

# Fall 2016 Comment Report

ORNEITA BURTON

## Course Sections

- A** IS 322 (03): Business Statistics
- B** MGMT 331 (01): Operations Management
- C** MGMT 331 (02): Operations Management

## Comments -

- A**
  - Dr. Burton is a wonderful woman and has a great family. She is easy to approach and talk to, whether about personal life or school. However, the teaching style seems inconsistent. There is a lot of coursework and outside assignments and it seems we aren't taught anything, instead have to teach ourselves.
  - Professor Burton is a nice lady! I enjoy having her as a professor.
  - I wish she did not use the online textbook and the prepared materials. Students do not learn from them. She is a very nice lady, but learning from her was hard. Most of the class discussions did not have much to do with the course content. I feel I did not learn much. This course would be better as an online course.
  - I enjoyed Orneita. She challenged our thinking everyday. I walk away from this course feeling like I did not learn what I was suppose to unfortunately and I know that I will now be challenged with this subject in my further classes.
  - She seemed to care about every student doing well.
  - Stats involves a lot of math and I learn better by working problems then talking about what the numbers mean. We did not work many problems in class and that I feel like will affect my final grade.
  - Great Teacher and overall person!
  - More class time needs to be spent teaching what will be on the quizzes/tests. Do not give quizzes over material that hasn't been covered!
  - Thank you Dr. Burton for being a great instructor.
  - Very nice. Willing to work with students who are struggling as long as they show interest in improvement. More concerned about you learning the material than just making sure you get an a and let you forget it all.
- B**
  - Dr. Burton is a really nice person and cares about her students, but she needs to spend more time explaining the content and explaining how to do the projects and especially give more information about the Simulations.
  - Thank you for a great semester, you enjoy this course and we can tell
  - Good class, simulations are great
  - The simulation project did not teach me anything. It was a waste of time because we never really knew what we were doing and the effect it would have. Course material was never explained in a manner that made logical sense. Tests were poorly designed. The class was not taught well and was a waste of everyone's time.
  - She is a very sweet lady; however, she is very confusing in class when teaching concepts and explaining assignments. I usually left class having no idea what exactly was expected of me.
  - Dr. Burton is a very sweet lady but she is so unclear about what she is teaching and what is due when and what she expects. I feel like I did not learn much except for what I had to teach myself. I think Dr. Burton is very intelligent but does not know how to teach or put into understandable sentences what she is trying to explain.
  - Dr. Burton was very nice. The simulation was hard to understand and I didn't like having to do videos for projects.
  - I found Dr. Burton to be very sweet and kind. The class was ok. The system could be explained better and the material could be further explained with the aid of videos or real life case studies.
  - I really enjoyed some of the content in class. I do feel like at the end, it was quite overwhelming to have a final project and a final

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exam due. I feel like some of the time the Simulation was not well explained. I always felt like there was a disconnect between the teacher and the students. There was a sort of communication block where most of the time I felt confused as to what was going on. However, I did enjoy the simulation and thought it was a fun way to learn the material. Thanks for your time!

- Dr. Burton is an excellent, knowledgeable, compassionate professor.
- While the information she is trying to teach us is very helpful for any business majors career path it was difficult a lot of the time to follow along with her. She has a hard time explaining what exactly is asked of us when doing different projects and such so many students were left confused the majority of the time.
- N/A

**C**

- You are a great professor and truly a blessing from the Lord. It was a pleasure taking your class and I hope that one day I am able to come back and explain to your new students how much of an impact you will have had on my success.
- I generally enjoyed the class. The material was not too difficult but it was not always very easy to understand where we were in the coursework.
- Dr. Burton is a wonderful professor! She can get difficult due to all the work. Yet, as long as you keep up with everything you will fine and make an A in the class. I really enjoyed learning from her and appreciate the hard work she puts in.
- A very sweet lady. However, there is a lot of unnecessary busy work which the students never understand what we're doing. Also, assignments are often given at the last minute and students have to stress over completing them. I also appreciate Dr. burton being so willing to negotiate and compromise with assignments and grades.
- Really enjoyed this class and getting to know you. I can tell you care about us, the students, a lot.

**What specific actions and attitudes did you notice from your instructor that demonstrated his/her Christ-like character and conduct? -****A**

- The structure of the class confused me at times. Besides that, I would say this was an overall great course.
- Dr. Burton started every class with a prayer and asked for prayer requests

**B**

- She would go out of her way to emphasize the importance of ethical behavior, we prayed every day before class, and she stressed we could talk to her about anything.
- N/A
- She had someone pray at the beginning of every class which I thought was a great way to start off my MWF classes everyday.
- Dr. Burton formed personal bonds with students and had a vested interest in each student fulfilling their maximum potential.
- She was always willing to meet and talk with students and tried to be as helpful as she could
- She was sweet, humble, caring, and kind. Very gracious
- Dr. Burton related Christ like morals and ethics into her lessons
- We always pray before class and she talks about Christianity in the work place.
- Enthusiasm and passion
- She made it a priority to pray before each and every class period and she was very concerned with us and our well-being that she didn't allow small issues get in her way.

**C**

- She just was a great person and was christ like. We prayed every morning and had moments of talking about how what we are doing has to do with Christ. She is a wonderful person and I appreciate the teaching.
- She always prayed and asked for prayer requests before every class
- She made sure we prayed before every class & wanted to make sure we were all okay spiritually & school wise.
- She talked about ethics, encouraged us to pray before the beginning of every class period and also incorporate christian value improvement conversations when she could.
- The words of wisdom my instructor expressed to us regularly in class and the humble, graceful attitude she always condoned.