

General information	
Academic subject	<b><i>Fourier Analysis and Potential theory</i></b>
Degree course	<b><i>Mathematics</i></b>
Academic Year	<b><i>2021-22</i></b>
European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS)	7
Language	<b><i>Italian</i></b>
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	<b><i>I Semester</i></b>
Attendance	<b><i>Strongly recommended</i></b>

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Syllabus	
<b>Learning Objectives</b>	<b><i>Acquiring language and techniques of modern analysis, especially interpolation theorems, maximal functions, <math>L_p</math>-bounded operators, Riesz potential theory, singular integral operators, multipliers theorems, application to linear and semilinear evolution equations; homogeneous Lie groups and sublaplacians, Heisenberg group and the Kohn Laplacian, Haar measures.</i></b>
<b>Course prerequisites</b>	<b><i>Mathematical knowledge which usually is acquired during a degree of L-35 class. Especially: classical analysis of one and several variables, general topology, linear algebra, Lebesgue measure and integration theory.</i></b>
<b>Contents</b>	<p><b><i>1. Fourier Analysis</i></b>  <i>Basics on <math>L_p</math> spaces, convolution product, approximation of identity, Fourier transform, Schwartz space and tempered distribution space. Weak <math>(p,q)</math> convergence. Marcinkiewicz interpolation theorem. Hardy-Littlewood maximal function. Diadic maximal function. Calderón-Zygmund decomposition. Poisson kernels, P.V. <math>1/x</math>, Hilbert transform. Riesz-Kolmogorov theorem. Multipliers. Singular integral operators. Fourier transform of P.V. <math>\Omega(x)/ x ^n</math>. Method of rotations. Riesz transforms. Riesz and Bessel potentials, fractional Sobolev spaces. Hardy-Littlewood-Sobolev theorem and Sobolev embedding theorems. Calderón-Zygmund theorem. Pseudo-differential operators. Real Hardy spaces <math>H_p</math>, atomic decomposition, BMO, operators in Hardy spaces and in BMO. Weighted inequalities with <math>A_1</math> and <math>A_p</math> weights. Paley-Littlewood decomposition. Mihlin-Hörmander multiplier theorems. Results for parameter-dependent multiplier theorems and application to evolution equations.</i></p> <p><b><i>2. Analysis on homogeneous Lie groups</i></b>  <i>Homogeneous Lie groups and sublaplacians. Heisenberg group and the Kohn Laplacian. Homogeneous norms. Haar measures. Convolution on groups. <math>L_p</math>-weak spaces and functional inequalities. Fundamental solution for sublaplacians. Representation formulas. Maximum principle. Hardy-Littlewood-Sobolev theorem for sublaplacians.</i></p>
<b>Books and bibliography</b>	<p><b><i>J. Duoandikoetxea, Fourier Analysis, Graduate Studies in Mathematics, Vol 29, AMS, 2000.</i></b></p> <p><b><i>M.R. Ebert, M. Reissig, Methods for Partial Differential Equations, Birkhäuser</i></b></p>

	<i>Basel, 2018.</i> <i>L. Grafakos, Classical Fourier analysis. Third edition. Graduate Texts in Mathematics, 249. Springer, New York, 2014</i>
<b>Additional materials</b>	<i>Lecture notes</i>

<b>Work schedule</b>			
Total	Lectures	Hands on (Laboratory, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
<b>Hours</b>			
<i>175</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>115</i>
<b>ECTS</b>			
<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>0</i>	
<b>Teaching strategy</b>			
<i>Lectures, supported by slides and lecture notes.</i>			
<b>Expected learning outcomes</b>			
<b>Knowledge and understanding on:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Acquiring fundamental concepts in advanced modern real analysis and Fourier Analysis</li> <li>○ Acquiring mathematical proof techniques and learn the applications to linear and semilinear partial differential equations.</li> </ul>		
<b>Applying knowledge and understanding on:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The acquired theoretical knowledge is useful in large part of mathematics and its applications.</li> </ul>		
<b>Soft skills</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Making informed judgments and choices</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ability to analyze the consistency of the logical arguments used in a proof</li> <li>○ Problem solving skills should be supported by the capacity in evaluating the consistency of the found solution with the theoretical knowledge.</li> <li>○ Find the most elegant, short, formally correct and complete strategies to solve exercises</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Communicating knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Students should acquire the mathematical language and formalism that are necessary to read and comprehend textbooks, to expound the acquired knowledge, and to describe, analyse and solve problems.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Capacities to continue learning</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Acquiring suitable learning methods, supported by text consultation and by solving the exercises and questions periodically suggested during the course.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		

<b>Assessment and feedback</b>	
Methods of assessment	<i>Oral test.</i>
Evaluation criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Correct and complete discussion</li> <li>○ Appropriate use of the mathematical tools in the proofs</li> <li>○ Correct answer to the questions during the oral test</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Applying knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Correct tools used to completely solve the problems</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Autonomy of judgment</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Best tools to solve the question or problem proposed</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Communication skills</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Formally correct mathematical language</li> <li>○ Clarity of the exposition and of the answers</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Capacities to continue learning</i><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Correct solutions to the proposed exercises</li></ul></li></ul>
Criteria for assessment and attribution of the final mark	<i>The exam is sufficient with 18/30 mark.</i>
<b>Additional information</b>	