## SELECTED TOPICS IN PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS (3) Stochastic Processes

Sep 6 - Oct 6, 2023: Tue, 10:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m.

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Oct 11 - Dec 5, 2023: Tue, 10:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m.

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Sep 6 - Dec 5, 2023: Thu, 10:30-11:20 a.m.

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Dec 18, 2023 Mon, 12:00-12:00 p.m. Burnaby

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Dependent on the topic covered.

Topics in areas of probability and statistics not covered in the regular undergraduate curriculum of the department.

None. Students should have some knowledge of option pricing and undergraduate nonmeasure theoretic probability.

This course is cross-listed with ACMA 830.

As a result of taking STAT 490, students should be able to:

- $1. \ Understand \ the \ probabilistic \ foundations \ needed \ for \ stochastic \ calculus \ (e.g., \ sample \ space, \ probability \ measure, \ sigma-algebra, \ measurable \ space).$
- 2. Understand what are stochastic processes as well as the notion of iltration.
- 3. Compute expectations and conditional expectations (as well as other relevant moments).
- 4. Understand the notion of independence.
- 5. Describe what are martingales.
- 6. Describe and construct the Brownian motion.
- 7. Apply stochastic integration.
- 8. De ine stochastic differential equation.
- 9. Apply Ito's lemma.
- 10. Understand how to construct jump processes.

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