Mathematics Department—University of California, Santa Barbara

Instructor: Ben Cote  Course: Math 8  Quarter: Summer  Year: 2015

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   Taught at a great pace (maybe mixed at end because it’s summer)
   Clear to understand. Some group activities were challenging to think about. Maybe provide more info when doing more difficult group discussion. Organized. Tests are maybe a bit more tough than usual work but fair.

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   The course was very interesting to think about.
   Tough to learn the ways to go about this topic.
   Textbook was tough to read through. Liked lecture notes & section discussion.
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   - Kept the class interesting and informative. I felt like I learned a lot. Explained things clearly and well. Always willing to answer questions. Overall great class.

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   *Everything was fine.*
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   I thought that Ben did a very good job of making very dense topics easier to understand. Felt that the grading was completely fair. Super helpful when help was needed. Overall great.

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   Great instructor, teaches and presents material well. Clear and has great positive attitude when teaching. One of the best math instructors I've had.

2. Please comment on the course (for example: content, level of difficulty, textbook, physical conditions of the room and chalk or white boards, suggestions for improvement, advice to students who might take this class, etc.) Continue on back if necessary.

   Great class. Difficult, requiring much dedication and practice!
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Course: Math 7 Quarter: Summer Year: 2015

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   Weakness
   * Many times topics were sped up recently (topology)

   Strengths
   * Always prepared to answer questions
   * Clear on what was expected to be done

   Overall, Ben was a great instructor who made lectures interesting and allow students to be interactive. What would make him awesome is giving everyone A's and B's.

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   Great teacher. Presented the class in a simple way and walked you through proofs. This was my second time taking this course and I had a much better experience. Was always willing to help in office hours and the exams were manageable. It was hard to stay motivated with this class everyday in summer but the random pop quizzes forced you to stay on your feet.

2. Please comment on the course (for example: content, level of difficulty, textbook, physical conditions of the room and chalk or white boards, suggestions for improvement, advice to students who might take this class, etc.) Continue on back if necessary.

   Book was unnecessary. Class is difficult and a requirement for Actuarial Science students even though very different from Calculus or Probability.
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   very cool guy, great at working w/ students
   fair and chill

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   just the right level of difficulty
   sometimes stuffy in the classroom
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   Love the way he teaches math. He clearly show students the concept in a simple way. Even though the homework is challenging, but office hour and the teaching assistant were helpful. Overall, is a very good instructor! :) 

2. Please comment on the course (for example: content, level of difficulty, textbook, physical conditions of the room and chalk or white boards, suggestions for improvement, advice to students who might take this class, etc.) Continue on back if necessary.

   The homework problems are challenging, but it is fair because those weren't graded. Help us think more about math.
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   I think overall the class is great! Lecture is clear and answer questions with clear explanation. But just for some topics, it was going pretty fast and it started the new topic before fully understand the previous topic.

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   I think all topics are great! wish have more time to talk more on each topic!
Instructor: Ben Coke      Course: Math 8      Quarter: Summer      Year: 15

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He was Organized and Clear in his lectures.
Always stopped to make sure he was being understood.

2. Please comment on the course (for example: content, level of difficulty, textbook, physical conditions of the room and chalk or white boards, suggestions for improvement, advice to students who might take this class, etc.) Continue on back if necessary.

He was Legendary!
Prove Ben was legendary
i) content was awesome = awesome content
ii) 
iii)
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Always ready, on time, and in a good mood.
Very generous w/office hours.
Awesome guy, easy to not feel belittled like some professors.

2. Please comment on the course (for example: content, level of difficulty, textbook, physical conditions of the room and chalk or white boards, suggestions for improvement, advice to students who might take this class, etc.) Continue on back if necessary.

Good, some questions on HW were a little tough but tests/Quizzes were doable
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* Clear instruction and obviously passionate about mathematics. Lots of preparation for exams and a thorough intro to math.

* Organization could be better. Readings in text were less common as quarter went on. Some math problems weren't fully introduced before being asked to solve.

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level of difficulty was good.

Prfer more material to read outside of class.
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   * I thought that he was awesome.
   * He made everything really clear.
   * His homework was straightforward and the tests revolved around it.
   * No complaints, keep doing what you are doing.

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   It is difficult, but Ben made it much easier.
   * Really enjoyed the material & textbook.
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   Instructor very knowledgeable, however, material toward end of the quarter didn't seem to flow well. Seem like he was trying to squeeze in a lot of material he thought was interesting—though it was, there was not enough time. Would jump from topic to topic, making material seem irrelevant.

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   Fair for the most part — material/curriculum toward end could use improvement.
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   In the beginning, before the first midterm, the teaching was moderate/satisfactory. What we were given I taught was given as is on the midterm. However, after taking in the written evaluations, the teaching focused a lot more on concepts using dragons vs. probably made explaining easier. I think it would have been better to use numbers since it’s more concrete.

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   The textbook wasn’t much help after the 1st midterm.
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   I actually really like J your class. I thought it was easy but certainly engaging and interesting. My friend got through one of your classes and said "He's a Cookies like us, I like him" Keep on keeping on, one of my favorite math students.

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   Just wish you had some resources for non-textbook stuff. You helped me discover graph theory, I love it.

   Section wasn't helpful 70% of the time.
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Availability is helpful. There are some sections that should be covered a little more thoroughly. Not one lesson and then have homework due for that topic.

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   Bring Class but Ben makes it interesting. Expectations are clear and students know what to prepare.

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I think he did a great job. He was empathetic and helpful for my needs in terms of the class. Though I felt a little rushed towards the end in regards of material, I still had a better understanding than when I had previously taken the course. I do wish there were more online aids, such as notes and homework/test solutions posted.

2. Please comment on the course (for example: content, level of difficulty, textbook, physical conditions of the room and chalk or white boards, suggestions for improvement, advice to students who might take this class, etc.) Continue on back if necessary.

The class itself seemed a bit too abstract and difficult. As someone who had already finished many of my upper division courses for my major, I feel that this class was not quite necessary for me, in terms of its difficulty.
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   One of the best teachers I've had.

   Strengths
   - Clarity
   - Enthusiasm
   - Mathematical explanations

   You're a great educator. For the most part keep doing what you're doing.

   Weaknesses
   - Not explaining WOR in terms of induction
   (i.e. you have a ladder that there isn't a step below)
   - Homeworks and quizzes kinda arbitrary
   - Grading distribution

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   Very difficult.
   I would keep the same pace if I were to do it.
   Inadequate reference material at times.
   I would have liked the exam sheet easier.
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   Weaknesses: Him & the TA would sometimes teach things in contradictory ways. He would also rephrase questions to make them more manageable. Kind of hurts credibility.

   Strengths: Teaching style & enthusiasm were awesome. He put 100% effort and cared about the students and was always available, responsive, and explicit. Ben is a great guy.

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   This was the first course that challenged me just as much as it terrified me and I believe that is all because of Ben's style. He wanted us to become more of a math fan by the end of the course. His goal was to increase our interest in math.
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   His teaching is very helpful. In terms of clear logic in explaining questions, he is also very patient to solve the problems in office hours and class.

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   Math 8 is kind of difficult to me.
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   Very knowledgeable and enthusiastic about the subject matter (which was also inherently interesting). This was the best math class I've taken at UCSB so far!

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   A sometimes started sections a couple of minutes early, which was annoying when 6 was getting there directly from another class.
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   good explanation, answer homework questions.

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   A very good course to learn how to prove and train the logic of math.
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Instructor: Ben Coie Course: 8 Quarter: Summer Year: 2015

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   Made the math class so much more interesting, motivates students and helpful 😊
   This class worths sacrificing my summer holidays for it, Thank you!

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   The material seems hard at first, but with the help of Ben and the TA, it was a lot easier to understand.
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   Excellent teaching, the class became very interesting and fun to learn.

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   It's challenging for all math 8, and I think this class as well, but the process is much more interesting and it makes people want to learn...
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Ben definitely has a mastery of the material but he could better explain it by "dumming it down" more. I've noticed that there is often a much more basic explanation that could have been used than what we get in lecture. Also when he goes through examples in lecture he can sometimes get caught up in the problem and forget to explain why he is taking certain steps. Most of the time, I don't know why he's doing things I just know he's setting a pattern for what to do. Overall, made the class more enjoyable than it would have been o.w.

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   For the teaching part, the freedom for students to build their own ability to solve problems is good. However, the concept is still not strong enough, since the in-lecture exercise of problems is not enough.

   This teacher is the most patient and kind teacher I have never met before. Talking with him is really good, and I learn more from his office hours.

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   I like the difficulty of this class, since it is more focus on the textbook, more focus on the basic concept. It's really good for students who want to add math of their minor.