

**PDE II seminar, Spring 2024** (updated May 14th, 2024)

- (1) *Manifolds, Vectors* (Sections 2.1, 2.2)  
Georg Schöckle  
7. Mai
- (2) *Tensors, the metric tensor* (Section 2.3)  
Max Dalitz  
7. Mai
- (3) *Curvature* (Sections 3.1 and 3.2)  
Alok Pellissery  
14. Mai
- (4) *Special Relativity* (Sections 1.2, 4.1, 4.2)  
Oskar Godon  
14. Mai
- (5) *Special Relativity* (Sections 1.2, 4.1, 4.2)  
Aaron Thede  
21. Mai
- (6) *General Relativity* (Section 4.3)  
Rahul Biju  
21. Mai
- (7) *Spacelike initial data, Lichnerowicz' conformal method* (p. 252-260, p. 265)  
Erik Löffelholz  
28. Mai
- (8) *Initial value problem of GR: Local existence* (p. 260-264)  
Fatin Nofal  
28. Mai
- (9) *Linearized gravity* (Section 4.4)  
Camilla Adams  
4. Juni
- (10) *Derivation of the Schwarzschild solution* (Section 6.1)  
Nele Garay  
4. Juni
- (11) *Geodesics of Schwarzschild* (Sections 3.1 and 6.3)  
Kira Engelhardt  
11. Juni
- (12) *Characteristic gluing problem for the scalar wave equation* (<https://arxiv.org/abs/1310.1365>)  
Johannes Ewald  
11. Juni
- (13) *Penrose incompleteness theorem* (Aretakis' lecture notes)  
Prabha Shankar  
18. Juni
- (14) *The Kerr metric* (Section 12.3)  
Ben Duyster  
18. Juni

The sections and pages above refer to Wald's book *General Relativity* (University of Chicago press). It is strongly recommended to be present at all talks.