Math 8370: Harmonic Analysis 1 Spring 2018

Class meetings: MWF 10:00-10:50 a.m. in ECCR 118

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Prerequisites: Math 6320 (Introduction to Real Analysis 2), or instructor consent.

Text: A First Course in Harmonic Analysis, Anton Deitmar, Springer Verlag, 2005, second edition. This book is available in electronic form from the CU library.

Course outline: The material to be covered includes all of Chapters 1, 2 and 3 of the Deitmar book and much of Chapters 6, 7, 10 or 11, depending on student interest. Topics to be covered include: A review of periodic functions on \mathbb{R} relating them to functions on the unit circle \mathbb{T} , trigonometric polynomials and Fourier series on the circle, including convergence problems for Fourier series on \mathbb{T} , including convergence in L^1 and L^2 ; mean, pointwise and absolute convergence. Convolution in $L^1(\mathbb{T})$. The Fourier Transform in $L^1(\mathbb{R})$: convolution in $L^1(\mathbb{R})$, approximate identities and the Poisson summation formula. The Fourier transform in $L^2(\mathbb{R})$, inversion and the Plancherel Theorem; the Poisson Summation formula. Depending on student interest we might cover one or more of the following topics: Fourier analysis on locally compact abelian groups and Pontryagin duality; representation theory for the matrix group SU(2), and/or representation theory for the Heisenberg group.

Assessment and Grading: Grades will be based on homework, assigned every two to three weeks or so (65 %), and on a final project on some topic related to harmonic analysis, due in early May (35%). Each student will write a short paper and give an oral presentation based on their project, so please reserve the exam period for our course, Sunday, May 6, 1:30 p.m.-4 p.m. for presentations (both giving them and listening to them). You are encouraged to work together on homework, although each student must submit an individual write-up. Late homework will not be accepted.

Important Dates:

- January 31 (Wed.): Last day to drop a course without Tuition/Fee charges and without a "W" appearing on your transcript.
- March 23 (Fri.): Last day to drop a course via MyCUInfo; Last day for students to make arrangements with their instructor if they have three or more final exams on the same day or two final exams scheduled to meet at the same time.
- May 3 (Fri.), 5 p.m.: Last day for students to withdraw from the university for Spring semester. All withdrawals are assessed 100% of tuition and fees (\$0 refund) and "W" grades are posted to transcripts.

Accommodations for disabilities: If you qualify for accommodations because of a disability, please submit to me a letter from Disability Services in a timely manner (for exam accommodations provide your letter at least one week prior to the exam) so that your needs can be addressed. Disability Services determines accommodations based on documented disabilities. Contact Disability Services at 303–492–8671 or by e-mail at dsinfo@colorado.edu.

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