# Elements of Real Analysis

# Math 337-001 TTH 12:45-2:05 (COHH 3123)

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Welcome! 337 is intended to be your first introduction to abstract mathematical analysis. The prerequisites for it are 237, 307, and 310 with a grade of C or better. I hope that this course will give you a glimpse of what techniques and thought processes are involved in doing mathematical research. Don't let that frighten you! Keep up! Do the proofs and homework carefully and come see me whenever you have problems. Office hours are your time not mine.

# Learning Outcomes:

Upon completion of Math 337 a student will be expected to:

- have a basic understanding of introductory mathematical analysis.
- be able to perform proofs using mathematical induction and contradiction.
- know the basic concepts concerning the real number system and functions of real variables.
- have learned more about sequences and series.
- have a good understanding of limits, continuity, and elementary Topology.

There will be homework assigned daily, which will be taken up occasionally and without warning. Be ready. There will be three tests and a final. Your grade will be determined as follows:

Homework	20%
Test (3)	60%
Final	20%

# Textbook: Analysis with an Introduction to Proof, Fifth Edition by Steven R. Lay

Course Outline:

Chapter Days 1 2 4 2 5 3 4 3 5 4 2 8 Selected 3 Topics The dates of the exams are as follows.

Thurs. Sept 22 Thurs. Oct 20 Thurs Nov 10 Final (comprehensive) Tues. Dec 6, 10:30-12:30

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