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PETITION TO READ GRADUATE MATH COURSE

NAME: Min-Chun Wu

I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* Dimensionality Reduction with Professor Vladimir Itskov during the
2017 Spring semester as follows. I have already taken the following
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

Modern Geometry (A) (in Taiwan)
Machine Learning (A) (on Web).

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan
to cover):

1. Geometric Structure of High-Dimensional Data and Dimensionality Reduction. ^(by) J. Wang

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PETITION TO READ GRADUATE MATH COURSE

NAME: Min-Chun Wu

I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* TDA with Professor Vladimir Itskov during the
2017 Spring semester as follows. I have already taken the following
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

Applied Algebraic Topology (A), Abstract Algebra (A)

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. Persistence Theory - From Quiver Rep. to Data Analysis ^{by} S. Oudot 2015.
2. Zigzag Persistence / Zigzag Persistent Homology and Real-valued Functions ^{by} G. Carlsson.
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PETITION TO READ GRADUATE MATH COURSE

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NAME: Min-Chun Wu

I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* Algebraic Topology with Professor Vladimir Itskov during the
Spring 2016 semester as follows. I have already taken the following
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

Applied Topology (Grade: A).

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. Bott/Tu - Differential forms in algebraic topology. (§ 14. The Spectral Seq. of a Filtered Complex)
2. J.J. Rotman - An Introduction to Homological Algebra (2nd Edition) (Chap 10. Spectral Sequences)
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NAME: Min-Chun Wu

I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* Probability with Professor Vladimir Itskov during the
Spring 2016 semester as follows. I have already taken the following
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. A. Shiryaev - Probability (2nd Edition)
 - Ch 1 §1~§10, §12 (later)
 - Ch 2 §1~§8, §10-§12.
 - Ch 3 §1 §3 §4. (Skip §5)
 - Ch 4 §1-§3
 - Markov chains
 - ch 3 §11-§12.
- 2.
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PETITION TO READ GRADUATE MATH COURSE

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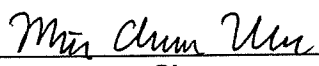
I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* Machine Learning with Professor Itskov during the
Fall 2016 semester as follows. I have already taken the following
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

Algebra : A.
Reading Course on Probability : A.

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. Learning From Data (by Y. Abu-Mostafa, et al.) (Whole Book).
2. The Elements of Statistical Learning (by T. Hastie, et al.) (ref Book)
3. An Introduction to Statistical Learning (by G. James, et al.) (ref Book).

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NAME: Min Chun Wu

I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
*Topological Data Analysis with Professor ITSKOV during the
Fall, 2016 semester as follows. I have already taken the following

supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

Applied Algebraic Topology : A / Abstract Algebra : A.

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. Elementary Applied Topology (by Robert Christ).
2. Zigzag Persistence (by Gunnar Carlsson and Vin de Silva)
3. Computational Topology (by H. Edelsbrunner).

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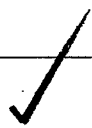
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I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* Statistics / Stochastic Calculus with Professor Vladimir Itskov during the
2018 Spring semester as follows. I have already taken the following
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

517 Probability Theory (Grade: A)

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. All of Statistics - A Concise Course in S.I. (by L. Wasserman).
2. An Informal Intro to Stochastic Calculus w/ App. (by O. Gelin).
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PETITION TO READ GRADUATE MATH COURSE

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I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* Riemannian Mfd / Mfd Learning with Professor Jeffrey Case during the
2018 Spring semester as follows. I have already taken the following
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

528 Diff. Manifolds. (Grade: A)

Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. [1999] [J. Lee] Riemannian Mfolds - An Intro to Curvature.
2. [2012] [J. Wang] Geometric Structure of High-Dim. Data and Dim. Reduction.
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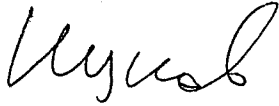
I request permission to read a 500-level course for 3 credits in
* Theoretical Machine Learning with Professor Vladimir Itskov during the
Fall semester as follows. I have already taken the following

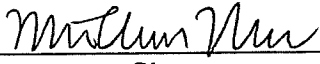
supporting PSU graduate courses (give grades):

Real Analysis (A), Probability Theory (A), some reading courses (A).

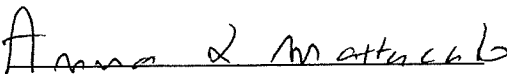
Text and/or periodicals to be read (list chapter/section headings that you plan to cover):

1. Understanding Machine Learning: From Theory to Algorithms.
by Shai Shalev-Shwartz, et al
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