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MASTER SYLLABUS

MATH 364 - DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

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- A. **TITLE: Differential Equations**
- B. **COURSE NUMBER: MATH 364**
- C. **CREDIT HOURS: (Hours of Lecture, Laboratory, Recitation, Tutorial, Activity)**

Credit Hours: 4
 # Lecture Hours: 4 per week
 # Lab Hours: per week
 Other: per week

Course Length: 15 Weeks

- D. **WRITING INTENSIVE COURSE: N/A**
- E. **GER CATEGORY: 1**
- F. **SEMESTER(S) OFFERED: Spring and fall semesters**

G. **COURSE DESCRIPTION:** A course in Ordinary Differential Equations. Topics include: First-order differential equations, higher-order differential equations with constant and variable coefficients, applications of first and second-order linear equations, Laplace transforms, systems of linear differential equations and numerical methods for ordinary differential equations (optional).

H. **PRE-REQUISITES/CO-REQUISITES:**

- a. Pre-requisite(s): Calculus II (MATH 162) with a grade of C or better or permission of instructor.
- b. Co-requisite(s): N/A
- c. Pre- or co-requisite(s): N/A

I. **STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

| <u>Course Student Learning Outcome [SLO]</u> | <u>PSLO</u> | <u>GER</u> | <u>ISLO</u> |
|---|--------------------|-------------------|---|
| a. Verify implicit and explicit solutions of ordinary differential equations (ODE's) | N/A | 1 | 3. <i>Quantitative Lit./Reasoning [QTR]</i> |
| b. Solve first-order ODE's and IVP's using separation of variables, integrating factors, substitutions, or numerical analysis | N/A | 1 | 3. <i>Quantitative Lit./Reasoning [QTR]</i> |
| c. Find the general solution of second-order ODE or higher order homogeneous or nonhomogeneous ODE's | N/A | 1 | 3. <i>Quantitative Lit./Reasoning [QTR]</i> |
| d. Solve ODE's using the Laplace transform | N/A | 1 | 3. <i>Quantitative Lit./Reasoning [QTR]</i> |
| e. Solve systems of ODE's | N/A | 1 | 3. <i>Quantitative Lit./Reasoning [QTR]</i> |

| KEY | <u>Institutional Student Learning Outcomes [ISLO 1 – 5]</u> |
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| ISLO # | ISLO & Subsets |
| 1 | Communication Skills Oral [O], Written [W] |
| 2 | Critical Thinking <i>Critical Analysis [CA], Inquiry & Analysis [IA], Problem Solving [PS]</i> |
| 3 | Foundational Skills <i>Information Management [IM], Quantitative Lit./Reasoning [QTR]</i> |
| 4 | Social Responsibility <i>Ethical Reasoning [ER], Global Learning [GL], Intercultural Knowledge [IK], Teamwork [T]</i> |
| 5 | Industry, Professional, Discipline Specific Knowledge and Skills |

J. **APPLIED LEARNING COMPONENT:** Yes _____ No x

K. % **TEXTS:** Ordinary Differential Equations from Calculus to Dynamical Systems, V.W. Noonburg, Mathematical Association of America (Incorporated), 2014

L. % **REFERENCES:** N/A

M. % **EQUIPMENT:** N/A

N. % **GRADING METHOD:** A-F

O. % **SUGGESTED MEASUREMENT CRITERIA/METHODS:** Instructors may use a combination of:

- Exams
- Assignments
- Participation

P. **DETAILED COURSE OUTLINE:**

I. Introduction to ordinary differential equations (ODE's)

- A. Multivariable functions and partial derivatives
- B. Classification of ODE's
- C. Verification of solutions
- D. Explicit and implicit solutions
- E. Initial value problems

II. First Order ODE's

- A. Separable variables
- B. Linear equations
- C. Exact equations
- D. Homogeneous ODE
- E. Bernoulli Equations
- F. Other miscellaneous substitutions (optional)
- G. Geometric characterization of solutions (direction fields)
- H. Numeric methods (Euler's method)

I. Applications of first order ODE

III. Second order ODE's

- A. Vectors in the plane
- B. Vectors in 3-space
- C. Linear dependence and independence
- D. Using the Wronskian
- E. Finding a second solution using reduction of order
- F. Homogeneous Second order linear ODE with constant coefficients
- G. Nonhomogeneous Second order linear ODE
 - a. Method of undetermined coefficients
 - b. Variation of parameter
- H. Solutions by power series (optional)
- I. Applications of second order ODE's

IV. Higher order ODE's (Optional)

- A. Use determinant to determine linear independence or dependence
- B. Solutions of higher order linear ODE
- C. Higher order linear ODE with constant coefficients
 - a. Method of undetermined coefficients
 - b. Variation of parameters
- D. Euler equations
- E. Solve ODE by power series
 - a. Series solutions about ordinary points
 - b. Series solutions about singular points

V. The Laplace Transform

- A. Laplace transform
- B. Inverse transform
- C. Translation theorems and the unit step function
- D. Transforms of derivatives, integrals, piecewise, and periodic functions
- E. Solutions of differential equations using the Laplace transform
- F. The convolution of two functions and the transform of a convolution (optional)

VI. Systems of Differential Equations

- A. Solutions of homogeneous linear systems using Eigenvalues and eigenvectors

Q. **LABORATORY OUTLINE:** N/A