"On the solvability of linear second order elliptic equations with generalized Wentzell boundary conditions".

Abstract.

In the talk the problem

Pu = f in  $\Omega$ , Bu = g on  $M = \partial \Omega$ 

will be considered, where P is an above elliptic operator in a bounded domain  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$  with a smooth boundary M, and B is a second order differential operator

$$B = \partial_i \rho(x) b^{ij}(x) \partial_j u + b^{0j}(x) \partial_j u + \rho(x) b(x) \partial_z u, \quad 1 \le i, \ j \le n,$$

with  $\partial_j = \partial/\partial x_j$ ,  $(x_1, \ldots, x_n, z)$  a normal coordinate system in a tubular neighborhood  $\Gamma$  of M. We discuss the solvability properties of the problem in the cases:

1)  $b(x) \ge 0$ ,  $b^{ij}(x)\xi_i\xi_j \ge 0$ ,  $\rho > 0$ , on  $T^*(M)$ , (Wentzell condition), 2) the same functions b and  $b^{ij}$ , but  $\rho \in C^{\infty}(M)$  and the function  $\rho$  changes its sign in a submanifold  $\mu$  of codimension 1 in M (have never been studied).