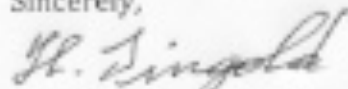Peer Review of Lecture delivered by Professor K. Subramani

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On Tuesday, November 15, 2016, I attended a lecture delivered by Professor K. Subramani. Professor Subramani was in the process of concluding the topic of optimization and starting a new topic in Algorithms that included among other issues the concept of NP completeness.

The delivery of the new material in the classroom utilized very organized and clearly typed Lecture notes that for the most part of the lecture were self-contained making it easy for the students to follow. The lecture notes were projected on a screen on the wall that was covered by blackboards. On each side of the screen there was about a third of a blackboard that remained uncovered by the screen of which Professor Subramani made use during the lecture delivery. Professor Subramani made sure during the lecture that pre requisite material that was needed by students to get a full comprehension of the lecture was indeed in their possession. He achieved this goal by marching slowly on the projected screen from paragraph to paragraph pausing to quiz the students about grasp and comprehension of the new material as well as recollection of pre requisites. These were the times that Professor Subramani made also effective use of the blackboards. There was a relaxed atmosphere in the class. Students were participating voluntarily, showing their enthusiasm, their interest their knowledge and comprehension.

Professor Subramani showed mastery of the subject matter taught which is a very important aspect of any successful teaching.

Sincerely,

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