

## Conference Schedule (November 9, 2024)

The registration and all the talks will be in the 7800 York Road Building (**YR**) on the second floor. There is a parking garage adjacent to the building (the Glen Garage) connected to the third floor by a walking bridge. Parking is free on weekends. If you have registered online, you will find a printed nametag at the registration table. If you have not registered online, please visit the registration table and sign in. Please be sure to stay for the Prize Session at the end of the conference; there will be a raffle for all student participants with several prizes.

9:30 – 10:00	Registration	YR, 2nd floor lobby
10:00 – 10:05	Opening remarks by the Department Chair	YR 205
10:05 – 11:05	Morning plenary address	YR 205
	<b>Inverse Problems for Differential Equations: How to “See” an Underground Tectonic Fault</b>	
	<i>Dr. Anna Mazzucato, Pennsylvania State University</i>	
11:10–11:30	Student talks	
	<b>Using Integer Covering Systems to Find Riesel and Sierpiński Numbers</b>	YR 217
	<i>Chris Bispels, University of Maryland, Baltimore County</i>	
	<b>Twists, Turns, and Topology: Exploring the Fascinating World of Liquid Crystals</b>	YR 219
	<i>Mateusz Ratman, Johns Hopkins University</i>	
11:35–11:55	Student talks	
	<b>Graph Coloring with Restricted Colors</b>	YR 217
	<i>Alejandro Escorcía, Loyola University Maryland</i>	
	<b>Applying Deep Learning to Simulate Clark-Alpha Turbulence Model</b>	YR 219
	<i>Chenyue Qi, Towson University</i>	
12:00–12:20	Student talks	
	<b>Vertex Minimal Graphs with Automorphism Groups of Order <math>pq</math></b>	YR 217
	<i>Alex Holtzman, Towson University</i>	
	<b>Topological Quantum Field Theories over Algebraic Field Extensions</b>	YR 219
	<i>Fabian Espinoza, Johns Hopkins University</i>	
12:20–1:20	Plenary session	YR 205
	<b>Mathematics Careers in Government, Industry, and Academia</b>	
1:20–2:15	Lunch	YR, 2nd floor lobby
2:15–3:15	Afternoon plenary address	YR 205
	<b>Where Parallel Lines Meet: Take a Ride to Infinity on the Projective Plane</b>	
	<i>Dr. Ed Scheinerman, Johns Hopkins University</i>	
3:25–3:45	Student talks	
	<b>On Algebraically Defined Edge Colored Graphs</b>	YR 217
	<i>Susanne Goldstein, Oberlin College</i>	
	<b>Inverse Iteration for Laplace Eigenvalue Problems</b>	YR 219
	<i>Ephraim Ruttenberg, University of Maryland, Baltimore County</i>	
3:50–4:10	Snacks and professional networking	YR, 2nd floor lobby

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4:15–4:35	Student talks	
	<b>Mordell’s Theorem and Further Developments</b>	YR 217
	<i>Yeju Shin, University of Massachusetts at Amherst</i>	
	<b>A Theoretical Approach to Medical Micro-Robots</b>	YR 219
	<i>Alex Holtzman, Towson University</i>	
4:40–5:00	Student talks	
	<b>Almost Primes of Almost Prime Index</b>	YR 217
	<i>Megan Triplett, Dickinson College</i>	
	<b>Underrepresentation in the US House of Representatives: Finding the Probability of Quota Violations in Congressional Apportionment</b>	YR 219
	<i>Tyler Wunder, Johns Hopkins University</i>	
5:05–5:25	Student talks	
	<b>Spectral Methods in Graph Theory and Finite Topological Spaces</b>	YR 217
	<i>Nicolas Rugo, Johns Hopkins University</i>	
	<b>Developing an Automation Tool to Solve a Logistical Problem Using AMPL and Python</b>	YR 219
	<i>Hai-Hsin Huang, Virginia Military Institute</i>	
5:30–5:45	Prize session	YR 205