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LUNCH SEMINAR FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

Monday, March 14, 2011  
12:00 - 1:00 PM

Room 2-147

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"The strange world of 4-dimensional manifolds"

Abstract

Understanding the structure of 4-dimensional manifolds remains a deep mystery. I will review some what has been learned about them and a few of the very fundamental questions that remain.

Followed by pizza in room 2-290