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Office Hours Tu/Th, 11AM-Noon
- **Lectures** Tu/Th 12:30PM - 1:45PM, AUST 103
- **Class Web Page** [HuskyCT](#)
- **Text** A Probability Path *by Sidney I. Resnick*
- **Syllabus**
 - **Basic Set Theory:** Terminology and Notation, Limits of Sets, Fields, Monotonic Class, Dynkin's theorem, Borel σ -fields
 - **Probability Space:** Definition and Basic Properties, Cumulative Distribution Function, Set Induction: Dynkin's Theorem Again, Construction of Probability Spaces: Discrete Models, Construction of Probability Spaces: Uncountable Spaces, Lebesgue Measure on $[0; 1]$
 - **Random Variables:** Measurability Approximation by Simple Random Variables, Limits and Measurability, Composition and Measurability, Random Elements of Metric Spaces
 - **Independence:** Definitions of Independence, Basic Criterion of Independence, Borel-Cantelli Lemmas, Tail σ -field. Kolmogorov's 0-1 Theorem
 - **Expectation:** Expectation of Simple Functions, Expectation (Lebesgue Integral), Properties of Expectation, Taking Limits under Expectation Sign, Uniform Integrability, Inequalities for Expectations, Radon-Nikodym Theorem, Change of Variables in a Lebesgue Integral, Product Spaces and Fubini's Theorem
- **Homework, Midterm and Final Exams**
 - there will be about 10 homework assignments
 - both exam will be in-class, written exams
- **Grades**
 - grades are based on the following weighed sum: homework (30%) + midterm (30%) + final exam (40%)
 - the final exam covers the entire course