



## Mathematics 502      Topics in Applied Mathematics

### Calendar Description:

This topics course is on "Industrial Applied Mathematics" with a focus on applications of mathematics that arise in industrial settings. This will include modeling of industrial processes, numerical computation, and analysis. The recommended texts (Fowler, Howison) give a good overview of the material to be covered.

Specific topics will be chosen according to the interests of the instructors and students.

**502** Topics in Applied Mathematics

**Course Hours:** 3 units; H(3-0)

**Prerequisites:** Any two Mathematics courses in the Field of Mathematics at the 400 level or above.

Some physics, chemistry, biology, or engineering coursework would be an asset.

Also formerly known as Pure Mathematics 503. MAY BE REPEATED FOR CREDIT

### Recommended textbooks:

Practical Applied Mathematics, by Sam Howison

Mathematical Models in the Applied Sciences, by A.C. Fowler

## Syllabus

### Topics:

### Number of Hours

Mathematical software and computational tools	3
Basics of mathematical modeling	3
Units and dimensional analysis	3
Numerical methods – Signal processing, differential equations, optimization	9
Mathematical inverse problems – theory and numerics	3
A selection of instructive industrial applications	15
–medical and seismic imaging, electronic devices, control systems, fluids, etc	

**TOTAL:**      36

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