Ph.D. Program in Mathematics
Course Description - Fall 2019

Course Title: Functions of a Real Variable
Course #: 70100
Time and Location: 12:00pm-1:30pm in TBA
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Pre-Requisites: Undergraduate Advanced Calculus
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Description:

The real number system, including the least upper bound property; elementary aspects of cardinal numbers (countable and uncountable sets, the uncountability of the reals); elementary point-set topology, including compactness, connectedness, metric spaces, complete metric spaces, metrizable spaces and the Baire Category Theorem; continuous functions between topological spaces; the topology of euclidean space $\mathbb{R}^n$, including the Heine-Borel and Bolzano-Weierstrass Theorems; function spaces, including sequences and series within such spaces, uniform convergence, the Stone-Weierstrass Theorem, and the Arzelà-Ascoli Theorem (a/k/a Ascoli’s Theorem); differentiation in several variables, including the Inverse and Implicit Functions Theorems.