Prerequisite: Students should have taken at least one of the following courses (or an equivalent course): ENEE 662, ENEE 664, Math 630.

Format: Students will be presenting, on the board, successive Chapters of the book "Optimization by Vector Space Methods" by David Luenberger. Students signing up for two credits will be assigned a higher load. Chapters or portions thereof will be assigned to students in the first week of class. Preferably, students should present material not closely related to a course they have taken.

Expectations: Every student is expected to attend every presentation, indeed to participate actively throughout by (i) reading up the material in advance, and (ii) asking questions or making comments/suggestions during presentations. Mathematical rigor is expected but, above all, intuition (in particular geometric intuition) should be emphasized. It is desirable that presenters make their notes available to the class, if at all possible in advance of the presentation.