## Boundary value problems with non-local conditions

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In the last decades, nonlocal boundary value problems have become a rapidly growing area of research. The interest is driven not only by theoretical curiosity but also by the practical applicability of such problems in various fields including engineering, physics, and life sciences. In a very general formulation, a second-order nonlinear equation with nonlocal boundary conditions has the form

$$x''(t) + p(t)x'(t) + q(t)x(t) + r(t)g(t, x(t)) = 0, \quad t \in [0, 1],$$
  
$$ax(0) - bx'(0) = \alpha[x], \quad cx(1) + dx'(1) = \beta[x],$$

where  $p, q, r: [0, 1] \to \mathbb{R}$  and  $g: [0, 1] \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  are given functions and  $\alpha, \beta: C[0, 1] \to \mathbb{R}$  are linear functionals which are expressed by the Riemann–Stieltjes integrals.

During the talk, I will present some recent existence results for BVPs with nonlocal boundary conditions. Special emphasis will be placed on highlighting the role of functions of bounded variation in the theory. Additionally, I will provide examples to illustrate the abstract results.

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