

## MATH 542A COURSE SYLLABUS FALL 2009

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**Text:** *Methods of Multivariate Analysis* (2<sup>nd</sup> Edition), by Alvin C. Rencher

**Homework:** Exercise sets will be assigned and collected regularly. Homework papers must be stapled.

**Computer Component:** The SAS and Minitab statistical software packages will be used for a portion of the homework.

**Grade Components:** Homework (100 pts.--will be rescaled from the raw score)  
Three Midterms (50 pts. each)  
Final Exam (75 pts.)

**Exam Schedule:** Exam #1-- about week 5  
Exam #2-- about week 9-10  
Exam #3-- about week 14  
Final Exam—Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup> 5:15–7:15 PM

**NO MAKE-UP EXAMS WILL BE GIVEN**