

**SOLUTION TO THE W7 PROBLEM FROM PS 6**

( $\Leftarrow$ ): Let  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ , where  $x_n \in C$ . By W4 we see that  $x_n \rightarrow x$  and since  $C$  is closed for weak convergence, then  $x \in C$ , so  $C$  is closed for convergence in norm.

( $\Rightarrow$ ): Let  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ , where  $x_n \in C$ , and assume  $x \notin C$ . By Hahn-Banach theorem (v.2), as  $C$  and  $\{x\}$  are convex,  $C$  is closed and  $\{x\}$  is compact, then there exists  $\varphi \in X^*$  and  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\varphi(c) < \lambda < \varphi(x)$$

for all  $c \in C$ . Therefore  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varphi(x_n) \leq \lambda < \varphi(x)$ , meaning that  $\varphi(x_n) \not\rightarrow \varphi(x)$ . This contradicts  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ , so  $x \in C$ , as desired.