Title: Topics on Mirror Symmetry Yi Hu

I plan to give a topics course on the mathematical aspects of super string theory in the Spring semester. I will start from the very basic concepts (differential geometry, equivariant cohomology, localization, etc.), and then gradually introduce the _basics_ of some advanced topics such as moduli of stable maps, Gromov-Witten invariants, and Mirror Symmetry Conjecture. I will follow the mathematical parts of the following book

"Mirror Symmetry " by Hori, Katz, Klemm, Pandharipande, Thomas, Vafa, Vakil, Zaslow.

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