

# Math 338, Linear Algebra, Spring 2015

TuTh 6:30 – 8:10 1S-218  
(Section 26039)

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**Text:** Strang, Introduction to Linear Algebra, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2009, ISBN: 978-0-9802327-1-4

**Grading:** Your course grade will be determined as follows: 60% Exams + 25% Final Exam + 15% homework.

**Exams:** There will be three exams during the semester and a (comprehensive) final exam at the end of the semester. The date for the final has not been set by the College, but it will be between May 17 and May 22. Do not make travel plans until the final exam schedule is posted, and you are certain you will be here the day the final is given. **Without exception you must pass the three exams and the final to pass the course.**

**Homework:** Homework consists of (1) reading the assigned sections from the textbook, (2) doing the textbook exercises listed in the syllabus, and (3) WebWork assignments. Textbook problems will not be graded, but you are strongly encouraged to do them, and to ask questions if you have difficulty with these problems. The graded portion of your homework will be the WebWork assignments.

**Help:** If you need help with any part of the course, I encourage you to come to my office hours, posted above, or make an appointment with me.

**Classroom decorum:** No laptop computer use, phone texting, or talking during lectures will be tolerated.