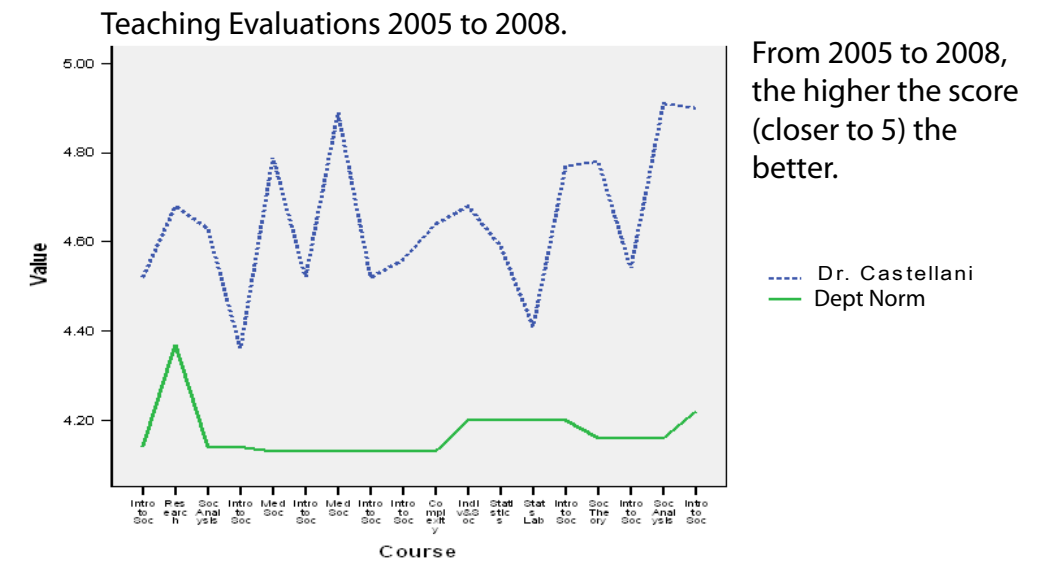
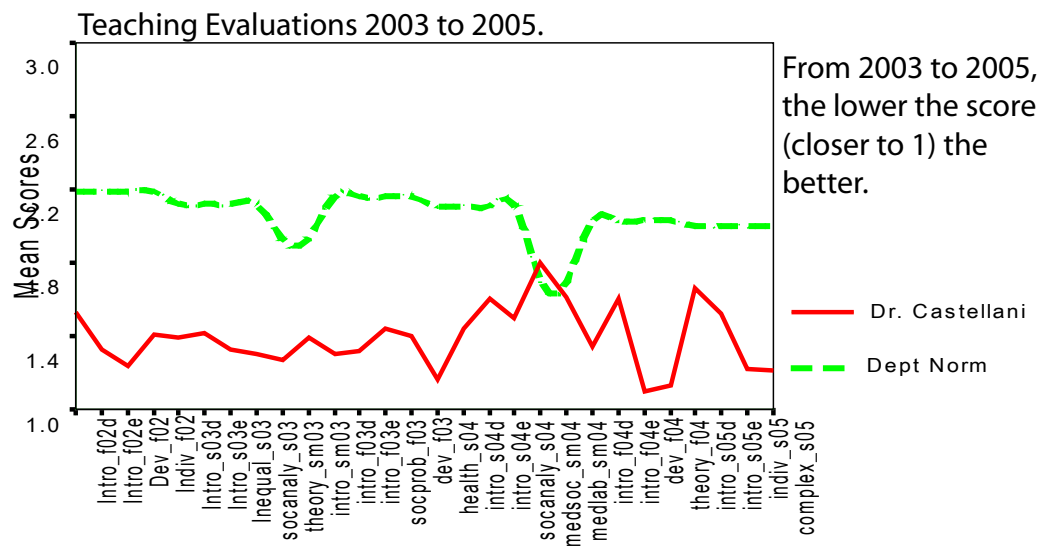


Brian Castellani, Ph.D.

Teaching highlights 2003 to 2008

- a. As shown in Graphs 1 and 2, my student evaluations are consistently better than department norms.
- b. In two instances—see Graph 2—my teaching evaluations were near perfect.
- c. I have received excellent peer reviews from colleagues and assistant deans at Kent State University.
- d. I was nominated for the 2002-2003 Arts and Sciences Distinguished Teacher Award, Kent State University.
- e. I won the 2002-2003 Faculty of the Year Award at Kent State, Ashtabula Campus.
- f. For “excellence in teaching” in 2003-2004 I was inducted into the Kent State University Chapter of the Golden Key International Honor Society.
- g. I received a 2003-2004 “Graduate’s Applause” card from the University Teaching Council, Kent State University.
- h. Received three letters from Provost noting my positive impact on a student’s life.
- i. In the past five years, my students have been accepted to such programs as:
 - Case Western Reserve University, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences
 - Purdue University, Department of Sociology
 - Cleveland State University, Department of Sociology
 - Kent State University, School of Technology



Student Comments:

"Brian is one of the best professors I've had yet. His teaching style makes you think for yourself, and he has the utmost confidence in all his students that they will learn the material, and will make sure all of the students understand before he moves on. I have taken 2 classes of his and only wish that I could take more! Recommended to everyone!"

This guy rocks! He is the most talented professor at the campus. He is unbiased, puts the info out and the class reacts. As it should be. A perfect model for a professor!

"He is a good professor, genuinely cares about his students and is there to help when you need it. He uses a sense of humor as a teaching style, and that makes his classes fun and easier to grasp the concepts of the class."