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Dr John Taylor receives stellar feedback on his teaching from a large cohort of students. He is praised for his innovative teaching style, using a tablet-assisted lecturing approach that allows him to produce very high-quality lecture notes in real time, and make them available to students electronically. Furthermore, he is described as an excellent communicator, very approachable and keen to put aside time to further discuss the course with all. He implements student feedback immediately at the beginning of the next lecture, and with the use of technology is able to revisit and edit existing lecture notes efficiently.

In supervisions, John gives very detailed feedback on work and puts great effort into addressing the individual needs of his students. As a PhD supervisor he is exceptionally attentive and maintains a very productive atmosphere. Furthermore, he has been contributing to the organisation of graduate student summer schools in Cambridge and beyond for many years. Through the diverse range of his teaching activities it is evident that he cares greatly about students, and his enthusiasm is an inspiration to many colleagues.