

## SYLLABUS

### 1. Information regarding the programme

1.1 Higher education institution	Babeş-Bolyai University
1.2 Faculty	Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science
1.3 Department	Department of Mathematics
1.4 Field of study	Mathematics
1.5 Study cycle	Bachelor
1.6 Study programme / Qualification	Mathematics and Computer Science

### 2. Information regarding the discipline

2.1 Name of the discipline (ro)	Geometrie 2 (Affine Geometry) Geometrie 2 (Geometrie afină)						
2.2 Course coordinator	Lect. Dr. Iulian Simion						
2.3 Seminar coordinator	Lect. Dr. Iulian Simion						
2.4 Year of study	1	2.5 Semester	2	2.6. Type of evaluation	VP	2.7 Type of discipline	Compulsory
2.8 Disciplinei code	MLE0015						

### 3. Total estimated time (hours/semester of didactic activities)

3.1 Hours per week	4	Of which: 3.2 course	2	3.3 seminar	2
3.4 Total hours in the curriculum	56	Of which: 3.5 course	28	3.6 seminar	28
Time allotment:	hours				
Learning using manual, course support, bibliography, course notes	20				
Additional documentation (in libraries, on electronic platforms, field documentation)	20				
Preparation for seminars/labs, homework, papers, portfolios and essays	35				
Tutorship	15				
Evaluations	3				
Other activities: .....	1				
3.7 Total individual study hours	94				
3.8 Total hours per semester	150				
3.9 Number of ECTS credits	6				

### 4. Prerequisites (if necessary)

4.1 curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Basic knowledge in algebra and calculus</li> <li>• A first course on analytic geometry</li> </ul>
4.2 competencies	

### 5. Conditions (if necessary)

5.1 for the course	
5.2 for the seminar /lab activities	

## 6. Specific competencies acquired

<b>Professional competencies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↯ C1.1 Identifying the notions, describing the theories and using the specific language</li> <li>↯ C2.3 Applying the adequate analytical theoretical methods to a given problem</li> </ul>
<b>Transversal competencies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↯ CT1. Applying some rules of precise and efficient work, showing a responsible attitude regarding the the scientific domain and teaching training for an optimal and creative development of the personal potential in specific situations, respecting the deontological norms.</li> </ul>

## 7. Objectives of the discipline (outcome of the acquired competencies)

7.1 General objective of the discipline	Basic notions and methods in the context of affine geometry
7.2 Specific objective of the discipline	Affine transformations Classification of quadrics Projective transformations

## 8. Content

8.1 Course	Teaching methods	Remarks
1. Affine spaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Affine subspaces</li> <li>• Convexity</li> <li>• An alternative definition of affine spaces</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
2. Affine subspaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parametric equations</li> <li>• Cartesian equations</li> <li>• Relative positions</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
3. Affine subspaces in dimension 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Affine lines</li> <li>• Relative positions of lines</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pencils of lines</li> <li>• Theorems of Thales, Pappus and Desargues</li> </ul>		
4. Affine subspaces in dimension 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Affine lines and planes</li> <li>• Relative positions of lines and planes</li> <li>• Pencils of planes</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
5. Changing affine frames <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Linear maps and matrices</li> <li>• Equations of affine subspaces in different reference frames</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
6. Affine maps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Projections on a hyperplane along a line</li> <li>• Projections on a line along a hyperplane</li> <li>• Reflections in a hyperplane</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
7. Eigenvalues and eigenvectors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Linear operators</li> <li>• Eigenvalues and eigenvectors</li> <li>• Characteristic polynomial</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
8. Bilinear and quadratic forms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bilinear forms</li> <li>• Quadratic forms</li> <li>• Diagonalizing quadratic forms</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
9. Euclidean spaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Euclidean spaces</li> <li>• Isometries</li> <li>• Rotations</li> <li>• Spectral Theorem</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
10. Hyperquadrics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reducing to canonical form</li> <li>• Isometric classification</li> <li>• Affine classification</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	
11-12. Quadratic surfaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ellipsoid, cone, hyperboloid, paraboloid</li> <li>• Canonical equations</li> <li>• Tangent planes</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	Two lectures
13-14. Projective Geometry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Projective line, plane and space</li> <li>• Projective transformations</li> <li>• Applications</li> </ul>	Exposition, proofs, examples	Two lectures
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8.2 Seminar		
8.2 Seminar	Teaching methods	Remarks
1. Affine spaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Affine subspaces</li> <li>Convexity</li> <li>An alternative definition of affine spaces</li> </ul>	Dialog, problem solving	
2. Affine subspaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parametric equations</li> <li>Cartesian equations</li> <li>Relative positions</li> </ul>	Dialog, problem solving	
3. Affine subspaces in dimension 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Affine lines</li> <li>Relative positions of lines</li> <li>Pencils of lines</li> <li>Theorems of Thales, Pappus and Desargues</li> </ul>	Dialog, problem solving	
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7. Eigenvalues and eigenvectors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Linear operators</li> <li>Eigenvalues and eigenvectors</li> <li>Characteristic polynomial</li> </ul>	Dialog, problem solving	
8. Bilinear and quadratic forms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bilinear forms</li> <li>Quadratic forms</li> <li>Diagonalizing quadratic forms</li> </ul>	Dialog, problem solving	
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13-14. Projective Geometry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Projective line, plane and space</li> <li>• Projective transformations</li> <li>• Applications</li> </ul>	Dialog, problem solving	Two tutorials
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**9. Corroborating the content of the discipline with the expectations of the epistemic community, professional associations and representative employers within the field of the program**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↯ The material of this course serves other courses</li> <li>↯ - a deeper understanding of linear algebra</li> <li>↯ - affine transformations are necessary examples for a group theory course</li> <li>↯ - quadrics are necessary examples in analysis courses</li> <li>↯ - coordinate changes, projections, affine and projective transformations are necessary for computer graphics</li> <li>↯ - Building on a previous geometry course, classification results are presented</li> <li>↯ Applications of the theory are presented wherever appropriate</li> </ul>
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**10. Evaluation**

Type of activity	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share in the grade (%)
10.4 Course	Critical grasp of the learned material, ability to use what was learned	Two written partial exams at the middle and at the end of the semester	each 50%
10.5 Seminar	Ability to use the theory for solving problems	Points during the tutorial for active participation	Can lead up to one extra point for the final grade
10.6 Minimum performance standards			
At least grade 5 for the final grade.			

Date

Signature of course coordinator

Signature of seminar coordinator

12. February 2022

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Date of approval

Signature of the head of department

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Prof. Dr. Octavian Agratini