DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES


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Undergraduate - Bachelor of Science (Emphases in: Applied Statistics, Math Education, Statistics, Numerical Analysis, Operation Research, Pure Mathematics)
Graduate - Master of Science Doctor of Philosophy
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## Special Department Needs

New faculty positions
Equipment maintenance
Secretarial help is needed
Department Plans for the Future
Continue development of computer aided instruction
Continue strong interactions with the Computing Research Laboratory Increase faculty numbers in order to decrease high student/faculty ratio Improve operation of Math Learning Center

Department Research
Research Interests
Algebra
Topology
Analysis
Statistics
Numerical methods
Mathematical computing
Funded Projects: 6 totaling \$152,405

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

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1985-86
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| Faculty FTE | 41.70 |
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| Student Credit Hours | 33,397 |
| Majors | 33 (SP86) |
| Graduate Students | 38 |

## Program Description

| Undergraduate - | Bachelor of Science |
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| Graduate | Master of Science (Emphases in: Applied Statistics, |
|  | Math Education, Statistics, Numerical Analysis, Operation |
|  | Research, Pure Mathematics) |
|  | Doctor of Philosophy |

Special Department Needs
New faculty positions to decrease high student/faculty ratio
Budgeted positions (5) for College Instructors now on salary savings
Computer maintenance, including fulltime support personnel
Additional secretarial help
Professional staff to assist with advising and institutional studies

## Department Plans for the Future

Develop new programs to attract more students into mathematics
Continue development of computer aided instruction
Strengthen association with Computing Research Laboratory
Retain the remedial mathematics program within the department, as needed
Work to improve mathematics education in the public schools of New Mexico
Department Research
Research Interests
Algebra and logic: abelian groups, algebraic K-theory,

| Analysis: | functional analysis, harmonic analysis, <br> differential equations |
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| Geometry and topology: |  |
| Constructive mathematics: |  |
| applied mathematics: | algebraic topology, differential geometry <br> computer vision, mathematical biology, <br> mathematical physics, numerical analysis, |
| Statistics: | optimization, word processing <br> random sets, statistical distribution <br> theory, statistics of stochastic processes |
| ed Projects: 10 totaling $\$ 163,445$ |  |



Mathematics Department

department of mathematical sciences
1986-87

| Faculty FTE | 42.50 |
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| Student Credit Hours | 34,608 |
| Majors | 35 (SP87) |
| Graduate Students | 47 |

## Program Description

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Undergraduate - Bachelor of Science
Graduate Master of Science (Emphases in: Applied Statistics,
    Math Education, Statistics, Numerical Analysis, Operation
    Research, Pure Mathematics)
    Doctor of Philosophy
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Special Department Needs
New faculty positions to support research programs and to decrease high student/faculty ratio
Budgeted positions for College Instructors now on salary savings
Increase in department operating budgets for computer management and maintenance, including fulltime support personnel

## Department Plans for the Future

Develop new programs to continue to attract more undergraduate and graduate majors
Strengthen research programs and increase productivity of the faculty Work to improve mathematics education in the public schools of New Mexico

## Department Research

Research Interests
Algebra and logic: abelian groups, algebraic K-theory, foundations, universal algebra
Analysis:
Geometry and topology:
Constructive mathematics:
Applied mathematics: functional analysis, harmonic analysis, differential equations algebraic topology, differential geometry algebra, analysis, topology
computer vision, mathematical biology, mathematical physics, numerical analysis, ( optimization, word processing Statistics: random sets, statistical distribution theory, statistics of stochastic processes

Funded Projects: 4 totaling $\$ 52,403$
Special Accomplishments During the Year
During 1986-87 the Department of Mathematical Sciences actively sought scholarship support and awarded a number of scholarships to mathematics majors. A system was worked out in cooperation with the College of Education so that mathematics faculty would become actively involved in advising for the mathematics programs of Mathematics Education students, for both elementary and secondary level majors. Much time and energy was absorbed by the planning for the move into the new building for Math, Psycholgoy, and Compuer Science, which was in the final stages of

## Mathematics Department





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| 1989-90 |  |
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| Faculty FTE | 43.10 |
| Student Credit Hours | 31,808 |
| Majors | 39 (SP90) |
| Graduate Students | 34 (Full \& Part Time) |

## Program Description

Undergraduate - Bachelor of Science
Graduate - Master of Science (Emphases in: Applied Statistics, Math Education, Statistics, Numerical Analysis, Operation Research, Pure Mathematics) Doctor of Philosophy

## Special Department Needs

Administrative support for departmental instructional program New faculty positions for research and teaching Increase in department operating budgets
New computer equipment to replace and/or enhance current equipment Computer maintenance, including full-time support personnel

## Department Plans for the Future

Host national research conference on Homotopy Theory in December
Continue three year curriculum study on the teaching with projects and expand to high school courses, with support from the National Science Foundation
Expand capabilities and services of the mathematics undergraduate student computer facility supporting mathematics and statistics courses
Develop curriculum for General Education in mathematics and statistics

## Department Research

Research Interests
Algebra, analysis, geometry, topology, logic, constructive mathematics, mathematics curriculum, applied mathematics, statistics and probability Funded Projects: 4 totaling $\$ 233,594$

## Special Accomplishments During the Year

Hosted national research conference in December on Knots and Braids. Developed new honors course Mathematics - Spirit and Method. In April, at the Annual Mathematics Honors Assembly, 44 undergraduates, including 23 mathematics majors were honored for accomplishments in mathematics; 5 scholarships were awarded to mathematics majors. Hosted, through the local chapter of national mathematics honorary Pi Mu Epsilon, mathematics contest for high school students from Las Cruces, Mayfield and Onate. Five faculty members were supported by grant from National Science Foundation for study on teaching of calculus and development of student projects in the calculus curriculum.

Majors


Student Credit Hours


Number of Graduate Students


Research Funding


1990-91

| Faculty FTE | 40.6 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Student Credit Hours | 26,739 |
| Majors | 34 (FA90) |
| Graduate Students | 40 (Full \& Part Time) |

## Program Description

Undergraduate - Bachelor of Science
Graduate - Master of Science (Emphases in: Applied Statistics, Math Education, Statistics, Numerical Analysis, Operations Research, Pure Mathematics)

- Doctor of Philosophy

Special Department Needs
Administrative support for departmental instructional program New faculty positions for research and teaching Increase in department operating budgets
New computer equipment to replace and/or enhance current equipment Computer maintenance, including full-time support personnel

## Department Plans for the Future

Host national research conference on Computers in Mathematical Research in December
Continue curriculum study on teaching with projects in university and high school courses, with support from the National Science Foundation
Expand capabilities and services of the mathematics undergraduate student computer facility supporting mathematics and statistics courses
Implement courses for general education in mathematics and statistics

## Department Research

Research Interests
Algebra, analysis, geometry, topology, logic, constructive mathematics, mathematics curriculum, applied mathematics, statistics and probability Funded Projects: 7 totaling \$497,239

## Special Accomplishments During the Year

The department hosted a national research conference in December on Homotopy Theory with partial support from National Science Foundation; and hosted the annual meeting of Southwest Section of Mathematical Association of America and New Mexico Mathematical Association of Two Year Colleges (the latter was cohosted by DABCC). In April, at the Annual Mathematics Honors Assembly, 52 undergraduates, including 12 mathematics majors, were honored for accomplishments in mathematics; 7 department scholarships were awarded to mathematics majors. The department hosted, through the local chapter of national mathematics honorary Pi Mu Epsilon, mathematics contests for high school students from four local high schools. Five faculty members were supported by grants from National Science Foundation for development of student projects in calculus, advanced calculus, and secondary school mathematics courses.

## Mathematical Sciences

Undergraduate Majors by Year


Graduate Students by Year


Student Credit Hours by Year


Research Funding by Year


