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Student Reviews in University Instruction

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Term ID	Course Level	No. of Courses	Overall Rating	Average Rating	Dept Average Rating	College Average Rating	Percent Response(%)
Fall 2014	All Courses	3	4.5	4.5	3.8	4.1	85.51
Spring 2015	All Courses	3	4.6	4.4	3.9	4.2	89.39
Summer 2015	All Courses	2	4.2	4.0	4.0	4.2	17.86
Fall 2015	All Courses	4	4.2	4.2	3.9	4.2	47.31
Spring 2016	All Courses	3	4.7	4.7	4.1	4.2	47.83
Summer 2017	All Courses	1	4.7	4.6	4.1	4.3	42.86
Fall 2017	All Courses	2	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.2	46.67
Spring 2018	All Courses	1	4.7	4.9	4.2	4.3	50.00

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2014
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM I LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2045-011, Reference Number 80086	

I felt Doug did a great job assisting us when we needed it. But I did have a coincidence where I needed clarification on an assignment/ grade I was given and he was unable to fully clarify exactly what was wrong. I hope he is teaching chem lab 2 in the Fall.

Mr. Franz is a good TA who is always on time and gives us the required information for completing the labs.

He is amazing and a cutie. He is bae.

Doug was awesome. He was helpful with critics on my lab reports.

He is a great guy and a good teacher.

Douglas Franz is a great TA who is very helpful and always knows what he is talking about.

He is an intelligent teacher and very helpful with the learning process.

He was a great teacher, very helpful and respected. I would suggest others to take the lab from him as well, this is my best grade and I understood the material very clearly.

Doug is bae.

He often tried to help with the labs which was very nice. At times he seemed confused himself and often didnt seem prepared for some activities. Overall, he defintiely tried to help the students pass and was a nice TA.

You did a great job.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2014
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM I LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2045-030, Reference Number 80104	

Overall, one of the better teachers I've had. He is always willing to help and explains everything clearly.

He was very helpful if there was anything you didn't understand, great TA

Mr. Franz is a very good instructor and TA. I have learned so much in this lab class and I feel prepared for Chem 2 Lab class!

He was good.

Douglas is awesome and is definitely a great TA. He's extremely helpful and has an evident passion for chemistry.

Pretty good.

Doug is awesome! He is very helpful and is always willing to answer questions. I would definitely take Doug again, if possible.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2014
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM I LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2045-902, Reference Number 80117	

helpful

Doug is a great TA. He's Awesome!!!

He was great! He was always helpful and was very understanding. He didn't give out solutions, but helped you along the way during lab so you could better understand the material. I now feel better prepared for next semester and I feel more comfortable in the lab.

Very nice, seemed appropriate with his grading. Seemed very down to earth to the students and always willing to help.

He is awesome !!!!

Cool teacher, kept everything concise. Kept me from coming into class because I didn't have a lab coat once, but he was doing his job. Keep it up, dude.

Douglas Franz was extremely helpful and made the Chemistry Lab great. He was always around to answer questions and kept us informed. He has definitely prepared me for future science classes.

Douglas Franz made it possible for our class to succeed and enjoy learning. He was ready to help when we were confused but made sure that he didn't just give us the answers. As a result, I believe that our class was an excellent learning experience. He clearly cared about our success and was an exceptional teacher.

Douglas Franz was really helpful

More enthusiasm towards lab activities.

he's alright

Doug was very helpful and explained information in a way that made sense and was easy to understand.

cool guy. knows what he's talking about

He is quite awesome.

Great educator. knows what he is talking about.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Spring 2015
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM II LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2046-016, Reference Number 14305	

Overall a very good TA. Very clear with giving instructions and relaying information to us. Very strict in regards to grading; however, I definitely feel that I learned a lot from him.

Awesome sauce! He's a great teacher and always took the time to explain what we were doing so we weren't lost.

I like that he took the time to really explain the ideas behind the experiments, which made it easier to come up with the methods needed to finish the experiments.

Douglas Franz is a very helpful TA and I recommend him for future chem lab two classes.

Douglas was extremely helpful and understanding throughout the course. He offered helpful advice and explanations during each project of the semester. During lab reports especially he was very clear on his explanations and gave good feedback on how to improve.

Mr Franz. Was a great TA. Very knowledgeable and great at relaying information.

You are the best TA I have ever had. Expectations were clear and emails were informative and the extra help and links you provided were very helpful.

Always available to assist students when needed, and genuinely cared about the performance of students. Able to facilitate the learning process, without giving the students all of the answers.

Very good instructor. Enjoyed learning with him.

Great instructor and very knowledgeable.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Spring 2015
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM II LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2046-017, Reference Number 10794	

Course Comment:

Great TA! he was great at explaining things and I completely understood all of the material.

Douglas Franz was a very good TA and made sure that we knew exactly how to go about doing the experiments.

Really good and fair chem lab TA. Glad to have taken his class.

monotone, good TA. Very straight forward.

Douglas was a great T.A. and was always there to help. He explained the concepts clearly and made it interesting.

Very informative and helpful!

Douglas Franz was an excellent chemistry TA. He helped us understand the key concepts and what was expected of us, but never spelled out what we were supposed to do for each and every experiment because he wanted us to learn how to solve problems ourselves. He guided us in the right direction without giving us step by step instructions.

Great TA; best I've had during freshman year.

Douglas Franz is a great lab TA!

He's a fair TA and explains grades well.

Very good ta, Douglas made it very clear -- much more so than last semester.

The best TA I've had so far. He was excellent at explaining chemistry concepts and reviewed ideas before and free each project.

He was great!!

All USF professors should be as proficient and effective as TA Franz. He puts many of your professors to shame.

Douglas was a very good TA. He was thorough in explaining the objectives of each experiment and how to obtain the needed results, which allowed me to get the most out of my laboratory experience.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Spring 2015
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM II LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2046-909, Reference Number 24434	

Doug is really nice and extremely helpful with digging into the material in each lab. He went over lab report expectations plenty and gave us a plethora of information to use during planning.

Doug is an amazing TA and is very good at chemistry. Learned so much about the chemical experiments we did and had such a better understanding of them.

Does not keep his word.

didn't keep to his word and went back on previous statements. Was not very helpful when asked about calculations. Didn't give straight forward answers and made a lot of information confusing.

He was a great TA and helped his students as much as he could.

Great at helping us understand the lab, without giving away too much on how to do it. Really enjoyed working with him.

Doug is a great TA and he is going to do great things once he gets into his field. He shows great enthusiasm and is fair in my opinion. He grades a little harshly but I would rather have someone that cares about the material than someone who makes the class easy. I

learned about chemistry more in his class than in lecture. USF should fight to make sure he doesn't leave this campus because he is very good at what he does.

He was a good teacher

Best TA

Doug was a very helpful and informative TA. He always made sure we knew what his preferences and requirements were. He made sure our understanding of the material was at a level in which we could perform the experimentation. He answered any and all questions to the best of his ability.

He is an excellent TA. He explains things thoroughly and clearly.

Doug is very helpful and does a really good job of explaining what is expected to be done. Helps explain how things should be done but challenges you do to it on your own. great TA

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Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Summer 2015
Course Title : ORGANIC CHEMISTRY LAB II	Course ID : CHM 2211-006, Reference Number 50040	

Good TA, no complaints, was there on time, didn't give attitude, chill guy to be around. 7/10 over all

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Summer 2015
Course Title : ORGANIC CHEMISTRY LAB I	Course ID : CHM 2210-904, Reference Number 50312	

Douglas provides support and assistance whenever asked for in the organic chemistry lab. he is effective in explaining what needs to be done in lab and helps with calculation and results for our lab report. he also has a very positive attitude

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2015
Course Title : CHEMISTRY FOR TODAY	Course ID : CHM 2023-001, Reference Number 82893	

Douglas was a nice TA to have. He is funny and is passionate about what he does. In class he would give a mini lecture about what we did in the classes previous. He would also help if it was needed, but he would not just tell us the answer, he would lead us in the right direction.

He is a good instructor who is willing to answer any questions.

Douglas teaches with passion and answers any questions with a response and ensures your understanding, it's not very often you say a TA teaches better than the professor

Goes over all the detail step by step and very funny guy.

Franz was really easy to work with, whenever anyone needed help, he was there and provided help. There's a lot of confusion during the investigations, but Franz manages to help us through. We had a substitute T.A. one week, and I realized how awesome of a T.A. Franz is.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2015
Course Title : CHEMISTRY FOR TODAY	Course ID : CHM 2023-026, Reference Number 84756	

Laid back, cool, and knowledgeable. When we needed help, we would gladly offer it. Also provided outside information relating to what the course was teaching, which was an added bonus.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2015
Course Title : CHEMISTRY FOR TODAY	Course ID : CHM 2023-002, Reference Number 82894	

Franz did a good job of explaining things when I didn't understand them.

Very willing to help and explain concepts out fully.

Doug is a great TA. I wish he continued his journey to General Chemistry 1 so I could have him for that as well. He relates to us students and tries to incorporate humor while still getting the job done. He has helped me countless times with thing I did not understand and needed to be made clearer. He is also a great addition to the USF science team.

Mr. Franz was always willing to answer questions when I asked them. He tried to explain concepts in ways different from Dr Cruz so that if anyone hadn't understood yet then maybe this new explanation would help. This gave me a wider outlook on what we were learning.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2015
Course Title : CHEMISTRY FOR TODAY	Course ID : CHM 2023-005, Reference Number 82897	

Doug as a TA was very laid back and was easy to approach if I had any questions during the Friday session. Was knowledgeable on the subject and would ensure understanding when questions were brought to his attention. He certainly was a huge help in the duration of this course.

Mr. Franz was very helpful as a TA. He seemed knowledgeable and well-informed on all topics.

He's cool.

Doug was a great TA. Very laid-back and knows so much about Chemistry. He's a corky guy who can make you enjoy getting up on Fridays and doing chemistry. Great TA.

Doug was a great TA. He did a great job breaking down some of the more complex ideas taught in lecture. I never felt like I couldn't ask him a question regarding the material as he was always very patient in his explanations.

A good teacher's assistant. Constant with expectations and always helped.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Spring 2016
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM II LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2046-909, Reference Number 20876	

Doug is a great T.A. who clear understands the concepts of chemistry and translates this into his chemistry lab. He explained all the concepts very well in a way that was very easy to understand even to those who have not done these tests before. He managed to help with questions, but indirectly so the student would learn by themselves. I would certainly take another chemistry lab with Doug again.

He was always more than willing to take time to help you through a concept. He was very patient and had high expectations. He made this course a facilitation of learning and I appreciate that.

Doug Franz was a very helpful and knowledgeable. He was always able to answer questions as well as make sure the group experiment was running smoothly. By having Doug as my TA, he made Chem II lab much more enjoyable.

The best

My favorite TA thus far, He was always available to lend a helping hand and explain anything we didnt understand. We always felt welcome to ask for help and replied very

quickly to emails with helpful answers. He reviewed topics for the next lab before planning and before the lab and it made a huge difference in how well we completed the lab that day. Knew how to use all of the lab equipment and was over all a great instructor. Would recommend to anyone.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Spring 2016
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM II LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2046-027, Reference Number 17186	

Provided us just enough information to allow us to draw conclusions on how to complete labs, however did not give us the solutions

Very good instructor, gave help when needed

Very helpful and very good at what he does! You can tell he loves chemistry and that love is evident in his teaching style and lectures as well.

Great T.A. Very intelligent and helpful.

He is a great TA. He explains material very thoroughly and allows us the freedom to make our own procedures that correspond to the data needed. He is very knowledgeable about the material and his knowledge causes the class to have full understanding of what we are doing at all times.

Douglas was a great laboratory TA. He helped provide students with the help that they needed, but still allowed them to determine a way to go about experiments in their own way without being explicitly told what to do. He was friendly, attentive, and helpful in all manners.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Spring 2016
Course Title : GENERAL CHEM II LABORATORY	Course ID : CHM 2046-016, Reference Number 13459	

One of the best TAs I've ever had. Very clear about expectations and objectives of the week but never gave away the answer. The tools and steps were given but we were never handed the answer. Would 100% take any class he was teaching.

Amazing TA. He was able to explain material extremely well.

Great chemistry instructor with an interest in the subject

Doug was an amazing TA and also helped to make sure we were on track. At the beginning of the lab he would make sure no one had questions about what we were doing and also walk around to help critique us on lab procedures if needed. He would stop us and ask if we thought there was a better way to do what we were doing and really make us think. I enjoyed spending the semester with him and having him help us understand the laws of chemistry even more.

Doug was a great lab instructor, the best I've had so far 5/5

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Summer 2017
Course Title : GENERAL CHEMISTRY II LAB	Course ID : CHM 2046-008, Reference Number 52581	

He is an amazing TA and very enthusiastic about what he teaches.

He was an awesome TA

Excellent TA, Doug really made students feel comfortable with coming to talk and ask for advice. He really outlined what we needed to include in our reports in order to receive full credit and always had a positive attitude that wasn't stressful to us in the lab.

Very accommodating, genuinely invested in student success and understanding of course.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2017
Course Title : PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY I	Course ID : CHM 4410-001, Reference Number 80161	

Helpful in translating some of the higher level material to an understandable level.

Knows his stuff and explains slowly when needed.

Douglas is an awesome TA! His willingness to help students outside the classroom is truly amazing. He is quite gifted at breaking down difficult material in a way that makes it easier to understand.

I did not interact with Douglas Franz

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Fall 2017
Course Title : PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY I	Course ID : CHM 4410-002, Reference Number 94322	

A bit unprepared sometimes. Also, the Wolverine look is not for everyone.

I met with Doug frequently this semester and his explanations of concepts are quite beautiful. He is clearly fluent with the concepts and was always available for help.

Doug has done an excellent job of explaining concepts in our problem sessions that we did not understand. he was always willing to try a different tactic when it seemed that students weren't following the class.

Great at providing additional explanations for concepts went over in lecture. Emphasized what to do based on his own experiences.

Good TA, taught material and answered questions well. Also taught us important concepts in physical chemistry.

Great TA to fill recitations, always willing to answer questions with a good demeanor and patience for students questioning.

He was helpful during discussions on Fridays. Only thing I would say is that there needed to be more communication between him and Dr. Space in terms of what was being discussed because a lot of times Doug would go over stuff that Dr. Space hadn't got to yet.

Mr. Franz was capable of providing other methods to handle problems, and his insight was helpful.

Tampa - Arts & Sciences - Chemistry	Instructor : Franz, Douglas	Course Term : Spring 2018
Course Title : ORGANIC CHEMISTRY LAB I	Course ID : CHM 2210-025, Reference Number 19185	

Wonderful TA - the perfect amount of helpful and allowing us to figure things out for ourselves. I've seen TAs in other sections literally doing the experiments for the students and I have no idea how those kids learn. Doug allowed us to work to understand the experiments we were doing while at the same time provided helpful tips and techniques in order to understand the theory behind the experiment.

Douglas a one heck of a TA. Hes super understanding and helps us when we needed help understanding things about the lab. Mr.Franz is a great TA who knows his organic chemistry and was very open about allowing us perform our lab and allows us to learn from our mistakes. Unlike some TAs that i have had in that past and have seen who will technically do the whole experiment for each group and be upset when the results didnt come out the way they wanted them to. Usually i would never take an 8am class because i thought it would have been a drag, but i truly enjoyed every minute of orgo lab.

Doug was a cool TA. It would be awesome if he became a TA for one of my future labs.

Very patient and always willing to assist students. Always seemed with a good attitude.