Instructor: Mr. Morgan Dominy (pdominy@vt.edu)  
Office: 466-A McBryde Hall  
Office Hours: M 10:30am to 11:30am, T 11:00am to 12:00pm, R 8:15am to 9:15am  
(Or by appointment)  
Class Meets: TR 9:30am to 10:45am in Surge 118B  
Prerequisite: MATH 1016 (MATH 2015 partially duplicates MATH 1206)  

Grading: Your course grade will be determined by the following:  
- Homework 9%  
- In-class Assignments 10%  
- Lab Assignments 10%  
- Tests (3) 51% (17% each)  
- Final Exam 20%  

Letter Grades will be no stricter than the following:  
A ≥ 92 > A- ≥ 90 > B+ ≥ 87 > B ≥ 82 > B- ≥ 80 > C+ ≥ 77 > C ≥ 72 > C- ≥ 70 > D+ ≥ 67 > D ≥ 62 > D- ≥ 60 > F  


Classroom Courtesy: If you arrive late or leave early due to your schedule, please sit close to the exit. Silence all electronic devices during class including cellular phones. Do not browse laptops or smart phones during class as this can be a distraction to other students.  

Lectures: Attendance will be taken daily. You are responsible for course materials and announcements covered in class. We will cover the sections listed on the course webpage <http://www.math.vt.edu/courses/math2015/> under Instructors and Course Documents then the Syllabus for our class.  

Homework: On the course webpage <http://www.math.vt.edu/courses/math2015/> there are homework assignments listed on the syllabus. Every Tuesday the homework from the previous week will be collected. It will be graded for completeness, work shown, and correctness. At least one homework assignment is dropped.  

In-class Assignments: There will be an assignment almost every day in class covering material from the current and/or previous lecture. It is your responsibility to catch up in case you miss class. Generally I will not allow make up assignments, but at least three grades will be dropped.  

Lab Assignments: These projects will present a deeper look at some applications and will introduce you to the use of spreadsheet programs. In particular, you will make use of Excel. Four labs will be assigned. Check the syllabus for their due date. You may work on the lab assignments in groups, but the lab assessment quiz must be taken individually.  

Tests: There will be three tests in this class. They are on Thursdays 20 February, 3 April, and 1 May from 7:00pm to 9:00pm. I do not offer make up tests. However, regardless of whether or not you miss a test, your final exam grade will also count as your lowest test grade only if it is to your benefit.  

Common Time Final Exam: The final exam is a required class meeting that will not be rescheduled for discretionary reasons including conflicts with work schedules and with classes and exams at other colleges. The final exam for this class is Tuesday 13 May from 1:05pm to 2:05pm.  

Honor System: The Virginia Tech Honor System <http://www.honorsystem.vt.edu> will be strictly enforced. You are free to work with others on homework, but copying from any source is strictly forbidden. I will specify whether in-class assignments are to be done individually or together as I assign them. You may work together on lab assignments, but be sure that you are taking the quiz individually. For the tests and final, you may not receive unauthorized help and your work must be your own.  

Accommodations: Please notify me in private of any special needs you may have such as disability related needs or religious holidays. If testing accommodations must be made, please notify me at least one week before 20 February since there is a test that day. If you need additional help with any of the course material please come to my office hours or contact me via email to setup an appointment. I will be happy to accommodate you.