Class Mean: 1.83  
Rice Mean: 1.74  
Responses: 6  

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Rice Mean: 2.32  
Responses: 6  

Class Mean: 2.00  
Rice Mean: 2.41  
Responses: 6  

Class Mean: 1.67  
Rice Mean: 2.28  
Responses: 6  

Class Mean: 2.00  
Rice Mean: 2.30  
Responses: 6  

Class Mean: 3.50  
Rice Mean: 3.19  
Responses: 6  

Percentage Distribution for Knowledge, Organization, Assignment, Challenge, Course, Workload, Reason, and Grade.
RICE UNIVERSITY COURSE/INSTRUCTOR EVALUATION

17. Please give a written statement (in the space provided below) of your opinion of the teacher and course. Be sure to provide a complete explanation for your answers to questions 8 and 13 on part 1.

This was a good course, covering useful and relevant information. Dr. Loos was well-prepared for lectures and used a variety of literature and teaching devices. Lectures were clear for the most part. Sometimes it was easy to lose focus during lectures. Tests were generally fair; sometimes short problems seemed a little unrelated to information that we had access to. It was good to not have a time limit on the tests. I also liked the incorporation of software and spreadsheets into homework assignments. Dr. Loos also did a good job of being approachable to questions, having flexible office hours, and creating a good classroom atmosphere. I’m also glad this was a senior-level class because it was a good review of basic materials ideas but also a challenging introduction to new topics.
Dr. Loos is an extremely motivated and knowledgeable on this field. He really knew his stuff and was extremely accommodating to the students. He came in on Sundays some weeks to give assistance. The class itself was very relevant to the field of materials science and to my own interest in failure analysis.
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Dr. Loos was an exceptional professor, I never had such a dedicated teacher. I did not do well in this class, yet Dr. Loos always met with me to help me understand the problems I had. He always was extremely organized and I felt, went always out of the way to make the class interesting. Regardless of my individual performance, I believe Dr. Loos to be a rare teacher and I hope to take his class again. I even had him for Lab last year & he met me the day before Christmas to work on Lab reports to improve my grade. He didn't have to do this and I made a B- in that Lab. I am still very grateful for his time and efforts. I will work harder to understand better, the bottom line is, I think Dr. Loos is an exceptionally fair professor who never made me feel stupid & always was there to help me understand. I wish there were more teachers like him.
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Dr. Loos is a very good teacher. He is very respectful and is always willing to help students. He has a very good knowledge about the subject and I think the course is outstanding.
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His enthusiasm for the topic is very contagious, while he may be forgetful at times, his class was well taught and the material very interesting.
I thought the material for this course was very interesting and for the most part I thought it was presented in a manner that was also interesting. However, I felt that sometimes the graded experiences were not always fair to what was taught and I also felt that sometimes the grading was inconsistent. Overall though I really enjoyed the course and the course material.