
Academic Orientation

Budapest Semesters in Mathematics
Spring 2024

Classes start: Feb 5th, Mon, “10am”

→ Default hours

A class starts at 15 minutes past the hour (e.g. 10:15am) and runs 45 minutes

→ “BSM classrooms”

104, 105, 106 on the Hungarian 1st/US 2nd floor, 002 (ground floor) and 206 (2nd/3rd floor)

**The schedule has been posted but there
are already some room changes**

**Double-check
the schedule regularly!**

<https://www.bsmath.hu/CURRENT/Schedule.html>

Schedule exceptions:

- **1st GRT, SMD, GGL class will be made-up (MUC) -
*GRT this Thursday, 2pm, room 105***
- **C&P starts on Wednesday**
- today's MUC is Friday, Noon - 2pm in 007
- **TOP and ALT meet 8:30-10am (no break)**
- **ALT substituted this week by Marco Marengon**
- **No THC next Wednesday**

RESEARCH (RES)
to be scheduled
at the Welcome reception
or by email

The building is open

→ **Weekdays 7am-8pm:**

Study rooms: 002 - group work

205 - individual

→ **Fridays, Saturdays 8am-8pm:**

Study rooms: 004, 005 - group/individual

During the first three weeks: **shopping period**

- “Reading courses” can become “regular”
 - “Regular” can become “reading”
 - Courses may be canceled based on enrollment data.
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Registration deadline **February 22nd, Thu, Noon**

The image is a screenshot of the Budapest Semesters in Mathematics (BSM) website. At the top left is the BSM logo. To its right is a navigation menu with links for Home, Academic Calendar, Courses, Schedule, and Contact. A purple banner below the navigation contains the text "Questions? office@bsmath.hu". The main content area has a light beige background with the text "Budapest Semesters in Mathematics — Fall, 2021". Below this is another purple banner with contact information: "Swiss Clinic 7/24 Medical Emergency number: +36 30 992 0387 BSM 7/24 hotline: +36 20 628 5562". At the bottom, there are four navigation icons: a gear for "Academic Calendar", a book for "Courses", a calendar for "Schedule", and a green button labeled "Registration Database". The "Registration Database" button is circled in red.

REGISTRATION STARTS THE 2nd WEEK

→ watch out for a related email

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“Verification of Enrollment Form”

is available as soon as you register.

LATE REGISTRATION (if allowed)

costs

100USD!!!!

Other important deadlines & dates

DROPPING A COURSE –

May 10th, Friday Noon

Switching to AUDIT

.....May 19th, Sunday

The calendar tool is experiencing technical difficulties. [Visit ereg to schedule your test.](#)



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🔔 For New Zealand location, test centers will be available up to 200 miles only.

Ready to schedule?

* Test * Location Distance mi km

🔍 GRE Mathematics Test 🔍 Budapest, Magyarország 25

* Test Center

🔍 APCU-8042 - BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

Select a test center and available time in the next 60 days

< ~~October 2023~~ > **April 7 - 20**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 BUDAPEST, HUNGARY	4 BUDAPEST, HUNGARY	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14

Remarks on courses

PROBLEM SOLVING:

MPS - Mathematical Problem Solving

C&P - Conjecture and Proof

Once again,

C&P - Conjecture and Proof

this week

Wed, 12:15pm-2pm in 105

Fri, 12:15pm - 2pm in 007

COMBINATORICS:

CO1 - introductory

CO2 - advanced

Algebraic Number Theory:

- correct abbreviation NUT3
- advanced
- will be a reading course,

1st meeting Fri 10am-Noon in 002

Intro to Mathematical Logic:

**The course description
has been updated!
Please, read again.**

RES Research Opportunities

consider that it is

- **for advanced students**
 - **requires initiative, independent, group work**
 - **may be canceled 3rd week**
 - **you may have to stop mid-semester
depending on your performance in other
classes**
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cross listed classes (appear on the BSM transcript):

- **AIT class, *Quantum Logic and Quantum Probability***
meets Tuesdays 2-4pm, Wednesdays 9-11am, on their campus
 - **a McDaniel class, *World Cinema***
meets Tuesdays 12:30-3:45pm, in 220
 - **ELTE classes - will start February 12th**
expect email
Almost graduate level - for advanced students only!
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NOT cross listed (get a separate transcript):

- other AIT classes - max 1
- 400 USD transcript fee OR free grade report sheet

email Barbara Rotter at brotter@ait-budapest.com

Bonus Courses

HUP Hungarian + Mondays 4-6pm, in 105

some Phys Ed at McDaniel (**expect email**)

Have Course Specific Questions?

Ask professors

.... at the Welcome reception (4pm, today)

.... first class/after first class

.... email

Academic

Rules & Practices

Your paid tuition covers up to five of the math courses and as many non-math courses as you wish.

Extra BSM math courses carry 350USD

extra tuition/course

You can take (free of charge) one AIT course.

You must see an academic counselor to register

DEFAULT COUNSELORS:

- A through J - Dezső Miklós;
 - K through Z - Agnes Szilard;
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1st week's office hours:

- Tue, 10am-12:15pm, Agnes
- Wed, 9am-11am, Dezso
- Thu, 9am -11am, Dezso
- Fri, 10am-12:15pm, Agnes

In room 218

Learning disabilities and mental health

Special accommodation for learning disabilities

→ Your school should email *office@bsmath.hu*

Reminder! (Free) Mental Health Counseling at BSM

& mandatory meeting in small groups (part of registration)

TEXTBOOKS

- sold weekly **FOR FORINTS ONLY**
- some used at 60% (pricelist to be sent out by email)
- full refund till the end of the 3rd week
- 50% refund at the end of semester

Handouts cannot be refunded!!!!

Q&A sessions

- In addition to profs office hours
 - Start 2nd week
 - Schedule & Location TBA
 - Drop by
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@allocated times

Make-up classes:

Thursday 2 - 4pm and Friday 12 - 2pm

Colloquia/all class events:

Thursdays 4-6pm

Keep these time slots open!

Upcoming Thursday Events:

- This Thursday, 4pm, PIZZA & BOARDGAMES
 - Feb 15th, a visit to the Renyi Institute, showing “N is a Number” documentary
 - Feb 22nd, research groups’ first presentations
 - a talk by DMIR visitor Prof. Carl Yerger, Davidson College (date TBA)
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Also in the BSM building

- ❖ Computer room in the basement
 - ❖ Math reference library in 218
 - ❖ Sport and boardgame library in 219
 - ❖ Basketball court at the back
 - ❖ Plastic and paper recycling
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LET US KNOW!

Streaming & recording of classes