

# CS 591 - Mathematical Modeling

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## 1 Preview

This course is primarily intended for a graduate audience in the CSEE, IMSE and B & E Departments, although undergraduate students with adequate preparation in linear algebra will also benefit from this course. It will serve as a thorough introduction to the fundamentals of Linear and Integer Programming from both a theoretical and a practical perspective.

## 2 Pre-requisites

Exposure to Linear Algebra.

## 3 Logistics

1. Class Times Tu - Th 8 : 00 *am* — 9 : 15 *am*.
2. Location - 215 ESB.
3. Office Hours - By appointment.
4. Class URL:

## 4 Syllabus sketch

### 4.1 Mathematical Programming Models

### 4.2 Building Linear Programming Models

### 4.3 Structured Linear Programming Models

### 4.4 Applications and Special Types of Linear Programming Models

### 4.5 Interpreting and using the solution of a Linear Programming Model

### 4.6 Non-linear models

### 4.7 Integer Programming

### 4.8 Building Integer Programming Models

### 4.9 The Implementation of a Mathematical System of Planning

## 5 Material

This course is based on [?].

## 6 Assessment

1. Quizzes (2) - Two quizzes will be held; one on February 12 and the other on April 15. These quizzes will be in-class and closed book. Each quiz is worth 20% (for a total of 40%) of your grade.
2. Midterm - The midterm will be held on March 16. It is in-class, closed book and worth 30% of your grade.
3. Final - The final will be held on May 8, 15 : 00 – 17 : 00. It is in-class, closed book and worth 30% of your grade. (Tentative)

A maximum of 5 points is reserved for class performance, which includes regular attendance and participating in class discussions.

## 7 Grade Boundaries

1. **A** -  $\geq 90$
2. **B** - 75 – 89
3. **C** - 60 – 74
4. **D** - 50 – 59
5. **F** - 0 – 49

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