

Wright State University

201980 Fall courses taught in classroom

Course: 201980ME-3350-01: ME-3350 -1 Fluid Dynamics
Instructor: Scott Thomas *
Response Rate: 12/42 (28.57%)

1 - Describe the overall effectiveness of this instructor.

Scott Thomas

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- Yes
- Excellent Professor!! Professor Thomas really cares about his students and loves the material that he teaches. I feel like I learned a lot in his class this semester. I wish other professors are as good of a teacher as he is.
- very effective
- eh
- Scott Thomas was sufficient in his abilities to demonstrate knowledge in the course material.
- Effective
- Very effective. Material was sometimes complicated, but was explained well.
- Effective but instead of learning, I felt like I was just copying a text book word for word. There was not enough explaining in between writing. I think that copying notes is a fine way to run a class, but it seemed like Dr. Thomas was relying on his notes to teach us instead of actually engaging in the class room. The example problems would be much more effective if he worked them out more by hand and let us think about it instead of just giving us the answer right away. Talking through the problem and actually solving it by hand is much more helpful than just writing it down.
- Very effective
- Very effective
- Dr. Thomas has a very effective class set up for me.
- one of the best professors wsu will ever have, really amazing and smart proffosser and I really hope t have classes w him in the future.

2 - Did the instructor evaluate your work based on the expectations described in the course syllabus?

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- Yes
- Yes, everything was clearly set out and reviewed.
- yes
- eh
- Scott Thomas evaluated my work based on the expectations described in the course syllabus.
- Yes
- Yes.
- The syllabus is all knowing, all seeing, and all powerful. Unfortunately, that meant that even if a topic was not complete, we would move on because the syllabus can't be changed.
- Expectations were clear and in line with the syllabus
- Yes he did
- yes
- yes he did

3 - Did the instructor routinely start class on time and use the full class period?

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- Yes
- Yes, every day was used to the full.
- yes always does
- yes
- Scott Thomas routinely started class on time and used the full class period.
- Yes
- Yes.
- 11:15 exactly.
- yes
- Yes he did
- yes
- yes he did

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4 - How did the instructor demonstrate interest in your learning?	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yes • He did so by his approach to teaching. He asks questions to the class and brings us along to the answer. • 90%of grade are tests • eh • Scott Thomas was very approachable and taught course material in a way that is understandable with support along the way. • Yes • Implemented an interesting project to engage students in place of a homework. • He was funny and talked about real situations. • yes • He held office hours and would approach us individually to ask if we understood the material. Very helpful! • Yes, more than any other teacher Ive ever had. • Im really passionate about the material he teaches and might get into the thermal track because of him 	

5 - How effectively did the instructor communicate both in and out of the classroom?	
Scott Thomas	
Response Rate	11/42 (26.19%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yes • Very well! • very well had multiple office hours available • eh • Scott Thomas was effective in communicating both in and out of the classroom. • Effective communication • Very well. • Communication was great. • Very well! • very well • good 	

6 - Were the course content and lectures well organized?	
Scott Thomas	
Response Rate	11/42 (26.19%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yes • They were very organized. • YES • eh • The course content and lectures were sufficiently organized. • Yes • Yes. • Yes • Yes they were • yes, very well • yes 	

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7 - Was the instructor reasonably available and responsive to your needs during office hours and appointments, or on line?

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- Yes
- Yes
- yes he is very flexible if need be. he always here to help
- yes
- Scott Thomas was reasonably available and responsive to my needs during office hours and appointments or online.
- Great availability
- Yes.
- Always availible
- Yes he was
- yes
- yes

8 - Do you have any additional, relevant comments?

Scott Thomas

Response Rate	8/42 (19.05%)
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- Yes
- I am very thankful to Professor Thomas, for who he is. I am sometimes disappointed in the faculty at WSU. I have had several professors here that don't grade homework on time, have unrealistic expectations of students, or are to the point in their careers that they have lost their passion. Professor Thomas is the best at WSU.
- n/a
- None at this time.
- I always have and always will enjoy Dr. Thomas's class. However, his teaching is not my style. His word for word copying does not help me absorb the information. Dr. Thomas is kind and caring, and will always have my utmost respect. I would gladly sign up for a class with him again, unless I knew a different professor that is more my style. All in all, Dr. Thomas is a great person and an alright professor.
- He was very nice and helpful, he cared about his students and their grades. Very good!!
- Dr. Thomas was one of the most enjoyable teachers Ive ever had
- no