## Math 3331 – Fall 2015

## **Linear Programming and Applications**

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Office hours: Wednesday 2:30pm -- 3:30pm or by appointment

**Lectures:** Monday and Wednesday 1:00pm -- 2:30pm in RB 2024

<u>Textbook:</u> Operations Research--Applications and Algorithms, 4th Edition

by Wayne L. Winston

**Course Web:** myCourseLink

<u>Course Content:</u> Linear programming, simplex method, sensitivity analysis, duality, dual simplex method, integer programming and computer tools for solving linear programming and integer programming. Selected topics from: transportation algorithms and quadratic programming. These are covered in Chapters 1 - 4, Chapters 6 - 7, Chapter 9 and Chapter 11.

Assignments: Weekly assignments will be posted on the course website and are due in one week. All assignments should be placed in the MATH 3331 assignment box on the second floor of Ryan Building before 4:00pm of the due date. In fairness to everyone, late assignments will not be accepted unless there is a valid documented reason.

Examinations: An eighty-minute Mid-term is scheduled during the lecture hour on Wednesday, October 21, 2015. No make-up test is provided for students who miss writing the Mid-term at the scheduled time. If there is a legitimate (documented) excuse, the final mark will be calculated on the basis of the final exam. Otherwise, a grade of 0% for the missed exam will be averaged with other grades. A three-hour final examination will be scheduled at the end of the term.

Grading Scheme: Assignments	15%
Mid-term	25%
Final Exam	60%

<u>Do not hesitate to approach me</u> if you have any questions or if you need assistance in this course!