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Mathematics and Statistics

**Seminars & Colloquium**

**March 9 - 13**

**Colloquium:**

**Faculty Demonstration of Multimedia Lectern**

**Michael Kacal**

There will be a demonstration of the use of the lectern and multimedia devices available in Math 114.

Thursday, March 12, 2009 at 3:30 p.m. in Math 114

**Monday – March 9**

Math Education, 3:00-4:00 p.m., MATH 012

Speaker: Raegan Higgins and Ryan McCluskey, “Encouraging Problem Solving with KenKen Puzzles”

Analysis Seminar: 4:00 – 5:00pm MATH108

Speaker: Alexander Williams, “Nitsche’s radius for harmonic mappings.”

**Tuesday – March 10**

Biomathematics Seminar, 4:00-5:00 p.m., MATH 114

Speaker: Rich Strauss, “Why do we use power laws to describe allometric change in shape of an organism during growth?”

Geometry, 4:00-5:00 p.m., MA111

Speaker: Chris Monico, “Homology, graph embeddings, and double covers.”

Computational Science Seminar, 4:00-5:00 p.m. EXS 120

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Applied Algebra, 4:00-5:00p.m. MATH 114

Speaker: Jason Groves and Odin Jesse, TBA

**Wednesday – March 11**

   Logic-Topology; 2:00-3:00pm: MATH 011

   Speaker: Robert Byerly, “Building recursive ultrapowers from the bottom up”

Statistics; 4:00-5:00pm: MA 113

    The Statistics seminar meets every other week.

Applied Mathematics; 4:00-5:00 MA 111

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**Thursday – March 12**

**Friday – March 13**

   Algebra; 4:00-4:50 p.m., MA 111

Speaker: Arne Ledet, “The spin group Spin\_7 as a differential Galois group”