



Instructor: **Hu, Wenqing** Title: **Elem Differen Equations**  
 Section(s): **MATH 3304 1L** Term: **SP2018**

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## Student Comments

### What are the strengths and weaknesses of the instructor?

Dr. Hu made class enjoyable and interesting. It was evident that he wanted to see the students succeed. Also, his office hours were helpful and I appreciated how they were right before class.

Always prepared, answers questions easily, understands how students "play" school, doesn't waste any time. Definitely one of the top 5 instructors I've had at Missouri S&T.

Enthusiastic about topic.

Strengths: This professor REALLY cares about students and their grades. Honestly, I have yet to have a professor with the dedication and commitment to the students and not just to their departments reputation that Dr. Hu has. The most outstanding teacher I have had, I have absolutely nothing to complain about. Weaknesses: None. Spectacular Teacher.

The instructor is always prepared or each lecture and does a great job explaining the course material by doing examples during class and giving students tips and tricks to improve. His slides are also posted on Canvas after each lecture so in case a student misses class they can look there. The only weakness is that sometimes he stutters but that is not really detrimental in any way.

Dr. Hu is very passionate about this course and his passion in turn makes me enjoy the class more. He is also very approachable and his material is clear and concise. I also enjoy his jokes in class. Overall, he did an amazing job this year.

He puts all notes on canvas so that students can go back and review each section. Another strength is at the end of each section, he puts more examples from old exams if you need more practice on certain problems.

Strengths: very passionate about the subject and is very knowledgeable Weakness: n/a

### What suggestions do you have for improving the quality of instruction?

I do not have any suggestions at this time.

Like I said before, Dr. Hu continuously went above and beyond every single day of the semester. He was always prepared for lecture, was always there on time, and always did everything he possibly could to prepare us for the tests.

None in particular

I had an enjoyable time in Diff eq No suggestions

**What are the strengths and weaknesses of the course?**

I really appreciated the Student Resource course on canvas with previous exams to help prepare for the exams this semester.

Lots of resources for student access. I did not like some of the homework problems we had. It just felt like the difficulty and reach of some of the homework problems were not consistent with examinations. Maybe its just that the exams test more on straight calculations, but the two just felt inconsistent.

Strengths: The course is well structured as far as having basically everything build off of each other. Weaknesses: The homework is unnecessarily hard. The level of difficulty on the homework does not even come close to comparing to the level of difficulty on the tests/classwork.

The course is quite straightforward and, for me at the very least, quite intuitive to understand. The only weakness is that occasionally we will cover a very complex subject in the homework, only to never talk about it in lecture or on tests.

n/a

**What suggestions do you have for course improvement?**

I do not have any suggestions at this time.

Try to make the homework actually relevant to the class and the exams. I could honestly have not done a single homework assignment all semester and still received the grades that I did on the exams.

Occasionally a complicated problem in homework will arise that was not discussed in lecture, nor is discussed the next day. I would suggest either going over such homework problems or removing them.

One suggestion is some homework problems were too difficult to work out since they were not examples seen in the class.

n/a

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