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# Geometry and Topology Seminar

Title

*Spectrum on locally symmetric spaces*

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**Abstract:** In this talk we will discuss, on a locally symmetric space of higher rank and infinite volume, the relation between the bottom of the  $L^2$ -spectrum of the Laplace-Beltrami operator, and the convergence rate of the discrete subgroup. We will also talk about their implications for the Strichartz inequality, a key tool in the study of nonlinear dispersive equations.