Syllabus for Physics 230 - Advanced Solid State Theory

Spring 2015, Physics Department, UCSD

INSTRUCTOR: Congjun Wu (5430 MH) Time/Place: 2:00p - 3:20pm, Mon Wed, MHA 5623 Office hour: Friday: 1:00 to 2:00pm pm

Text Books

- 1. A. Altland and B. Simons, Condensed Matter Field Theory.
- 2. N Nagaosa, Quantum Field Theory in Condensed Matter Physics.
- 3. N Nagaosa, Quantum Field Theory in Strongly Correlated Electronic Systems.

Other Reference Books:

- 1. X. G. Wen, *Quantum Field Theory of Many-Body Systems*, Oxford University Press.
- 2. G. D. Mahan, *Many-Particle Physics*, Second Edition, Plenum Press, New York.
- J. Negele, and H. Orland, *Quantum Many-Particle Systems*, Westview Press; New Ededition (December 1, 1998)
- A. L. Fetter, J. D. Walecka, *Quantum Theory of Many-Particle Systems*, Dover Publications (June 20, 2003).
- 5. A. Auerbach, Interacting Electrons and Quantum Magnetism, Springer.

Grade:

Possibly: Homework 20%, Midterm 40%, and the final project 40%. (We need to discuss more).

Homework Assignments:

Homework will be assigned every one or two weeks. I will not actually grade the homework. But I will do collect homework and keep a record.