

Getting the most out of practical classes



Chiara Bozzola

My feedback about this course is completely positive because it encouraged creativity and group work. If there is the possibility, I will attend other courses like this in the future.



Maria Cristina Rapi

I've really appreciated Professor Baillie's course. She has provided me food for thought and, most important, tools with which I will certainly find easier to deal with the teaching part of my PhD path. I really recommend this course to everybody.



Laura Filippone Pavesi

I appreciated it a lot. I found it helpful, and the teacher could share her knowledge and her passion for teaching. I only saw the course more focused on skills related to the clinical aspect of veterinary medicine rather than on all the possible topics of veterinary practice.



Gaia Pesenti Rossi

Professor Baillie's course "Getting the most out of practical classes" was a great opportunity to focus on teaching skills rather than the sole implementation of knowledge: considering that part of phd can be also to deal with students, having a moment to think about how to teach and empower their learning abilities was a very useful resource.



Simone Canesi

My feedback about the Prof. Baillie's course is extremely positive. She's a very experienced Professor who taught us the fundamental of the flipped classroom design. I strongly recommend to attend her course and I'll surely put into practice her suggestions.



Anna Zurlo

I wanted to thank Prof. Baillie for the passion she showed us in what she does. She was able to teach us something we didn't know we needed.

I only got to know her for a few days but I was amazed to see how someone with such a deep knowledge of her subject can behave with such humility and above all relate to her students as if they were her equals. I really admire her as a professional and as a person.



Gaspare Salvi

I am very satisfied to have participated in such an interactive course. I think the most important aspect was the possibility to interact in groups and to have tasks to complete. Professor Baillie is an expert in the subject, and she made me realise the importance of the practical learning process.



Paola Roccabianca

I would like to thank Prof. Sara Baillei and the local organizers for giving me the opportunity to meet her in person and to attend her workshop.

Regarding the workshop, this type of sessions are much needed at our institution and in general. I believe it was a great workshop and very informative. I was already familiar with OCSE exams format and I gained much information on how to prepare and on how to organize this type of exam.

The workshop was well organized in terms of power point presentation, material (also educational free material accessible), well illustrated and scientifically grounded. It was a great opportunity for discussion regarding other exam formats and what the students capabilities are assessed in each format.

Prof. Baillei provided a very well organized and balanced workshop among practical and theoretical presentations asking us to think and answer to educational questions and providing us with time to perform simple tasks. She offered one practical demonstration and example on how to conduct an OCSE and how to assess a student performing a suture. She offered us a practical assessment scheme and a practical task that could be easily performed even in class as washing the hands according with the EU standard guidelines that we could score in pairs.

It was really great to put in practice and not only to participate to a lecture.

I feel that Prof. Baille enlightened me as a Teacher as I was not aware that you can actually publish on these matters and that teaching is relevant for a career as we are generally prompted to publish only research.

I'm inspired to bring this back to the work.

Thank you!