

## Student Comments from Advanced Math II

Below are recent comments from students in Advanced Math II, an intensive graduate preparation course I designed with student placement in mind at King's College London. The course featured two hours of lecture, one hour of tutorial for small groups and two hours of large group tutorial a week. During the course, students had not only weekly assignments, but a large group project requiring them to both master the course material and also practice independence and self reliance by discovering related methods on their own in order to solve the project. The quantity of work was such that they would have to learn and explain various parts to each other, reinforcing understanding and clarifying their ideas. The knowledge, soft skills and confidence this engenders will help them hit the ground running in top graduate programs or working in technical environments.

- I would like to thank you for organising this module, which although challenging, was one of the most rewarding courses at King's. I hope I will be able to take the skills I have learnt forwards into further studies over the next few years.
- Thanks for the stimulating semester!
- A big thank you for the module, it was fantastic!
- Thank you so much for that! Also thank you again for organising and teaching us this module over the last couple of months. The abstract mathematical concepts taught made this module the most challenging and intellectually stimulating one I've had at Kings. It really required quite a big commitment per week to understand these concepts.
- I also really like the fact that we were a small group in this module, which made the learnings especially the office hours much more productive and helpful.
- This is absolutely incredible. I feel like I can't thank you enough for all the support and also for having told us the marks so early. It really has given me a confidence boost for my master's applications!
- It was honestly the most personalized and informal course I've had in 3 years which made it really interesting and much easier to understand, it really felt like a close team.
- Also thanks for all the extra hours you've dedicated to help us succeed, I would have learnt much less and scored much lower without all the extra support we got from you. I truly appreciate that!
- Thank you so much for everything, it was definitely a very very tough course but I really enjoyed the challenge.
- Thank so much for the course. It was challenging and rewarding.