Math 240: Syllabus and Matrix Operations

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Welcome

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Adding the Course

Speak to Robin Toney in the Math office on the 4th floor of DRL.

Space is limited.

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Syllabus Highlights

- My contact info
- TA's contact info
- Two lectures and 1 recitation a week

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If the need to do any of the above becomes too great please step outside

Course Webpage

http://www.math.upenn.edu/ ryblair/Math240/index.html

Here you will find

- Lecture slides
- e Homework assignments
- A copy of the syllabus
- A link to Blackboard (were your quiz homework and test scores are posted)
- Other useful links

Email

- Include Math 240 in the subject line
- Send it from a Penn account
- The body should include your name and your recitation number
- Allow 24 hrs for a reply
- S Direct homework and quiz questions to your TA, everything else to me

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Grading

- 10% Homework
- 2 10% Quizzes
- 3 20% Midterm 1
- 25% Midterm 2
- 35% Final

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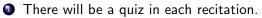
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Homework

- Homework will be assigned each Monday based on that weeks lectures.
- **2** You can find the current homework assignment on the course website.
- Homework will be collected each Thursday's lecture 10 days after it is assigned.
- Half the homework score is based on completeness and half on correctness.

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Anything covered in the previous week is fair game for that weeks quiz.

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- There will be a quiz in each recitation.
- Anything covered in the previous week is fair game for that weeks quiz.
- Next weeks quiz question will be based on the material found in the syllabus.



Mark your calendars

- Midterm 1: Feb. 10
- Midterm 2: Mar. 29
- Final: May 10

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Operations on Matrices

Goals

- Matrix basics
- Add and subtract matrices
- Multiply a matrix by a scalar
- Multiply matrices
- Take the transpose of a matrix
- Special types of matrices
- Matrix properties