Instructor : Nikolaev, Boris	Course ID : ECO - 20	23 - 001 / CRN : 82185	Course Title : Econ Princ (Microeconomics)
Course Term : Fall 2009	Number Enrolled : 42	Number Responded : 36	Percent Responded : 86.00

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E1	Description of Course Objectives & Assignments	28	77.78	7	19.44	0	0.00	1	2.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.72
E2	Communication of Ideas and Information	30	83.33	5	13.89	0	0.00	1	2.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.78
E3	Expression of Expectations for Performance	27	75.00	7	19.44	1	2.78	1	2.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.67
E4	Availability to Assist Students In or Out of Class	29	80.56	5	13.89	1	2.78	1	2.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.72
E5	Respect and Concern for the Students	30	83.33	3	8.33	2	5.56	1	2.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.72
E6	Stimulation of Interest in the Course	31	86.11	4	11.11	0	0.00	1	2.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.81
E7	Facilitation of Learning	27	75.00	7	19.44	1	2.78	1	2.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.67
E8	Overall Rating of the Instructor	31	86.11	3	8.33	0	0.00	1	2.78	0	0.00	1	2.78	4.83

NIKOLAEV – ECO 2023-001 FALL 2009

- 1. Enthusiastic professor. Great class.
- 2. Excellent professor made the course very interesting (much more than the book). Always kept the mood light and class fun (I only fell asleep once). Liked the readings and would recommend to anyone.
- 3. Professor Nikolaev was awesome and very fair with his grading! Gives plenty of opportunities to enhance grade.
- 4. Best Bulgarian professor ever.
- 5. Nikolaev has been an excellent professor this semester. He made class fun while teaching us lessons about economics. Before this class, I wasn't interested in economics and now I love it! If he taught another class, I would definitely take it.
- 6. Professor Nikolaev is very attentive and cares for his students. He thoroughly explains the material and is very helpful in understanding your question.
- 7. He is a very good teacher but he is definitely sexist against women. I am very interested in the course material but rarely ever get to participate in discussions.
- 8. Professor Nikolaev made economics fun. I never thought this would happen. His demonstrations and real-world example help to amplify is lectures. The University of South Florida should consider itself lucky to have him.
- 9. This was by far my most enjoyable class. I learned a lot and he is the best teacher I've had so far. Looking forward to taking any other classes he teaches.
- 10. Professor Nikolaev is a great teacher who truly reaches out to his class and he helped me understand something I thought was impossible.
- 11. Best teacher I've had at USF. Uses creative ways to teach you concepts. Goes out of his way to stimulate students' interest. Only complaint is he doesn't teach macroeconomics.
- 12. Really fun and interesting class. I didn't think I was going to enjoy it as much. Great professor really cares about his students. Made class fun.

Instructor : Nikolaev, Boris	Course ID : ECO - 2023 - 002 / CRN : 50424	Course Title: Econ Princ (Microeconomics)
Course Term : Summer 2009	Number Enrolled : 48 Number Responded : 37	Percent Responded : 77.00

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E1	Description of Course Objectives & Assignments	25	68	10	27	2	5	0	0	0	0	O	0	4.62
E2	Communication of Ideas and Information	32	86	4	11	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.84
E3	Expression of Expectations for Performance	31	84	6	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.84
E4	Availability to Assist Students In or Out of Class	32	86	4	11	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	4.31
E5	Respect and Concern for the Students	35	95	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.95
E6	Stimulation of Interest in the Course	34	92	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,92
E7 [Facilitation of Learning	31	84	6	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,84
E8	Overall Rating of the Instructor	32	86	5	14	0	0	0	0	Q	0	0	0	4.86

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- 1. Amazing teacher. He made class fun and entertaining. It made me actually want to come to class. He involved the class and really wanted us to understand material. Give him a raise! I wish I could take another class with him.
- 2. This is seriously the best class I have ever taken; not because of the material, but because of the instructor.
- 3. Amazing teacher. Makes material fun and relates material to everyday life. Needs to learn time management when teaching; tends to go off subject, then rushes through the rest. Overall, great instructor!
- 4. Good teacher. Oh yeah!
- 5. Amazing instructor. Sparked interest in class and subject matter. Engaged students in critical thinking skills and expanded knowledge base. Very impressive! Oh yeah!
- 6. Great teacher. Very funny. Incorporates visuals to aid learning. Study though.
- 7. The best professor that I have yet had at USF. He knows his stuff and continues to keep class interested even with a boring topic. This is my second time taking this course and I would have to say that I actually learned something useful this time. He made the course relatable to what is actually going on in the world today. I loved being a part of his class.
- 8. Professor Nikolaev is a great professor who shows a lot of enthusiasm about this course. He is very knowledgeable and wants his students to learn.
- 9. Greatest class! Oh yeah!
- 10. Great guy.
- 11. Professor Nikolaev was an amazing teacher. He was very dedicated to the course and easily facilitated the students inside and out at the class. Showed a lot of interest and excitement for the class. Funny guy; always kept the class' attention.
- 12. Great teacher. Very stimulated. A lot of application. Try handout to help us understand concepts.
- 13. Great professor! Always available for help. Uses great visuals to teach the course. Videos he used I learned so much from. Wished he taught another course; would take him. Definitely will recommend to any student.
- 14. Boris Nikolaev was a great professor. I really learned a lot. He was always available to help! His way of teaching used a lot of real world examples. I would recommend him to any student looking to learn real life microeconomics!
- 15. This class was great. I learned a lot and didn't just memorize, but actually understood concepts. Professor Nikolaev is very good at communicating the material in a real-life concept and keeping students attention for the entire class.
- 16. One of the best professors I've had since attending USF. He knows how to engage the students into the course material by offering different class activities.

- 17. Professor Nikolaev made learning fun. The use of games, etc. was a nice addition and broke up the material.
- 18. Professor Nikolaev is an excellent instructor. He cares very much for his students. Throughout the course he made sure students were involved in the learning process by playing economics games and giving ample examples. He kept my interest throughout the entire course and I will be recommending him to others.
- 19. Boris Nikolaev was a very good professor. He found a way to make the lectures entertaining as well as informative. He kept us interested by making us laugh and was very fair with grading and work assignments. Overall, a wonderful teacher and I hope to have him again.
- 20. Very good instructor; a little vague on assignments; a little unorganized with course material (I think this was due to the class being during summer). Overall, very fun class and it was noticeable that Professor Nikolaev wanted to make economics interesting and applicable to real life.
- 21. Great teacher. Very interactive. Made me enjoy the subject a lot.
- 22. A superb individual and outstanding instructor. Professor Nikolaev has stimulated my interest in economics, issues therein, and economic thinking. If I had the option to, I'd give him sixes.
- 23. This was a very interesting course. Ideas and concepts were clearly expressed. There were a lot of examples used that made concepts easy to grasp. The readings were helpful as well.
- 24. This is the best professor I had had! One of the coolest professors ever; was able to mix hands on fun activities with the whole class. I have never had more fun learning before. He inspired me in every way. He really cares. I hope and wish for every professor to be like Boris.
- 25. Great. Enjoyed the class. Lectures were always fun and exciting. Professor really understands the importance of keeping students attention. Overall, one of the best professors I have had at USF.
- 26. Loved the class. Didn't fall asleep. Learned a lot about how wasteful we are as an economy. Enjoyed the videos.
- 27. Highly ambitious for interactive learning. Good professor and energetic to facilitate economics with experience and knowledge.
- 28. He made class fun and entertaining. Very glad I took his class.
- 29. Good teacher. Really good at what he does. Everyone should get him as a teacher.
- 30. Best economics teacher ever.
- 31. Amazing instructor.
- 32. Professor Nikolaev is an amazing teacher. He expresses his ideas very well and ensures that his students are interested in the subject at hand.
- 33. Great guy.
- 34. Great professor.
- 35. Very good teacher. First teacher I have had that actually interacted with the class. Made me really enjoy the subject and consider changing my major. Love this teacher.

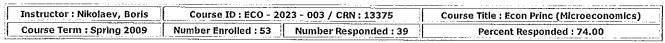
- 36. I have never been so excited to go to a class and listen to what is being taught that day. Professor Nikolaev not only makes this course interesting and relevant, but he also challenges you to think. He considers his students and always makes room for improvement. He is an excellent professor. Thanks for all you do. I might change my major to economics.
- 37. Excellent teacher! One of the few teachers that truly does care about the students. One of the best teachers at USF.

Instructor: Nikolaev, Boris Course ID: ECO - 2023 - 004 / CRN: 82428 Course Title: Econ Princ (Microeconomics) Course Term: Fall 2008 Number Enrolled: 45 Number Responded: 31 Percent Responded: 69.00				
Course Term: Fall 2008 Number Enrolled: 45 Number Responded: 31 Percent Responded: 69.00	Instructor : Nikolaev, Boris	Course ID : ECO - 2	023 - 004 / CRN : 82428	Course Title: Econ Princ (Microeconomics)
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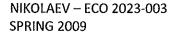
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E1	Description of Course Objectives & Assignments	18	58	10	32	1	3	0	0	0	0	2] 6	4.59
E2	Communication of Ideas and Information	20	65	6	19	3	10	0	0	0	0	2	6	4.59
E3	Expression of Expectations for Performance	22	71	5	16	1	3	0	0	0	0	3	10	4.75
E4 .	Availability to Assist Students In or Out of Class 🔹	22	71	7	23	0	0	0	0	Ö	0	2	6	4.76
E5	Respect and Concern for the Students	24	77	5	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	4.83
E6	Stimulation of Interest in the Course	24	77	5	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	4.83
E 7	Facilitation of Learning	25	81	4	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	4.86
E8	Overall Rating of the Instructor	25	81	4	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	4.86

NIKOLAEV – ECO 2023-004 FALL 2008

- 1. You are the man. Coolest teacher alive! What man what!
- 2. Awesome.
- 3. Great Teacher. Fun. Could work on delivery a little more.
- 4. He is a funny, interesting teacher.
- 5. Great professor.
- 6. Professor was fun and exciting.
- 7. Fun class.
- 8. Great professor. Really cares. Knowledgeable and one of the best I've had.
- 9. Awesome teacher. The only thing is don't spring extra assignment in the last minute.
- 10. He was a good professor who brought current topics into class. I like how he mixed current topics with the book (which was very dry).
- 11. One of the best teachers I've had. Made me think about the world around me and to question. He is still young too so he can only get better.
- 12. Great teacher. Made class fun and interesting.
- 13. Great professor!
- 14. The class was one of the more interesting courses I have taken at USF. Thanks for opening the world of economics to me.
- 15. My favorite class. Only challenge I had was due to my jammed schedule. I really need all the homework and assignments ahead for planning purposes.
- 16. Very intelligent professor! Wish every professor was like him.
- 17. Good effort in relating microeconomics to real life and incorporating relevant and recent economic events. Made class interesting with creative ideas. Excellent job and more personable than tenured professors I've had in the past would've been.
- 19. Boris Nikolaev is excellent instructor. Coming to class was not a chore. He made economics fun. He went above and beyond for every lesson. If his goal is to be a professor, then he will most definitely be an excellent one. I would continue to take his classes. I admire his initiative and effort.
- 20. Very good instructor because he used original methods to stimulate learning.



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E1	Description of Course Objectives & Assignments	27	69	4	10	7	18	0	0	0	0	1	3	4.53
E2	Communication of Ideas and Information	24	62	8	21	4	10	2	5	0	0	1	3	4.42
E3	Expression of Expectations for Performance	27	69	6	15	5	13	0	0	0	0	1	3	4.58
E4	Availability to Assist Students In or Out of Class	33	85	2	5	2	5	1	3	0	0	1	3	4.76
E5	Respect and Concern for the Students	32	82	2	5	4	10	0	0	0	0	1	3	4.74
E6	Stimulation of Interest in the Course	30	77	5	13	2	5	1	3	0	0	1	3	4.68
E7	Facilitation of Learning	27	69	6	15	4	10	1	3	0	0	1	3	4.55
E8	Overall Rating of the Instructor	30	77	4	10	3	8	1	3	0	0	1	3	4.66



- 1. Professor Nikolaev was an awesome teacher. I've learned a lot from him during this semester. He made economics enjoyable and he knows the material well.
- 2. Made class fun and enjoyable. Learned a lot and he was motivated to teach and help.
- 3. Made class fun and was available to students.
- 4. Awesome job. Best teacher ever!
- 5. I thought he was very good as an instructor. Showed us real life economics versus just looking at graphs all day.
- 6. Best professor I've had in a very long time!
- 7. Extremely good teacher who makes every effort to make sure his students do well. He includes activities and games that lighten up class and make a topic that is notoriously boring, fun. If he taught an upper level class, I would take it in a heartbeat. I will recommend this class to others.
- 8. Amazing professor. If more teachers taught like him, we would learn and understand more. Thanks for the great semester.
- 9. Great teacher. Makes class fun. Really knows content well. If I could, I would take the class all over again. Great course.
- 10. Professor Nikolaev is very enthusiastic with his teaching and makes it very easy for students to understand the concepts. I took this class three times and I finally understand.
- 11. I love this class! Always funny, always lighthearted. He could be a comedian. I love the games that he plays to demonstrate parts for extra credit. This honestly is the best class I've ever had!
- 12. He is a very good professor that studies real world applications. He is funny and makes course work interesting. Excellent professor.

Instructor : Nikolaev, Boris	Course ID : ECO - 20	23 - 002 / CRN : 10758	Course Title : Econ Princ (Microeconomics)
Course Term : Spring 2010	Number Enrolled : 39	Number Responded : 34	Percent Responded : 87.00

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E1	Description of Course Objectives & Assignments	27	79.41	3	8.82	4	11.76	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.68
E2	Communication of Ideas and Information	25	73.53	5	14.71	4	11.76	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.62
E3	Expression of Expectations for Performance	26	76.47	6	17.65	2	5.88	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.71
E4	Availability to Assist Students In or Out of Class	29	85.29	3	8.82	2	5.88	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.79
E5	Respect and Concern for the Students	29	85.29	3	8.82	2	5.88	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.79
E6	Stimulation of Interest in the Course	29	85.29	2	5.88	3	8.82	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.76
E7	Facilitation of Learning	26	76.47	5	14.71	3	8,82	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.68
E8	Overall Rating of the Instructor	26	76.47	6	17.65	2	5.88	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4.71

NIKOLAEV – ECO 2023-002 SPRING 2010

- 1. Good teacher, very funny. HOT!! But need to slow down ad make information clearer.
- 2. Best economics professor! Cares about students! He makes the boring subject interesting.
- 3. Good class and professor! Would highly recommend him!
- 4. The only thing that I wish were the case about the course is the organization. The article presentations were scattered and inconsistent. But he is generous and cares about the students.
- 5. Well informed/educated, makes class interesting, fun and is very helpful to learning. Really great professor!
- 6. Very knowledgeable, great interest in the course. Knows the material well. Very humorous. Recommend the teacher for macroeconomics.
- 7. Best professor ever! Very well educated and I learned more than I expec5t4ed to learn in an economics class.
- 8. Very enthusiastic professor. He really cares about his students. Provided the information very well, and makes it fun to go to class.
- 9. THANKS!
- 10. Awesome professor!
- 11. Thank you for the course! I appreciate the setup and the effect. You've been very helpful.
- 12. Great teacher! Really has a great style!
- 13. Awesome teacher and great person. Loves what he does unlike other teachers who shouldn't be teaching. Encourages students to try their best and goes out of his way to help them understand concepts. I would recommend this class to anyone who wants to really learn something beyond your exam questions. This is a great class. Only good things to say about Mr. Nikolaev!!!
- 14. Professor Nikolaev stimulates and interest in economics that few teachers are capable of. He cares about learning, not just telling students information and hoping they figure it out. Best economic teacher I've ever had. Best teacher I've had.
- 15. Great, great job! Loved the class.
- 16. Professor Nikolaev is the best profess at USF. He taught me more in a semester than I could have ever imagined. His course structure is set up to stimulate interest while helping the student understands complex ideas. I've learn not lonely difficult concepts but practical knowledge that I can use for the rest of my life. His class is amazing! He encourages students to learn beyond what's actually required for class. He's enthusiastic and actually loves his job. I would recommend this class to anyone who wants to learn more than memorizing question for an exam and anyone who wants to have a blast doing it. Economics with Mr. Nikolaev gives you something to talk about and look forward to every time. You never know what he has prepared for the next class. You'll learn things you can utilize for the rest of your life because you learn while having fun which is the way it should always be. I

wish there were more professors that have such a passion for teaching as Mr. Nikolaev does. *Only good things to say about this professor.*