

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Syllabus

TOPICS IN SET THEORY - 80909

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<u>HU Credits:</u> 2

Degree/Cycle: 2nd degree (Master)

<u>Responsible Department:</u> Mathematics

<u>Academic year:</u> 0

<u>Semester:</u> 1st Semester

Teaching Languages: English and Hebrew

<u>Campus:</u> E. Safra

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Course/Module description:

The purpose of the course is to introduce the theory of infinite games and determinacy

Topics will include:

1. Infinite games associated with sets of reals

- 2. The Axiom of Determinacy (AD) and applications to descriptive set theory
- 3. Martin's Theorem on Borel Determinacy and applications to infinite combinatorics
- 4. Determinacy of Analytic and Projective sets

<u>Course/Module aims:</u> Introducing the theory of infinite games and determinacy

Learning outcomes - On successful completion of this module, students should be able to: Introducing the theory of infinite games and determinacy

<u>Attendance requirements(%):</u>

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction:

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Required Reading:

<u>Additional Reading Material:</u> 1. The Higher Infinite - Akihiro Kanamori

2. Classical Descriptive Set Theory - Alexander Kechris

<u>Course/Module evaluation:</u> End of year written/oral examination 0 % Presentation 50 % Participation in Tutorials 0 % Project work 50 % Assignments 0 % Reports 0 % Research project 0 % Quizzes 0 % Other 0 %

Additional information: