

MATH-602

Inference on graphs

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Cursus	Sem.	Type
Mathematics		Opt.

Language of teaching	English
Credits	3
Session	
Exam	Oral
Workload	90h
Hours	60
Lecture	20
Practical work	40
Number of positions	

Frequency

Every year

Remark

Next time in 2024/25

Summary

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The class will have lectures and projects consisting of papers presentations, potential problem extensions and reports.

Keywords

Inference on graphs, learning on graphs, random graphs, community detection, clustering, perceptron, neural networks, spectral graph theory.

Learning Prerequisites**Required courses**

A basic class on probability and statistics

Learning Outcomes

- Understand the material of the class and related papers.

Resources**Bibliography**

Notes on "Random graphs" and monograph on "Community detection and stochastic block models" by E.

Abbe. List of papers.

Ressources en bibliothèque

- [Community detection and stochastic block models / Abbé](#)

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- <https://go.epfl.ch/MATH-602>