

Comments from student nominators include:

- Dr. Thomas is very passionate about Inorganic Chemistry and she makes this difficult subject interesting and very easy to understand. She teaches us how to think analytically and encourages us to be open-minded about each concept. She makes me like Chemistry even more than before.
- The MOST valuable aspect of having her as a teacher for this lab course was our process of writing lab reports, which drew upon everything she had taught us. Folks in any field would agree that it's important to be good in your own specialized field, but it's absolutely imperative to be good at writing and wielding language to express your research to the world. Prof. Thomas worked with us in a very meticulous manner to hone our writing skills; she had us write our lab reports at the level of real journal-quality articles. She also has a great passion for teaching simply as a tool for inspiring people.
- Professor Christine Thomas might be the most dedicated, passionate teacher I have ever had.
- She always put in extra time or effort necessary to help the class understand the material. Ask any student what he or she expects from the ideal teacher, and I think you will hear a description of Christine Thomas.