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Differential Geometry is a mathematical discipline that uses the techniques of differential calculus, integral calculus, linear algebra and multilinear algebra to study problems in geometry. Partial Differential Equations describes the behavior of functions that operate under multiple variables. One of the main roles of Differential Geometry is describe the mathematics that can act upon surfaces with curvature. This inherently lends itself to the use of PDEs. The crossover of Differential Geometry and PDEs provides many powerful mathematical outcomes. I seek to explore this overlap and show the intrinsic capabilities of combining these two types of powerful mathematics in meaningful ways.

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I will be relying heavily on Comprehensive Introduction to Differential Geometry Volumes 1-5 by Michael Spivak