

Steven C. McMullen

Teaching Summary

Experience:

Teacher Training Program Assistant	Fall 2007, Spring 2008
Due to strong evaluations from my students and supervisors, I was chosen to help instruct the teacher training course for the Economics department. The responsibilities include: presenting ways to use classroom discussion, video-taping graduate TA's, and providing feedback and instruction on ways to improve their teaching.	
Full Course Responsibility Introduction to Economics	Summer 2006, 2007
Teaching Assistant Head TA: Introduction to Economics	Fall 2005, Spring 2006
Introduction to Economics	Spring 2005
Applied Microeconomics	Fall 2004

Training:

Teacher Training Program Certificate	Spring 2006
This program included a brief introduction to test writing, class preparation, learning styles, active learning strategies, and direct observation and feedback on my teaching.	

Awards:

Vijay Bhagavan Award for the Best Introduction to Economics TA	2006
Ralph Byrns Teaching Award	2006
Department of Economics Teaching Assistantship	Fall 2004-Spring 2008

Presentations:

"Teaching Politically and Religiously Controversial Topics"	April 2007
The Center for Human Science, Chapel Hill, NC	

Teaching Reference:

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Student Evaluations:

	Introduction to Economics			
	Summer 2006		Summer 2007	
	Econ Dept Mean Score	Econ Dept Ave.	Econ Dept Mean Score	Econ Dept Ave.
Overall, this course was excellent.	4.3	4.0	4.1	3.9
Overall, this instructor was an effective teacher.	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.2
Overall, I learned a great deal from this course.	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.1
Course/Instructor Characteristics Average.	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.2
The instructor was one of the best I have had at UNC, fully deserving of a teaching award.	5 "yes" out of 11 responses		9 "yes" out of 14 responses	
Scores on a scale of 1 to 5 where 5 = Strongly Agree, 4 = Agree, 3 = Neither Agree or Disagree, 2 = Disagree, and 1 = Strongly Disagree.				