

<b>Course</b>	UNWE-Sofia; Introduction to Economics (in Bulgarian) Fall 2015; Verbal Student Evaluations
<b>Teacher: Petar Stankov</b>	
NOTE: Below is an English translation of the original verbal feedback which came in Bulgarian language. Comments are unabridged. Language, grammar and spelling are kept as close as possible to the original.	
<b>1</b>	<b>What types of critical/independent thinking were involved?</b>
	Weakly apparent critical thinking.
	Yes, relevant to the economic problems.
	Overall, all kinds of thinking related to our lives, about how the economy affects us and how we affect it.
	I do not have an opinion on this question.
	It applies sound thinking, it is based on proofs, justifies the claims, not the way to reach them
	Making rational decisions.
	The models presented in class teach the students how to be more rational.
	About the economic and social problems.
	To doubt the prices at Fantastico [a local retail chain store] and compare them with other stores.
<b>2</b>	<b>What is your overall assessment of this course? Why?</b>
	It is positive. Stankov is a super dude.
	Very good because you receive important and useful knowledge for the future which you will need all your life.
	Practical examples. Interesting lectures.
	Excellent because I understand the lectures very well and they teach you a lot of things.
	Thanks to the teacher the course is very easy to digest if you pay attention.
	Because despite the complicated material the teacher gives us easy examples.
	I think I received very good preparation, new knowledge and skills which I will use in the future.
	A very useful course, with many examples. An exceptional teacher -- a professional, an erudite, a disciplined and diverse person.
	An awesome teaching style. The most interesting lectures. Come Friday it is a pleasure to wake up at 8am for classes! Stankov for President!!
	This was the most useful course this semester. I remembered many things and I am sure they will stay forever.
	Because due to his non-standard examples and the class materials the material becomes extremely easy to remember.
	Good.
	It helped me strengthen my knowledge from high school and to get new knowledge.

	My overall grade is very good because this is a useful course that enriched my economic thinking.
	My grade is excellent because I like the way of teaching.
	The course is very useful because it gives directions for the real life.
	The teacher explains so that it is clear to everyone.
	No lecture that I have attended was redundant and would be useful in all possible ways.
	The lectures were delivered in a nice atmosphere.
	Because the material is given with many examples and discussions with the participation of students.
	Because the course was presented very well.
	Even though economics is not one of the easy subjects, the teacher turned it into an interesting discipline and even fun to learn.
	I was able to understand the material by attending the lectures alone.
	An interesting, high-level, teaching.
	I learned many new things.
	<b>3 Would you recommend the course to other students? Why/why not?</b>
	Yes, I also thought of attending his other classes without actually taking them.
	Yes, because he is interesting, presents well, and useful stuff too.
	Yes. The reason --> Petar Stankov.
	Yes because this is a unique discipline. P. Stankov teaches well and I was able to clarify for myself a lot of things which I did not know well before.
	Of course I would. There are very few teachers interested in how much the students understand and who can motivate the students. This course is very useful.
	Yes because the material is digested very easily.
	Yes because I learned many interesting things.
	Yes, because the teaching is good and interesting and is taught in an accessible manner for us, the students.
	Yes! A very useful course for people whose goals are to develop within the economics field.
	Yes, I would! Because the course is very practically oriented and one can get a lot of additional information from the teacher. The examples are from real life and are memorable.
	Yes I would. Because they will learn something useful and above all will remember it.
	Because his lectures are very interesting and nice. I am happy that people like him who graduated abroad have come back here and know what they are doing. I am impatient for every next class.
	Yes because the teaching is easy going and understandable.
	Yes because they will access the basics of economics very easily.

	Yes, because it is interesting and useful.
	Yes, I would recommend it because the course is very useful for people who are interested in Economics.
	Yes, because the course is very good for the development of a future economist.
	This is the only course in which the information reaches me in an understandable way.
	The knowledge would help us in the direction which we have taken.
	The teacher is good, he teaches the material in an understandable way and gives interesting examples.
	I would recommend the course not only for the teaching activities in class but also for breaking the discipline through the teachers' lenses.
	Yes because the material is needed by ever future economist.
	The lectures were not dry in the old-fashioned way.
	It is interesting, I got detailed explanations of the small things from the economy around us.
	He gives a clear overview of the economy.
	Yes, because the lectures were nice and easy and at the same time you learn a lot.
	This course helps us think like economists.
	I would recommend it, in fact I already did it. Because he was the only teacher who taught with pleasure and gave everything he's got for us to understand the material.
	He teaches the economic way of thinking.
<b>4</b>	<b>Was the instruction on this course different compared to other courses you have taken? If yes, in what ways?</b>
	Yes, far more interesting, easily accessible and nicely delivered.
	Yes, the way he teaches and presents.
	Yes. A contemporary approach to the lectures.
	Yes, everything was different.
	Yes, it was different because P. Stankov looks for ways to connect to the students and to predispose them and makes sure the explains the material.
	It is different because the teacher uses humor and examples from his own life.
	Yes because the material is explained better.
	P. Stankov gives excellent examples.
	Yes, it is different. P. Stankov is an excellent teacher, he manages to teach in an understandable and accessible way, even the more difficult material which is important for me as a student.
	Yes it was! P. Stankov never dictated his lectures. He creates a field for thought and makes us derive the conclusions by ourselves. In addition, he gave us all the presentations and sample tests while no one else does it.

	Yes it was different. He attracted everyone's attention, explained in an interesting way and gave understandable examples from everyday life.
	Because even though the questions asked are dumb, he answers, helps the students, he never turned a question down or left it "for later", like his colleagues do.
	His approach is different and to some extent we understand what he is saying.
	Yes because he uses numerous examples from the everyday life.
	It was different because P. Stankov used many contemporary examples that attracted our attention.
	The teaching was at a very good level because, unlike other courses, in this course we engaged in dialogues which delved into our everyday lives with examples.
	It was different. P. Stankov has a very good approach to teaching the material, unlike the other teachers.
	Here everything is understandable whereas the others only wait for the time to pass.
	The material was taught better.
	Yes, because the examples were taken from our everyday life and this made digesting the material very easy and moreover attracted our attention.
	It is fun and a lot more useful.
	Yes. During the time we did exercises the unclear things were explained well and before the exercises we revised the relevant theory.
	This course was the most interesting to me mainly because of the teaching style.
	I came to classes with pleasure and I regretted it when I had to miss classes.
	He always smiles which is very important.
	<b>5 Do you have any other comments on the course or the instructor?</b>
	An excellent teacher and person.
	No I do not.
	A wonderful teacher. There are not many teachers like him.
	A unique person.
	P. Stankov is the best example of an ambitious and intelligent person.
	He is a good teacher. I would recommend him!
	I am pleased with this course.
	I wish every student could meet this kind of teacher. They will learn a lot, not only in theory but also in practice.
	I would like to shake his hand because he is the only teacher who said: "There is this study guide and I would not hide from you that I am its author but you would not need to buy it for the exam because all you need for the exam is on the class website and is for free." Bravo, Stankov! (bow)

	All teachers need to be like him, to teach with love and understanding, not only because they must sing their lecture through.
	He gives good examples.
	It is a pity there are no more teachers like him who do their job with pleasure and the way it is supposed to be done. He is interested whether we learned the material and doing frequent revisions helps a lot.
	He is big!!!
	He manages to teach the material in the most interesting and easy way.
	P. Stankov is a good teacher who does his job very well.
	Extremely devoted to the teaching profession.
	He is a super teacher!!!
	All the teachers in the Bulgarian universities need to teach in the most understandable way.
	One of the new generation of teachers who is apparently doing his job with pleasure.
	Let him continue teach with the same enthusiasm.
	I like his style of teaching.
	Giving examples from his personal life makes the lectures very interesting:)
	P. Stankov is among the best teachers.
	P. Stankov is the coolest teacher who can explain the most difficult things in a fun and easy to understand way.
	Keep being so devoted to your profession. In our times there are not many teachers like that.
	He is a positive person with a non-standard thinking and thus he breaks down the barriers between the teacher and the students.
	I would recommend him to change his wardrobe.
	Very cool dude.
	Not with an Angry Birds t-shirt.
	More courses should take example from this one:)