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Undergraduates welcomed

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CENTIPEDE MATHEMATICS APPLIED TO THE REAL NUMBERS

ABSTRACT:

In this talk, the classical equivalent definitions of the real numbers will be reviewed, as well as similar constructions of complete ordered fields. Examples will include

the p-adic fields (for p prime), the hyper reals, the computable reals, and real number objects in a topos (a category with constructions very similar to Set).

PREVIOUS SCHOOLS:

The University of Texas at Arlington

INTERESTS:

Ancient Greek

Playing and listening to classical music

Tutoring and education

