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Instructor: POSS  
Course and Section no: Math 472  

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THIS CLASS GAVE ME A BETTER & DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF THE WORLD OF STATISTICS, I'VE HAD PROF. ROSS BEFORE AND HAVE ALWAYS ENJOYED HIS HUMOR, EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE OF THE SUBJECT & ESPECIALLY HIS EXAMPLES WHICH OFTEN ARE TAKEN FROM THE REAL WORLD.

THE TEXT WAS DIFFICULT AND IT DID HAVE THE LACK OF CLARITY IN DERIVATIONS AS WELL AS SUFFICIENT EXAMPLES.

THANK YOU PROF. ROSS.

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Dr. Ross was well organized and complete. We went through the material a little fast but I think I learned more this way. I really learned and gained a lot from this course and also enjoyed it. Having more and longer office hours would help.  

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Gives ample examples from outside text material. Expected a lot from his students as far as amount of material and understanding, but it was more of a challenge than a deterrent. His knowledge of the subject and understandable lectures made the course exceptionally exciting. I learned quite a lot. His tests are too long though. The text was great.

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This was a rigorous course in statistics.
Overall good lectures, somewhat lengthy at times.
It would help if examples were cut short and cut out some examples in lectures.

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The exams were very difficult and even if we weren't expected to finish all the problems, it did cause anxieties and added stress. Homework is where I learned the most and this was what kept my grade up in the class. It is always difficult when the book & lecture vary, but the instructor tried to simplify the concepts in his lecture.  

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Very into his work and is very helpful with his explanations. The only problem I had with this instructor was that at certain times he would go really fast. It was hard to keep up. His tests were very hard but he graded them fairly. Overall I felt David Ross is an excellent teacher.

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Great

Book! More suitable writing-wise, for grads, though material is undergraduate. That it had answers was nice (for practice.)

Instruction: Above average. Use of chalkboard is good, organization excellent.

HW: Fair. (Answers almost illegible, though.)

Test: 180 minute tests for 70 minutes max is a bit unfair.

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