GRADING POLICY

Your overall score in this class will be a weighted average of your scores for the different components, with the following weights:

20% for the lecture exercises (divided equally among the 26 lectures)
20% for the problem sets (divided equally among 11 problem sets)
15% for the first midterm exam
15% for the second midterm exam
30% for the final exam

To receive a certificate that you have passed this class, you will need to obtain an overall score of 60% or more of the maximum possible overall score.

Note that not every problem set or set of lecture exercises will have the same number of raw points. For example, Problem Set 1 may have 30 points and Problem Set 2 may have 35 points. However, each one receives the same weight for the purposes of calculating your overall score.

As an illustrative example, if you receive 20 points out of 30 on Problem Set 1, this will contribute $\frac{20}{30} \cdot \frac{20\%}{11} \approx 1.21\%$ to your overall score. Similarly, if you receive 30 points out of 35 on Problem Set 2, this will contribute $\frac{30}{35} \cdot \frac{20\%}{11} \approx 1.56\%$ to your overall score.

Under the “Progress" tab at the top, you can see your score broken down for each assignment, as well as a summary plot.

Poisson processes

- Unit 10: Markov chains
- Exit Survey