

Dear Prospective Student,

Let me tell you about the course. It is a fairly easy course; none of the online homework assignments are more than 15 questions long and require no more than 4 hours a week. Some techniques that got me through the class were using the “example” button while doing the work. Sometimes you would get lucky and get an example problem so close (or identical) to the one that you are working on that you can just skip straight to the solution and just punch it in. One thing that was definitely my biggest flaw with this course was to leave most, if not all, of the written homework for the day or two before the exam. They tell you that will not work on the orientation and they are completely correct! If I had to take this course again... well, I wouldn't. I would take the actual class. Three study habits that worked well for me go as follows: 1. Talk to friends and get their help if you are struggling to understand the material. Hearing it often makes it click in your mind. That was one of my major study habits. 2. Get a nice quiet room to work in. For the longest time I had to work at my girlfriend's house, and her baby sister would cry and I couldn't get anything done. 3. Use the example button, it really helps. Three study habits I would change are: 1. Don't procrastinate. 2. Use the 2% note card. 3. Go to the study sessions. With the online format, I printed out the schedule and posted it on my door and highlighted the due dates and “x-ed” out all of the ones I had done. I hope this has been somewhat of a help.