

Topics in Several Complex Variables (Math 689 proposal for fall 2005)

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This course addresses various aspects of the contemporary theory of multi-dimensional complex analysis. The proposed topics are the following.

1. Integral representations and applications
 - a) Bochner-Martinelli integral
 - b) Cauchy-Fantappiè forms
 - c) Bergman and Szegő integrals
 - d) Cauchy integral for convex domains
 - e) Hartogs phenomenon via integrals
 - f) Integral solutions of the $\bar{\partial}$ -equation
 - g) Tangential Cauchy-Riemann equations
2. Holomorphic mappings
 - a) Classification problem of domains
 - b) Boundary behavior of biholomorphic maps
 - c) Automorphism groups of domains
 - d) Invariant metrics; Wong-Rosay theorem
 - e) Approximate Riemann mapping theorems
 - f) Proper holomorphic maps
 - g) Automorphisms of \mathbb{C}^n ; Jacobian conjecture

Grades will be based on class participation. Math 618 is the prerequisite course.