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Module questionnaire 20/21 (PX366)






Thank you for submitting your feedback on this module - all answers are anonymous.

The results will be collated and the information viewed by the module leader and the Education Committee and can help to improve the experience of students taking this module in future.




1 I watched or read through the notes of (...?...) of the online lecture material

Response	Average	Total
>80%	 88%	14
50-80%	 13%	2
Total responses to question	 100%	16/16




2 I attended (...?...) of the Live events for this module

Response	Average	Total
All	 19%	3
Most	 31%	5
Some	 19%	3
None	 31%	5
Total responses to question	 100%	16/16




3 The quantity of material was...

Response	Average	Total
About right	 94%	15
Too great	 6%	1
Total responses to question	 100%	16/16




4 By the end of the module its purpose and direction were...

Response	Average	Total
Clear	 81%	13
Hazy	 19%	3
Total responses to question	 100%	16/16





5 Explanation of new terms and concepts was...

Response	Average	Total
Good	 81%	13
Adequate	 19%	3
Total responses to question	 100%	16/16




6 I have a (...?...) set of notes

Response	Average	Total
Good	 80%	12
Adequate	 20%	3
Total responses to question	 94%	15/16




7 I attempted (...?...) of examples sheet questions

Response	Average	Total
<40%	 53%	8
40-50%	 20%	3
>80%	 27%	4
Total responses to question	 94%	15/16

8 The examples sheet questions were...




Response	Average	Total
About Right	 60%	6
Too Hard	 40%	4
Total responses to question	 63%	10/16

9 Promptness of feedback on submitted coursework was...



Response	Average	Total
Good	 67%	2
Adequate	 33%	1
Total responses to question	 19%	3/16

10 Would you like a course taking this subject further ?



Response	Average	Total
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Response	Average	Total
Yes	 47%	7
Neutral	 33%	5
No	 20%	3
Total responses to question		15/16

11 Did you use any of the recommended/suggested textbooks?



Response	Average	Total
Yes - consulted	 13%	2
No	 88%	14
Total responses to question		16/16

12 I found the textbook(s) used to be...




Response	Average	Total
Helpful	 15%	2
I did not use a textbook	 85%	11
Total responses to question		13/16

I understood the following main topics





13 Phase Transitions

Response	Average	Total
First time through online lectures or notes	 50%	8
After more work	 50%	8
Total responses to question		16/16

14 Statistical Mechanics of Polymers

Response	Average	Total
First time through online lectures or notes	 63%	10
After more work	 31%	5
Poorly	 6%	1
Total responses to question		16/16

15 Brownian Motion

Response	Average	Total
First time through online lectures or notes	 47%	7
After more work	 47%	7
Poorly	 7%	1
Total responses to question	 94%	15/16

16 The best features of this module were:

Respondent	Response
	The excellent systematic breakdown of complex concepts made the content much easier to digest.
	Your handwritten notes are very neat, and were laid out nicely. Didn't necessarily write everything but very good at talking around the subject. It's clear you made an effort to adapt for COVID, and you were the most engaging lecturer I had this year. Thank you.
	The lectures were very clear and easy to follow, and your handwriting was easy to read so I have an excellent set of notes.
	Lecturer was very good, interesting topics. Good set of problems and solutions, along with comprehensive online notes to compliment those from lectures.
	Excellent lectures.
	Liked the style of the live event, i.e. rather than a meeting, it was a live event Q&A. This meant you were able to post anonymously unlike in meetings.
	The 'slide' sheets of recorded lectures. Easily the best form online lectures have taken. If there's another pandemic, use this as a model.
	The explanations and examples used to explain the concepts. Also, the live events really helped to better understand both the material and the questions.
	New material covered clearly and concisely with a good set of notes which were easy to follow.
	The live lectures had a system where you could anonymously ask questions which encouraged me to ask questions.
	Very clear and organised delivery of concepts.
Total responses to question	11/16

17 Any particular aspects/items needing improvement (and suggestions how):

Respondent	Response
	N/A
	Lecture material wasn't the most engaging but perhaps that is just me. Details of calculations and results were sometimes skipped over.
	Maybe more visual material like images or videos could help to better understand the concepts.

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Anonymous forum questions would be preferable.

Total responses to question

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18 Any other comments:

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One of my favourite modules this year! Thank you so much!

Thanks very much, I really enjoyed the module

Fantastically taught module, don't normally leave feedback but wanted to say thanks for the quality of the lectures and delivery of this one.

It seemed like a harder module.

Keep doing the great work that you do. Thank you very much.

Overall an average module. Would preferred it if the lectures followed the lecture notes more closely as by the end, they seemed to emphasise different things. Would have made the module a lot easier to follow.

Total responses to question

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