# DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE College of Science, UP Baguio

| Course Number: | MATH 140                      |
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| Course Title:  | <b>Topological Structures</b> |
| Credit Units:  | 3 units (3 hours lecture)     |
| Prerequisite:  | Junior Standing               |

Objectives: At the end of the course, the student will be able to:

CO1: Familiarize with basic set theory concepts;

- CO2: Explain the importance of topology as a field of mathematics;
- CO3: Define and give examples of topological spaces, basis of a topology and subspaces;
- CO4: Use the definitions of the subspace, order, product, and quotient topologies to prove their properties and be familiar with standard examples
- CO5: Explain notions of closure, interior, limit points, and solve problems involving these;
- CO6: Prove theorems and solve problems involving topological spaces, continuous functions, and topological equivalence;
- CO7: Enumerate, give examples, and solve problems involving metric spaces and metrizability.
- CO8: Explain notion of connectedness and be familiar with basic properties and some standard applications.
- CO9: Recognize when a topological space is compact and be familiar with basic properties of compact spaces;
- CO10: Demonstrate understanding of countability and separation axioms and illustrate their uses; and
- CO11: Familiarize with Urysohn Metrization Theorem and Tietze Extension Theorem.

#### Course Requirements:

3 Long Exams Problem Sets/Quizzes Final Exam

# COURSE OUTLINE

#### 1. SET THEORY AND LOGIC

| Week 1 | CO1 | Fundamental Concepts               | Assignments |
|--------|-----|------------------------------------|-------------|
|        | CO1 | Functions & Relations              | Quizzes     |
| Week 2 | CO1 | Finite Sets                        |             |
|        | CO1 | Countable and Uncountable Sets     |             |
| Week 3 | CO1 | Infinite Sets and the Axiom of     |             |
|        |     | Choice                             |             |
|        | CO1 | Partially Ordered and Well-Ordered |             |
|        |     | Sets                               |             |

### 2. TOPOLOGICAL SPACES AND CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS

| Week 4 | CO1 | Topological Spaces               | Problem Set |
|--------|-----|----------------------------------|-------------|
|        | CO2 |                                  | Assignments |
|        | CO3 |                                  | Quizzes     |
| Week 5 | CO3 | Basis for a Topology             |             |
|        |     | 1 <sup>st</sup> LONG EXAMINATION |             |

| Week 6    | CO4 | The Order Topology               | Problem Set |
|-----------|-----|----------------------------------|-------------|
|           | CO4 | The Product Topology on XxY      | Assignments |
| Week 7    | CO4 | The Subspace Topology            | Quizzes     |
| Week 8    | CO5 | Closed Sets and Limit Points     |             |
| Week 9-10 | CO6 | Continuous Functions             |             |
|           | CO7 | The Metric Topology              |             |
|           |     | 2 <sup>nd</sup> LONG EXAMINATION |             |

## 3. CONNECTEDNESS AND COMPACTNESS

| Week 11 | CO8 | Connected Spaces                | Assignments |
|---------|-----|---------------------------------|-------------|
|         |     | Connected Sets in the Real Line | Quizzes     |
| Week 12 | CO9 | Compact Spaces                  |             |
|         |     | Compact Sets in the Real Line   |             |

## 4. COUNTABILITY AND SEPARATION AXIOMS

| Week 14 | C10 | The Countability Axioms          | Problem Set |
|---------|-----|----------------------------------|-------------|
|         |     | The Separation Axioms            | Assignments |
| Week 15 | C10 | Normal Spaces and the Urysohn    | Quizzes     |
|         |     | Lemma                            |             |
| Week 16 | C11 | Urysohn Metrization Theorem      |             |
|         |     | Tietze Extension Theorem         |             |
|         |     | 3 <sup>rd</sup> LONG EXAMINATION |             |

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