

NEW YORK CITY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
OF THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

POST OBSERVATION CONFERENCE MEMORANDUM

Date of Discussion: 7/2/18

Observation date: 5/14/18

Candidate's Name: NA

Department: Computer Systems Technology

Representatives Present: NA

Course / Section: CST 4704 / D773

Name of Observer: Professor CANDIDO CABO

Name of Observee: Professor ASHWIN SATYANARAYANA

Date Observation Filed with Chairperson:

P&B member or other assigned by chairperson: NA

(Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Signed Candido Cabo Title Prof

I understand that my signature means only that I have read this memorandum and that I may attach any comments I wish.

Staff Member's Signature Ashwin Satyanarayana date 7/2/18

FACULTY CLASSROOM OBSERVATION REPORT

Year: AY2017-2018

Untenured
Tenured

Department: Computer Systems Technology

Course/Section: CST 4704 / D773

Name of observee: ASHWIN SATYANARAYANA **Rank:** ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Name of observer: CANDIDO CABO **Rank:** PROFESSOR

Date of Observation: 5/14/18 **Room:** N908

Lesson Topic & Brief Summary: Prof Satyanarayana reviewed classification models and discussed how to build a classification model from predictors using a decision tree. He also discussed itemsets and association rules between itemsets using the Market-Basket model.

Please complete each item. This report will be returned unless each category contains supporting comments. Use additional pages if necessary.

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1. CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT (prompt start, efficient attendance check):
(x) Satisfactory ()Unsatisfactory

Prof Satyanarayana started promptly and he took attendance.

2. PROFESSIONAL TRAITS (professional appearance and demeanor, clarity, volume, and pace of speech; establishment of rapport with students)
(X)Satisfactory ()Unsatisfactory

Prof Satyanarayana spoke clearly with an appropriate volume and pace. He established a rapport with students.

3. SUBJECT MASTERY (accuracy of presented material, use of appropriate terminology, competence in use of equipment)
(X)Excellent ()Very Good ()Satisfactory ()Unsatisfactory

Prof Satyanarayana presented the material accurately using the appropriate terminology.

4. ORGANIZATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF MATERIAL (clear statement of objectives, logical sequence, budgeting of time, review, summary, and outside assignments as appropriate)
(X)Excellent ()Very Good ()Satisfactory ()Unsatisfactory

The objectives of the lecture were clearly presented. The topics were presented in a logical sequence. Prof Satyanarayana used an example to explain the concepts; he helped students built a decision tree. He also guided students to understand the concepts of frequent itemsets and association rules.

5. PRESENTATION OF MATERIAL (level and clarity of presentation, appropriate use of learning aids)
(X)Excellent ()Very Good ()Satisfactory ()Unsatisfactory

The presentation was clear at a level appropriate to the audience. Prof Satyanarayana used the projector and blackboard efficiently.

6. STUDENT-INSTRUCTOR INTERACTION (relevance, variety, and clarity of questions, appropriate recognition of student contributions)
(X)Excellent ()Very Good ()Satisfactory ()Unsatisfactory

Prof Satyanarayana asked relevant questions to students, and he guided them to find the correct answers. The students' efforts and contributions were appropriately recognized.

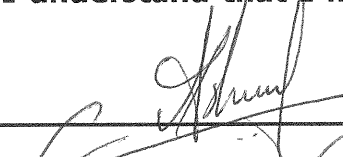

7. OVERALL EVALUATION (categories 1 through 6)

(X)Excellent
()Very Good
()Satisfactory
()Unsatisfactory

8. SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT (use additional pages if necessary)

Excellent and engaging lecture.

I have read and have been given a copy of the above report, and so signify by my signature below. I understand that I may attach additional comments to this document.

Signature of observee		date	7/2/18
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