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University of Utah Course and Instructor Evaluation Written Comments Report Fall 2007

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Instructor: MACARTHUR, KELLY A;	
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List two things about the course content, materials or design that were effective for your learning, or make constructive suggestions for improvement.

- I loved all of the different mathematical concepts and algorithms that we covered. Math is fun again! I loved Kelly as a teacher! She was really wonderful and I hope to take another class with her in the future! Best teacher at the University by far!
- This was a great course and Kelly is an awesome teacher, it is just alot of work! I would suggest cutting back the amount of homework, it got really overwhelming at points and extremely time consuming. However, the work did help me alot. Just a ton of it!
- The work load was steep, considering I had 12 other credits this semester. I often felt exhausted and overwhelmed with the homework load. Having a key immediately following the exams was great. It was nice to look over the correct responses while my work was still fresh in my mind.
- i learned many new things, but more importantly, i learned many tools to do everything. i loved this class.
- Kelly Macarthur has her lessons very well organized. She was extremely knowledgable and a great instructor. Kudos to her
- problem sets and homework
- I loved this course! Kelly is a phenominal math teacher, and I am so grateful for all I learned!
- I learned a lot in this class, however I feel like I could have learned just as much by doing about half of the homework. Homework to me became busy work, and left me with no other time for other classes.

- Kelly was very very very patient and it was amazing. If I was her, I would've told half the class to "shut up" so that I could move on with course content. So... Way to go Kelly!
- I feel like some of the questions that were on the review to help us study for the test were a lot easier than the actual test questions...so I went into the test thinking I could handle it and ended doing not so good because the material was harder than expected
- The repetition was extremely effective

MACARTHUR, KELLY A: List two things about this instructor that were effective for your learning, or make constructive suggestions for improvement.

- Very good at teaching in a way that I was able to understand.
- I thought the instructor was excellent at explaining new material and answering questions. Her style of teaching was very conducive to a great learning environment.
- Her enthusiasm for the subject created a fun and extremely positive atmosphere. I also really liked her teaching style and encouragement of many different approaches to a single problem.
- I loved this course!!! The work load was a bit heavy..but it was helpful for the tests!
- Kelly is one of the best math teachers I've ever had! She's great, and anyone who is lucky enough to take a course from her is in good shape. She's very patient and if you don't understand something, she'll explain it in a different way, until you do get it. She's simply amazing!
- I felt like she didn't do a lot of teaching she just showed us example problems on the board and when questions were asked she tried to explain but I felt like it wasn't always the best explanations
- flexibility and clear expectations
- My only complaint is that this class has A LOT of work involved. The homework load is outrageous!
- Best teacher I've had!
- Kelly is a great math teacher, I wish I could have her for 4020
- She was very good at explaining and understanding the way students think about math
- Lose the bell. Thank you Kelly, for your intense knowledge of the strategies used in the class. Thank you for making math fun again and presenting it in a manner that helped me better comprehend the concepts and feel great about accomplishing math when I had previously had such a poor attitude towards.
- She was an amazing instructor, knowledgeable and passionate
- She was very open for questions. Made sure students who were unclear about a subject completely understood it before moving on to new material.

- kelly is the best math instructor i have ever had. she gave us many tools to solve problems and new ways to look at things.
- Kelly was an Awesome instructor, she made me view math (which is not my strongest subjects) in a totally different view. Her class was difficult but her style of teaching and explaining was extremely helpful. If we did not see what she was getting at the first time she took a different routes, until we were able to get her point. I wish Kelly was teaching a 4020 class next semester, all I can say is Kelly is an Outstanding teacher :)