

**Spring 2013 Course Evaluation**  
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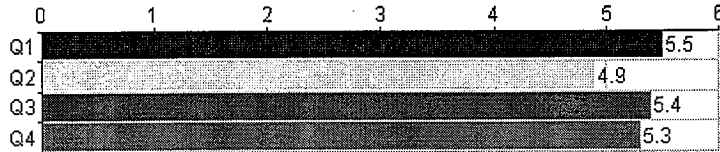
**Course:** STAT2010 012 - Statistics for Social and Behavior Sciences

**Department:** STAT

**Responsible Faculty:** Robert Bubb

**Responses / Expected:** 30 / 49

**Focus:** Overall Results



**STAT2010 - 012**

**University Wide questions**

	Responses						Course				
	[SA]	[A]	[SA]	[SD]	[D]	[SD]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q1</b> The Instructor encouraged me to think critically.	17	11	2	0	0	0	6	6	.62	30	5.5
<b>Q2</b> The grading techniques were fair.	11	10	6	2	0	1	5	6	1.16	30	4.9
<b>Q3</b> The Instructor created a conducive atmosphere for learning.	15	12	2	1	0	0	5.5	6	.75	30	5.4
<b>Q4</b> The Instructor explained course material clearly.	12	14	2	1	0	0	5	5	.74	29	5.3

**Responses:**

[SA] Strongly Agree=6 [A] Agree=5 [SA] Slightly Agree=4 [SD] Slightly Disagree=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1

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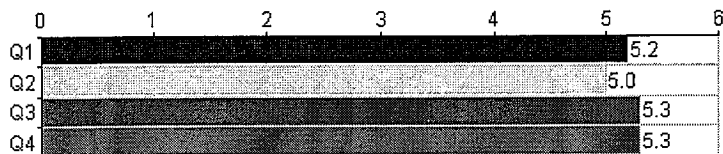
**Course:** STAT2010.009 - Statistics for Social and Behavior Sciences

**Department:** STAT

**Responsible Faculty:** Robert Bubb

**Responses / Expected:** 24 / 41

**Focus: Overall Results**



**STAT2010 - 009**

**University Wide questions**

	Responses						Course				
	[SA]	[A]	[SA]	[SD]	[D]	[SD]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q1</b> The Instructor encouraged me to think critically.	14	4	3	2	1	0	6	6	1.18	24	5.2
<b>Q2</b> The grading techniques were fair.	10	8	2	4	0	0	5	6	1.08	24	5
<b>Q3</b> The Instructor created a conducive atmosphere for learning.	13	8	0	2	1	0	6	6	1.09	24	5.3
<b>Q4</b> The Instructor explained course material clearly.	11	9	2	1	0	0	5	6	.80	23	5.3

**Responses:**

[SA] Strongly Agree=6 [A] Agree=5 [SA] Slightly Agree=4 [SD] Slightly Disagree=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1

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**Course:** STAT2010 009 - Statistics for Social and Behavior Sciences

**Department:** STAT

**Responsible Faculty:** Robert Bubb

**Responses:** 24



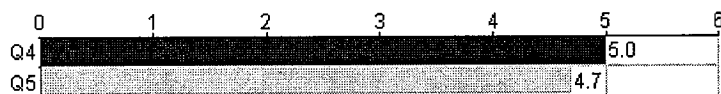
**Bubb, Robert R**

**TE10**

	<b>Responses</b>						<b>Individual</b>				
	[SA]	[A]	[SA]	[SD]	[D]	[SD]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q1</b> The Instructor enhanced my interest in the subject.	6	7	5	3	2	1	5	5	1.41	24	4.4
<b>Q2</b> The Instructor was available and approachable outside of class.	14	8	1	1	0	0	6	6	.76	24	5.5
<b>Q3</b> The Instructor provided timely feedback on graded material.	11	10	2	1	0	0	5	6	.79	24	5.3

**Responses:**

[SA] Strongly Agree=6 [A] Agree=5 [SA] Slightly Agree=4 [SD] Slightly Disagree=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1



**Bubb, Robert R**

**TE10**

	<b>Responses</b>						<b>Individual</b>				
	[E]	[VG]	[G]	[F]	[P]	[VP]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q4</b> The Instructor's overall teaching effectiveness was...	12	5	4	2	1	0	5.5	6	1.17	24	5
<b>Q5</b> Overall, my learning in the class was...	8	7	3	5	1	0	5	6	1.25	24	4.7

**Responses:** [E] Excellent=6 [VG] Very Good=5 [G] Good=4 [F] Fair=3 [P] Poor=2 [VP] Very Poor=1

**Q6 - Additional comments – Strengths and areas for improvement.**

**Faculty:** Bubb, Robert R

**Response Rate:** 70.83% (17 of 24)

- The class was very fair and straight-forward, and I learned the material through lecture and my own individual efforts. I would have liked it if the class was less structured and Professor Bubb was a little more enthusiastic about the material; I just think it would have been better for learning if we mixed up the ways we learned the material some. I did enjoy the class, though, and Professor Bubb was really nice and clearly knew the material!
- Bubb was a great teacher and I learned a lot from the time in class with him. Always available outside of class and would go above and beyond if you had a time constraint on your schedule. The only area of Improvement that I see would be to maybe have more interactive activities so that we have a more hands on approach and then check with you after we do them. Loved the class, even though it was early in the morning!
- I was very nervous about this class at the beginning of the semester. I have learned so much, and it has not even been that difficult. Bubb is a great communicator and teacher.
- Difficult class, but Robb made it as interesting as it could be. He cared whether we learned the material or not, and was very helpful outside of class.
- I was scared going into statistics, but Mr. Bubb has definitely made the class bearable and not too overloading. At times I would feel overwhelmed, but I have been surprised with myself at how much I actually understand stats, and thats because of Mrs. Bubb and Allen!
- Very involved and personal with the class- got every single student involved. Clearly explained course material and made sure that everyone was "on the same page" and understood. Great teacher. Created a good environment for learning and did not make any student feel uncomfortable or disengaged.

- This class could have improved by the teacher explaining more about the paper that was due in the class. It was poorly explained which made it hard for me to complete the paper effectively. There was no explanation of the paper before we started other than a brief overview of the information paper provided.

I cannot say enough good things about Dr. Bubb. I took a statistics class in high school and because of my experience (hard and confusing), I was not looking forward to this class. Now, my thoughts about statistics are much different. He is so organized with his notes, patient with us when we have questions, explains things SO well, and is a very fair grader. I wouldn't say the class was 'easy,' but I did well because he taught the information so well and I knew what to expect on tests and quizzes. The extra credit was a big help! If a student goes to class (which is likely because of the attendance policy), does the homework, the extra credit, and studies the handout's before the test - there is no reason this student shouldn't be successful. I appreciate that this class was challenging, but you can do well if you work hard! You can tell Dr. Bubb loves his job and wants his students to do well - a rare find in my college experience! Thank you so much!

- Dr. Bubb is a great guy and an even better teacher. Created a very conducive environment for learning, great guy, great class!

Best class I've ever taken. I feared Statistics, thought it might be a stumbling block, and am not a morning person. Robb and Allen were engaging, very thorough in their explanations, and made the class interesting enough to make me want to get out of bed at 6 every morning to make it on time.

- I feel like I actually learned something in Dr. Bubb's class. Very approachable and wanted to help us understand.  
\*AWESOME\*

Great Class!!! Mr. Bubb and his GTA Allen were great. They really helped me to understand the material both in and out of the classroom. They had accessible office hours and are very knowledgeable about the subject they teach. I really enjoyed this class.

- Sometimes I believe Robb thinks he is going too slow in the class, but I feel like he goes too fast a lot of times. Overall he is an extremely intelligent guy and a great teacher. This class was very hard for me.

Better explanation on the Lab Write Up. Allen did a poor job on telling us how to do it. I would have rathered a very in depth explanation and maybe an example of what the final product should look like. I was confused through the whole process."

- I believe there was way too much busy work for this class. It seemed like we had something due everyday and that was a lot for me with the additional classes I took.
- Lab and lecture doesn't go hand in hand very well so overall it is confusing.
- The homework grading was not at all fair

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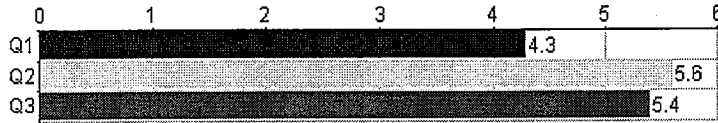
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**Department:** STAT

**Responsible Faculty:** Robert Bubb

**Responses:** 30



**Bubb, Robert R**

**TE10**

	<b>Responses</b>						<b>Individual</b>				
	[SA]	[A]	[SA]	[SD]	[D]	[SD]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q1</b> The Instructor enhanced my interest in the subject.	9	3	9	5	2	1	4	4,6	1.42	29	4.3
<b>Q2</b> The Instructor was available and approachable outside of class.	17	13	0	0	0	0	6	6	.50	30	5.6
<b>Q3</b> The Instructor provided timely feedback on graded material.	14	13	3	0	0	0	5	6	.66	30	5.4

**Responses:**

[SA] Strongly Agree=6 [A] Agree=5 [SA] Slightly Agree=4 [SD] Slightly Disagree=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1



**Bubb, Robert R**

**TE10**

	<b>Responses</b>						<b>Individual</b>				
	[E]	[VG]	[G]	[F]	[P]	[VP]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q4</b> The Instructor's overall teaching effectiveness was...	12	10	6	1	1	0	5	6	1.02	30	5
<b>Q5</b> Overall, my learning in the class was...	8	9	8	1	3	1	5	5	1.36	30	4.5

**Responses:** [E] Excellent=6 [VG] Very Good=5 [G] Good=4 [F] Fair=3 [P] Poor=2 [VP] Very Poor=1

**Q6 - Additional comments - Strengths and areas for improvement.**

**Faculty:** Bubb, Robert R

**Response Rate:** 70.00% (21 of 30)

- For a non-math minded person, Dr. Bubb was a great teacher and I learned a lot!

- This class was really well organized.

Although stats is not normally the most popular class, my experience with Professor Bubb was good. He provided many grading opportunities and his grading was very fair. I felt like the extra time spent on examples that applied to our age group enhanced my interest in class material. His love and dedication towards this material was evident and appreciated.

Robert Bubb was a great professor. He was always available during office hours and held review sessions every tuesday and thursday after class. Only suggestion is to speak loud in class, his voice is fine at the beginning of a sentence but declines afterward and he's practically mumbling to himself by the end of the sentence. Oh and maybe wear more colorful shirts :)

I really wish that the lab time was on tuesday thursday because we always seem rushed for that while lecture time seems so dragged out. If the times were switched I think I would have learned more because the lecture is slow at times. When people ask questions before we cover the material in class it is kind of confusing. Overall I liked this class more then I would have expected but there should be a warning when you sign up not to underestimate the work you have to put into this class. Its a lot.

The department should really consider how much course work this class requires. I understand the want to constantly have statistics on the students mind so that learning is optimized, but this isn't my major. I took 19 hours this semester and it truly felt like 20+ because of this class. Bubb and Allen did a wonderful job teaching and keeping us engaged, but this was a lot to handle. ALSO, CHANGE LAB TO THE 1:15 CLASS DAY AND LECTURE TO THE 50 MINUTE CLASS DAY. We never finish

what we are supposed to in lab and lecture DRAGS on. It would be a much better set up.

- This class was awful. I'm not just saying that either. The course load was entirely too much while taking other classes. Allen Sabey went too quickly in lab for students to write notes and follow along with the steps.

I really enjoyed this professor. It was obvious that he cares about his students and wants the students to learn the material.

- The class requires a LOT of outside attention, which I do not mind if it is reflected in my grades. I felt that he consistently provided constructive feedback on work and was available outside of class.

I feel as though the lab time should be on the Tuesday Thursday schedule. I found that we never had enough time to

- complete and practice lab activities and always had excess time in lecture. I loved our GTA for lab. he was always upbeat and ready to teach us. Bubb was also a great professor for a class that no one likes!

Mr. Bubb is an excellent instructor. Although it is NOT, he made every effort to make statistics interesting. He is one of the

- best instructors I have had in my college career. He laid out at the beginning of the semester how his class would go and never wavered from it. Classes always lasted the entire 1 hour 15 minutes and he instructed the entire time. I still do not like statistics, but know the material much better because of Mr. Bubb's detailed instruction.

I really appreciated your acknowledgment of hard work. I feel that this class was not "too hard", but took a lot of work. I

- feel that this felt like a real college course. I wish you taught a subject I liked because you are a great teacher. I just really dilike Stats. Sorry. You were very kind during office hours and repeated yourself a lot which i need. Thanks for a great class.

- I didn't think I would enjoy statistics, but I was wrong! This class was great and Robb was a great teacher."

- Slow down while teaching material

I loved this class. I was nervous about taking statistics because it has been a very long time since I have taken a math

- course. Dr. Bubb and Alan were both very helpful. I am glad that the homeworks were required because it made me get practice in even when I didn't want to.

He is very passionate about what he teaches, and he made the atmosphere comfortable rather than intimidating. I thought

- attending this class was fun and very educational.

I had a different professor last time I took stats and Bubb is a much better commutator. He helped me a lot and I actually enjoyed his class!"

Rob is a fantastic teacher, the subject matter is the only downside. His teaching methods and in class participation are very

- effective and made class more endurable. The only difference I would make would be getting credit for at least trying to do the homework. If a student is unable to check answers with another student it is nearly impossible to receive a perfect score on homework which can gradually bring down a grade.

Dr. Bubb is a very understanding man and passionate about what he is teaching. For the most part, he is fair in grading and

- provides us with extra credit points in his class. Although there is extra credit, since there are so many points given in the class it is extremely difficult to move your grade up but pretty easy to move it back down. During lab, explanation towards the end of the course was not clear and there wasn't enough time provided for us to really grasp the information. The material was extremely difficult for most of the semester for being a freshmen based course. Although Dr. Bubb is passionate about statistics, I'm not quite sure if he understands that most students do not. He expects a lot from his students and most of us juniors/seniors dealing with our upper level courses. I would have to say I spent most of my hours focusing on statistics other than any other class and I will take nothing back from this class. Dr. Bubb is extremely nice and is willing to talk to any of his students about any problem but I just feel he does not seem to realize how difficult his class actually is and that many students are completely discouraged by the end of the semester.

- Loved the class wish I was more focused or had taken the class be for my 6th year

- Bubb is an awesome professor. I do not like statistics at all, but I liked coming to class. It's clear he is passionate about statistics. I felt like he enjoyed teaching us about something that was important to him.

- Excellent teacher. Heavy on assignments and reading required. Difficult class. Very approachable teacher. Cared about the subject and his students.

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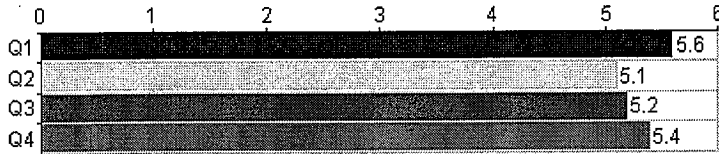
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**Department:** STAT

**Responsible Faculty:** Robert Bubb

**Responses / Expected:** 31 / 49

**Focus:** Overall Results



**STAT2010 - 018**

**University Wide questions**

	Responses						Course				
	[SA]	[A]	[SA]	[SD]	[D]	[SD]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q1</b> The Instructor encouraged me to think critically.	22	7	1	0	1	0	6	6	.83	31	5.6
<b>Q2</b> The grading techniques were fair.	13	13	2	2	0	1	5	5,6	1.12	31	5.1
<b>Q3</b> The Instructor created a conducive atmosphere for learning.	15	11	1	2	0	1	5.5	6	1.14	30	5.2
<b>Q4</b> The Instructor explained course material clearly.	16	12	2	0	1	0	6	6	.86	31	5.4

**Responses:**

[SA] Strongly Agree=6 [A] Agree=5 [SA] Slightly Agree=4 [SD] Slightly Disagree=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1

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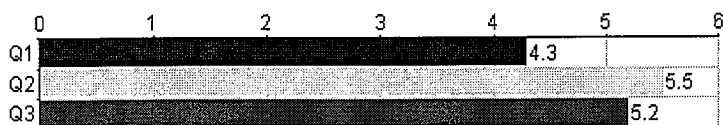
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**Department:** STAT

**Responsible Faculty:** Robert Bubb

**Responses:** 31



**Bubb, Robert R**

TE10	Responses						Individual				
	[SA]	[A]	[SA]	[SD]	[D]	[SD]	Med.	Mode	S.D.	N	Mean
<b>Q1</b> The Instructor enhanced my interest in the subject.	9	10	4	1	4	3	5	5	1.67	31	4.3
<b>Q2</b> The Instructor was available and approachable outside of class.	21	7	2	0	1	0	6	6	.88	31	5.5
<b>Q3</b> The Instructor provided timely feedback on graded material.	13	14	2	1	1	0	5	5	.93	31	5.2

**Responses:**

[SA] Strongly Agree=6 [A] Agree=5 [SA] Slightly Agree=4 [SD] Slightly Disagree=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1



**Bubb, Robert R**

TE10	Responses						Individual				
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<b>Q4</b> The Instructor's overall teaching effectiveness was...	15	8	4	2	1	1	5	6	1.30	31	5
<b>Q5</b> Overall, my learning in the class was...	14	6	5	1	4	0	5	6	1.39	30	4.8

**Responses:** [E] Excellent=6 [VG] Very Good=5 [G] Good=4 [F] Fair=3 [P] Poor=2 [VP] Very Poor=1

**Q6 - Additional comments - Strengths and areas for improvement.**

**Faculty:** Bubb, Robert R

**Response Rate:** 51.61% (16 of 31)

- It would be nice if the professor would understand that very few of us are there because we want to be. DON'T try to make statisticians out of us.

- I do not think that the lecture portion of the class is necessary for two whole class periods. This class could be made a 3 hour course credit and have one day of lecture and two days of lab and only have tests and quizzes on the computer. The computation portion of the class was beyond frustrating, time consuming, and not relevant to the real world. This class was so hard to conceptually understand. I found my GTA, Allen Sabey to be the most helpful in this course.

- I was honestly not looking forward to taking statistics because the class material was foreign to me and I knew it would be difficult. However, I have very much enjoyed the course all thanks to the energy and interest that Robb communicated to us. His approach to the course was one of learning life skills such as critical thinking, writing research, learning new software programs, challenging yourself, and taking a true responsibility for your learning and success. I am very grateful to him for his execution of this teaching philosophy. He is a great instructor! I feel confident that if his students take advantage of the resources he provides outside of class, they will all be successful. Very happy with this semester with Robb!

- I was very nervous taking a statistics course, as the one I took in high school was horrible for lack of a better word. Robb and the GTA, Allen, were unbelievable with their helpfulness and patience. I actually look forward to this class."

- this class is ridiculous and requires more time and energy than my major classes Auburn University really needs to reevaluate the way in which this class and the material in it is presented



- Great class, great teacher. For the lab write up- the teacher and GTA should have similar grading criteria. The sections Allen graded were graded much differently than sections Robb graded. I know it's a time issue, but I wish one person would grade all the sections.

- Well besides the fact that I think this is a ridiculous required course, or at least the depth in which we go, the class has way too many assignments due all at once.

- Both Alan and Dr. Bubb were fantastic teachers and really made the class the best that it could be. They were patient and clear. Thanks so much!

- The class is well organized and balanced. I think Dr. Bubb does an exceptional job of being approachable to students, more so than any other professor I have had. The only room for improvement I think would be the organization of the lab, especially on review days. Often Allen would not leave adequate time to go over the test and we would rush through it. Starting the pdf files of the keys to conducting tests in SPSS helped a lot at the end of the semester. I also think there should be some time set aside in lab for doing the lab. This is the only class I've had where we were expected to do labs outside of lab. Since the design of the lab assignments is a lot different when doing them in qualtrix than doing them in lab it would be helpful to go over at least the first one or two in the actual lab.

- Both Rob Bubb and Allen SAbey were veyr good instructors. They always explained material clearly and helped you if you needed it. Allen was the best GTA I have every had and put 110% into his teaching. He was willing to meet with you if you needed it and would always re explain something in class. He also made study guides that were very helpful when doing the lab assignments and studying for the quiz.

- I have not taken a math course in years and had no idea what statistics even was, but I have learned so much in this class. Mr. Bubb was an incredible teacher and was so willing to help me with whatever questions i had. Although his course was very hard, I worked very hard and was able to do well. It required the most effort I've ever had to put into a class, but Mr.Bubb made it bearable and I really enjoyed coming to class every day even if I didn't enjoy the material we were covering! Most caring and enjoyable teacher I've had in a subject I hated!!

- Tuff class, but had good professor."

- Mr. Bubb was an amazing professor. He explained material very thoroughly and did not hesistate to stop and answer questions if you did not understand. Two thumbs up for Mr. Bubb!

- Even though Stats is not my favorite subject, Robb made it enjoyable to go to class and enjoyable to learn the material. He is a very good teacher and friendly. I felt that he was willing to help the students any way he could. I hear that his stats is harder than graduate level stats, but overall I enjoyed his class.

- Dr. Bubb is an awesome teacher who truely cares about his students. It was hard class, but Dr. Bubb and our Lab advisor Mr. Allen, made it fun and enjoyable through the difficulties of learning the subject. Go STATS!!

- The class was wonderful. Stats isn't necessarily my favorite, and it probably still isn't, but I am so glad Robb was so approachable and kind. He made learning stats more enjoyable than anyone could have. My only suggestion is making assignments due at midnight. There may be a reason for 10 pm, but due to busy schedules, sometimes I don't get home until 9:30 and may remember at the last minute to turn it in. Even sometimes if I went home for the weekend, I would have to hurry my family through a family dinner so I could get home and finish the homework.