

# Master Students Orientation

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# General Information

## Regulations and Requirements

- Math Dept Graduate Webpage (NEW) <http://www.math.uh.edu/> or <http://www.uh.edu/nsm/math/graduate/>
- New and Returning Students <http://www.uh.edu/nsm/math/graduate/new-students/>
- Graduate Academic Policies <http://www.uh.edu/nsm/students/graduate/policies/>
- Forms

## Administration

- Graduate Advisor Neha Valji
- Director of Graduate Studies Ilya Timofeyev  
<http://www.math.uh.edu/~ilya/gs>

## Graduate Standing

- $A = 4.0$ ,  $B = 3.0$ ,  $C = 2.0$
- Four “C+” Rule
- The Department evaluates your performance every year

# Policies

- Time limit: 5 years
- Read the webpage for requirements about your Master plan (MS, MSAM, MAM)
- If not taking classes - Leave Of Absence (LOA) form (and General Petition)  
LOA can be submitted at most 3 times
- Credit Transfer - during First or Second semester
- Employment in the Department - Grader or Instructional Assistant  
have to be full-time student, GPA above 3.0
- Have to Apply for Graduation
- Have to be enrolled in classes during the graduating semester
- Courses outside the department - Read the Rules for the Corresponding Master program; at most two

# Graduate Student Seminar

- Friday 2-3pm PGH 646
- Research Information in the Department
- Professional Development
- Free Pizza!!
- Schedule on the Department Webpage “Graduate Studies”, “Activities”



# Career Planning

- MSAM Certificates -
  - Computational Mathematics
  - Financial Mathematics
- Teaching Opportunities in the Department