Ground Rules for MA 26500 Online, Summer 2020

Homework: There are online and handwritten homework assignments. Please access the online homework system through Brightspace. The handwritten homework assignments are NOT collected.

Quiz: There are 10 online quizzes. Please see the course calendar for dates.

Midterm Examinations: There will be two, one-hour, online midterm exams. Please see the course calendar for dates.

Final Examination: There will be a two-hour, comprehensive online final during exam "week", August 5–August 7. will be announced later.

Grades: Your 4 lowest online homework scores and the lowest quiz score will be dropped. No late homework or quiz will be accepted. Normally, missed homework assignments and quizzes are part of those dropped. Course grades are plus/minus and will be determined from your total score which will be computed as follows:

Homework	$100 \mathrm{pt}$
Quizzes	$100 \mathrm{pt}$
Two midterms@100each	$200 \mathrm{pt}$
<u>Final Exam</u>	$\underline{200pt}$
Total	$600 \mathrm{pt}$

Course webpage: http://www.math.purdue.edu/ma265

Calculators: Calculators will not be allowed on exams or quizzes. It is important that you learn to do simple manipulations by hand.

Important Comment: You are expected to follow the course calendar and keep up with the content as if you are attending this class in person. Reading the sections in the textbook ahead of time is recommended.

Academic Honesty Purdue prohibits academic dishonesty. According to University policy cheating, plagiarism, lying, and deceit in any of their diverse forms (such as the use of substitutes for taking examinations, the use of illegal cribs, plagiarism, and copying during examinations) is dishonest and must not be tolerated. Moreover, knowingly to aid, abet, directly or indirectly, other parties in committing dishonest acts is in itself dishonest. If found guilty of academic dishonesty, possible penalties include a failing grade, a warning, probation, probated suspension, suspension, or expulsion. For more details about the Purdue Policy on academic dishonesty see: http://www.purdue.edu/odos/osrr/academicintegritybrochure.php

Diversity Welcome Purdue University is committed to maintaining a community which recognizes and values the inherent worth and dignity of every person; fosters tolerance, sensitivity, understanding, and mutual respect among its members; and encourages each individual to strive to reach his or her own potential. In pursuit of its goal of academic excellence, the University seeks to develop and nurture diversity. The University believes that diversity among its many members strengthens the institution, stimulates creativity, promotes the exchange of ideas, and enriches campus life. **Campus Emergency Information** In the event of a major campus emergency, course requirements, deadlines and grading percentages are subject to changes that may be necessitated by a revised semester calendar or other circumstances beyond the instructor's control.

Online Course Evaluations You will be provided an opportunity to evaluate this course and your instructors. You will receive an official email from evaluation administrators with a link to the online evaluation site. Your feedback is vital to improving education at Purdue. We strongly urge you to participate in the evaluation system.

Important Dates: Please see the Purdue Academic Calendar at

https://www.purdue.edu/registrar/documents/calendars/academicCalendars/academicCal_19-20.pdf