68
192 Enrolled											147 Responded (76.56%)		

Math 134, Sec. 1 - Linear and Nonlinear Systems of Differential Equations

	Distribution of Scores											Avg	Stdv
	Blank	NA	Failing 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Excellent 9		
Ques1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	25	8.72	0.58
Ques2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	28	8.78	0.61
Ques3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	9	16	8.25	0.88
41 Enrolled											32 Responded (78.05%)		

Blank - Student left question blank

NA - Student marked Not Applicable

PARK, Fred

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Math 134, sec. 1 – Linear and Nonlinear Systems of Differential Equations

9-9-7

Excellent professor. Explains material well and clear. Helps students as much as he can.

9-9-9

Very enthusiastic and interesting. Would recommend Dr. Park to other students. Well organized, plenty of examples. Good availability and cares about students. Overall, one of the best professors I've had.

9-9-9

He was very helpful. I really enjoyed hi class and hopefully I will have him again as a professor. He was always nice to students and he knew the material very well.

9-9-9

He is a very organized teacher. He teaches very clearly. Very helpful in office hours and extremely concerned with his students. Best teacher in UCLA I've ever had.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an amazing professor. He is very clear and concise and taking notes in his class is so easy. He's definitely challenging and I worked in the class, but I really felt like I learned a lot. He was really helpful in office hours and I hope I can take another class with him again soon.

9-9-9

Quite honestly, the Math Department needs more professors like Dr. Park; one of the best, and as a 4th year, this was a great way to end my story at UCLA. Goes beyond to assist students, ensuring they will succeed in this class. A pleasure to have his class.

9-9-9

Very good , cheerful teacher with a passion for the subject. Passion for the subject does show in class.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an excellent teacher. His exams were very fair and his homework assignments were realistic in terms of quantity and difficulty. Office hours were really helpful.

9-8-8

Very knowledgeable teacher. Committed to his students learning the material. Very approachable.

PARK, Fred

Math 134, sec. 1 – Linear and Nonlinear Systems of Differential Equations (cont.)

9-9-7

Wonderful professor. Clear lectures and concise but informative board notes make it easy to study. Textbook choice was good as well, but professor knew how to extract the important points and present them in an understandable way. First professor I've had that was so personal, friendly, and patient with students. I hope UCLA will continue to hire professors as good as this!

9-9-9

Dr. Park effectively communicates the material exceptionally well (Verbally and in writing). He joyfully sacrifices his time and energy to accommodate the needs of students. The concern goes beyond that of the class, but extremely attentive to one's personal well-being.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is one of the best professors I've ever had. He is always trying to help his students and he concerns a lot for them. His lecture is very clear enough to understand all the material covered. I hope to take his class again if possible.

9-9-9

The best teacher at UCLA. Very passionate about the course and our success in the course. Always is helpful and makes extra time to see us. He is very considerate/constantly asks us if we understand I and if we don't, then he will help us review. Dr. Park is the one and only teacher that I have ever understood m, even passed with an a on the midterm. Dr. Park is such an excellent teacher that I try my hardest just to thank him for his great teachings.

9-9-8

Always ended class on time. Made sure everyone could see board. Very helpful office hours. Handled questions from students in a respectful manner even when student was pretentious. Knowledgeable of the subject (sadly lacking in not a few professors). Easy to understand. Conveyed information effectively and efficiently.

9-9-8

Professor makes a significant effort to give every student an opportunity to succeed. Probably this is an "easy" professor. I would prefer more difficult exams that are "curved".

8-9-8

He is a great professor that really tries hard to ensure that his students understand the material. Although he is full of energy, wish he would slow down a bit.

9-9-9

Very organized professor with exceptionally clear lectures. Amazing, though grading scheme could be a little more generous.

PARK, Fred

Math 134, sec. 1 – Linear and Nonlinear Systems of Differential Equations (cont.)

9-9-9

Dr. Park is one of the best instructors I've had at UCLA. He explains all material thoroughly and clearly. I really enjoyed being in his class and I hope I'll have the opportunity to have another class with him in the future.

8-9-8

Dr. Park is an excellent professor. In a difficult subject, such as upper-division mathematics, Dr. Park does a commendable job of ensuring that all students are "on board" with the material. And will not hesitate to answer any and all questions. Consistently one of the best professors here at UCLA.

9-9-9

He communicates very clearly and he gives a lot of extra time outside of class for help. His assignments and exams are fair and his authorization keeps everyone interested in the course material.

9-9-7

Dr. Park is an excellent professor who really cares for his students. His effort in making practice exams and setting review sessions is wonderful.

9-9-8

Very fair grading, homework assignments reasonable and helpful, makes conscious efforts to help students and makes himself available.

9-9-8

Good professor, cares about his students' learning.

9-9-9

Yay! Best professor I've ever had. Very engaging and passionate about teaching.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an extremely good and effective math professor. He lectures very eloquently and professionally. He is very organized and his teaching style is excellent. Homework and tests are extremely fair. He makes sure the class understands everything before moving on.

9-9-9

Excellent communicator. Clear, logical presentation of material. Ability to deal with details so that students can concentrate on learning. Available outside of class. Exceptional instructor. Best at UCLA (for math).

7-9-8

Not my favorite math class, but the teacher is very interactive.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables

9-9-9

Best teacher I've ever had at UCLA - so helpful, he always goes above and beyond for the students; offering practice tests, review sessions, extra office hours, etc. for every test we had. Extremely dedicated to the students.

9-9-9

Great Professor. Very funny. Easy to approach. Wants us to learn.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is a great teacher. He knows the material and helps his students in any way possible.

9-9-9

Best professor I have yet to have at UCLA, especially for math.

9-9-8

Very welcoming to students. Concerned about students grades/understanding of the material. Best professor I have had at UCLA.

9-9-9

The exams are very good and every ting in lecture is very clear.

9-9-8

Great professor. Only suggestion would be to start class right on time – usually delayed about five minutes.

9-8-8

Tough class. There should be a curve.

9-9-9

One of the best math teachers I have ever had.

9-9-9

Good professor. Very effective, nice organized, interesting. Test/exams – wording can be confusing.

9-8-9

Great teacher, hilarious and is very clear when he teaches.

8-9-7

Prof. Park is the best math professor I've had at UCLA.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-8-8

Prof. Park is an incredible teacher. He combines excellent examples with colorful commentary and extremely witty jokes. If anything, he deserves a raise.

9-9-8

Very helpful instructor, organized lectures. Really cares about students and listens to them.

9-9-9

Professor is very organized. Every lecture is on time.

8-9-9

He makes the class a good fun one to take.

9-9-9

Good professor, generous grading.

9-9-9

Great Professor, best math professor I have had. Make sure he keeps teaching!

9-9-8

Dr. Park was a good teacher who explained math really clearly. Instead of focusing on just crazy materials, he made it understandable. He was always available and willing to help us succeed.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an amazing professor. He goes beyond the call of duty to make sure his students understand the topics and succeed. He makes math enjoyable.

9-9-9

Very fast, but good. Exams are quite easy, but thorough, so it's good no unnecessary difficult stuff.

9-9-9

Very effective teacher. Great examples in lecture. Very helpful.

9-9-9

Pure awesomeness, beyond description.

9-8-8

Great, helpful, teacher. One of the best I've had.

9-9-9

Great teacher. Very effective, very helpful and approachable outside of class.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-9

Excellent professor. Grading for this course is extremely fair. Thanks for a great quarter.

9-9-9

Fair grading, genuinely cares about his students and their progress in the course.

9-9-9

He is the best math teacher I have had so far and one of the best teachers at UCLA. I really want to take more classes with him.

9-9-9

Excellent professor, one who actually cares about the success of his students.

9-9-9

Park always cares about whether or not students understand the material. He's always available to answer questions. I felt that Park really wanted everyone to succeed.

9-9-9

One of the best math professors I've had this year.

9-9-8

Excellent professor, explains things very well. About right workload.

9-9-8

Seriously, feels like primary/secondary school math again (that's a good thing). I really learned so much in the best way possible. You're up there with Corbin for Physics for the best professor at UCLA. Please keep up the good work.

9-9-9

Keep the practice midterms going, it's helpful. Maybe give a higher percentage of B/A when the mean is 87. Good overall.

9-9-9

Professor Park is the best professor I've had so far. His lectures are concise and organized. He is extremely helpful in office hours.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an organized, composed, and highly effective instructor. He understands the material better than the authors of our own math textbook and communicates clearly to his students. His exams are challenging, yet students feel comfortable taking them and score very high, showing a firm grasp of the material.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-8

I really enjoy the lectures. I enjoy coming to class. In addition, Dr. Park is super helpful during office hours.

9-9-9

The tests really tested the concepts that were taught in lecture. They were reasonable in respect to the difficulty level and I feel that I have learned a lot about mathematics from this class. I would definitely take Dr. Park again for another math class.

9-9-8

Dr. Park is by far the best math professor I've had in the past two years at UCLA. He is organized helpful, and makes math (calculus) a lot easier to understand. He is always concerned about the students and his availability to help students is amazing and greatly appreciated. Thank you Dr. Park.

9-9-7

Excellent Professor. Best math teacher I've had to date.

9-9-9

Excellent teacher with superb teaching methods. Would advise to lecture 32B in Fall 2009.

8-NA-8

Dr. Park is a great instructor, but he's got to drop the ego. Even though he has the experience and knowledge to brag, students work better if he was more humble.

9-9-8

Please have Prof. Park teacher Math 32B in Fall 2009!

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an excellent math teacher. I would really like to take another one of his math course. He is always well-prepared and explains everything thoroughly, but at a good quick pace. I would like to have him teach 32B in the fall.

9-9-7

Really good teacher, always available to help outside the classroom, and really helpful in preparing for midterms.

9-9-9

Does a great job at delivering the information effectively and in a method that is completely understandable. One of the best math instructors I have had to date.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-8

Best math professor I've had at UCLA thus far. Dr. Park is organized, helpful and effective. He grades fairly and actually shows us how to do math problems in class instead of focusing solely on confusing proofs.

9-9-9

Very effective professor. Conveys the course material really well.

9-8-9

Dr. Park knows his material he is teaching. At times, he seems dry and appears to be unapproachable, but I know he tries to accommodate students. He presents the material in a straightforward manner, which is easy to understand.

9-7-9

His lectures help give extra background on the tools used in math 32A. They're entertaining as well as informative and are worth going to.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an excellent professor in teaching Math that I have never met. His teaching is really clear and he is very helpful.

8-9-8

Dr. Park knows the material and cares that his students learn it well. He makes himself available for us and puts extra effort in our successes.

9-9-9

Dr. Park has been one of the best, enthusiastic, organized, very helpful professors that I have experienced at UCLA. He made me a 30 year old undergrad at UCLA, but comfortable by answering questions in class and during office hours.

9-9-8

This class proved to be very effective as well as very enjoyable. Park is a bit of a perfectionist, but that keeps the class amused and thus focused. All-in-all, the course was excellent.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is very knowledgeable about the material and worked at a pace that kept the class challenging, yet do-able.

9-9-9

Best math teacher, he's the natural choice. His ability to teach, and dedicating to our learning are really valuable. It was a great quarter and I learned more about math than in any other class before. Plus it was enjoyable to learn. Nearly perfect.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an extremely effective teacher. He makes it plainly known that he has high standards for his class, but he has even higher standards for the quality of his teacher. He makes himself readily available and is willing to help at anytime. Loved the class.

9-8-9

This was one of my favorite math classes ever taken. Dr. Park is a very effective teacher. I entered UCLA as a math minor and because of the strength of the Math Department, I am now going to become a double major in math. Great job Dr Par. I hope to take more classes from you.

9-9-9

Professor Park has been my best instructor this year. His lectures are very clear and organized. The homework assignments are very manageable and helpful to learn the material. He also prepares us very well for exams and I appreciate how much time he gives to helping his students. He's the "natural choice".

9-9-9

Devoted extra, unrequired (sic) time to teaching. Helpful outside of class and he wanted everyone to succeed.

9-7-8

Very good at teaching, very clear. Midterms were way too easy. Would have liked them a lot harder, but since this class is not curved, I am not complaining. I liked the grading system because I hate competition. Overall, fun class.

9-9-7

You're one of the greatest teachers I've had this year and I think you're the best teacher I've had so far. Thank you for a memorable math quarter.

9-9-9

Great course. Challenging and interesting and always welcoming.

9-9-9

Park is the best Math teacher I've had. Very helpful, easy to understand and available outside of class.

9-9-9

Excellent at explaining concepts Always willing to help outside of class. Review sessions were very helpful.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an excellent teacher that genuinely cares for his students and their success.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-9

Prof. Park is extremely knowledgeable and is more than qualified to teach this course. His method of teaching is effective. He welcomes questions and makes it enjoyable to learn. The best UCLA professor as of yet.

9-9-9

I really enjoyed taking this class with Dr. Park. He was very helpful and clearly cares about his students doing well. I loved him.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an excellent teacher. He is very passionate about the subject and is able to make it fun at the same time. The tests are very reasonable and are clearly covered in class, but also challenges us. I will feel very fortunate to get him as a teacher again.

9-9-9

Very effective teacher, every class was clear and well-presented.

9-9-8

He's very clear in explaining and available. Also, very helpful and has good handwriting. He sometimes goes a little too quickly during lecture though.

9-9-8

Great professor, answers any questions or concerns in class. He is helpful, clear and concise.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is the most effective professor at UCLA. His lectures are presented extremely clearly and he is genuinely concerned about whether his students comprehend the material. Dr. Park is quite personable and makes his lecture enjoyable to all. His class is one of the few which fills up every day.

9-9-9

Excellent teacher, really cared about student learning.

9-9-9

Best math professor I had at UCLA. Very helpful. Offers many office hours and appointments. Offers great practice midterms and review sessions. Tests are great. Overall, great instructor.

9-9-9

Dr. Park knew the subject matter perfectly. Easy to follow and understand his lectures. Gives his students every opportunity to seek help if needed. Thank you for a good 32A class, Dr. Park.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-8

Best math professor ever.

8-9-8

Very clear and precise.

9-9-9

The class was great. Felt like I learned the material effectively In the time that we had. Exams were well-made and I felt like we were prepared adequately for them.

9-9-9

Great Professor. I have finally enjoyed going to math class. Absolutely awesome professor.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an extremely effective teacher. He thoroughly explores each concept he teaches in order to maximize his students' potentials. I really enjoyed learning in his class since he challenged me to think and perform to my best ability.

8-8-8

An excellent teacher who lectures in a clear manner. Entertaining too.

8-9-8

The professor is truly great. I will definitely try to be in his class more often. His class teaching has a lot of equations and not enough numbers. He gives us practice exams and review sessions, which is great.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is an extremely effective teacher. His lectures are clear, and it is quite evident that he wants all of his students to do well. I would definitely recommend student to take his class.

9-9-8

Has genuine interest in students. Best math professor by far.

9-9-9

Fantastic, thorough teacher.

9-9-9

Instructor is well-prepared in each class and always interested in his students to learn the material. Always available and willing to answer questions. IO highly recommend him and he is by far the best professor I've had at UCLA.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-9

Best instructor I have had at UCLA.

9-9-9

Awesome teacher. Enthusiastic, and always open to help.

9-9-8

Dr. Park is an amazing professor. He explains every concepts explicitly and effectively. He is very willing to help and answer questions in and out of class. His course and course material is challenging yet interesting. I love Fred Park. Can he teacher every math class here?

9-9-8

Park is awesome. Best math class and professor I've had at UCLA> His lectures are fun and Park is very entertaining in class and in office hours. Let him teacher 32B His test are challenging but manageable with all his extra help.

9-9-9

Professor is very helpful outside of class and genuinely cares about student learning.

9-9-6

Effective instructor, very concerned for the needs of the students. Readily available. Pleased to have been in this class.

9-9-7

Dr. Park is an extremely knowledgeable and effective instructor. He applies the curriculum to real world applications.

9-9-9

Park is the best professor I've ever had. He makes me enjoy lectures and I'm actually learning constantly throughout the quarter.

9-9-9

Awesome professor. Very clear and passionate about the course. Also cares about student learning very much.

9-9-9

He is the best math professor yet. I have ad hard time understanding the things he says/does in the first half hour. Lots of crap. Don't' kiss ass to the students. Don't waste 5 minutes every lecture erasing. That's 2.5 hours/ quarter.

PARK, Fred

Math 32A, sec. 3 – Calculus of Several Variables (cont.)

9-9-9

Dr. Park is one of the best teachers I have had. He knows what he is doing, he explains things very well, and his test and homework are just right. I look forward to taking another class of his in the future.

9-9-9

Organized lectures, fair tests and extremely helpful during office hours.

9-9-7

Dr. Park is a tremendous instructor who makes himself more available to students than any other professor I've had.

9-7-7

Dr. Park is a great teacher. Lecture is sometimes a bit too fast to digest, but Dr. Park is clear and specific. Overall an enjoyable class.

9-7-8

I really appreciated his practice tests and review sessions.

9-9-9

He is very dedicated, helpful and wonderful. Looking forward to his summer courses.

9-9-9

Dr. Park is the best professor I have had at UCLA> He truly cares for his students and really made math enjoyable.

9-9-8

Dr. Park has restored my faith in UCLA math.

9-9-9

Dr. Park really cares about his students. He holds review session and asks us if the TAs are helpful.

9-9-9

As someone who sits in this class because I didn't get enrolled due to the class filling up, it was definitely worth my time.