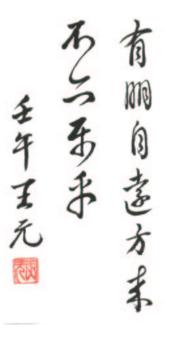


International Congress of Mathematicians

Tuesday, August 20, 2002 – No.1

## Welcome to the ICM2002!

The team of the "Daily News" welcomes all the participants of the ICM in Beijing! In this newsletter, we will bring to you information on changes and cancellations in the scientific program as well as about additional ad-hoc talks. In addition, special events on and off the ICM will be highlighted. For further suggestions, please feel free to contact us between 15:00 and 16:00 every day during the congress at Room 3057. Enjoy your stay in Beijing!



We are only overjoyed to receive friends from afar.

A quotation from Confucius' *The Analects*. Chinese calligrapher: Yuan Wang, professor of mathematics, Academician of CAS.

## **Opening Ceremony and Opening Reception**

Venue: The Opening Ceremony of the ICM2002 will be held at the Main Auditorium of the Great Hall of the People. The Opening Reception will be held at the Banquet Hall inside the Great Hall.

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 20, at 15:00 followed by the Opening reception at 19:00.

Departure: Transportation will be provided at the following venues and departure time from each venue is at 13:10 sharp:

- Beijing International Convention Center (BICC). Participants staying in the Continental Grand Hotel, Celebrity International Grand Hotel, CATIC Hotel and Huiyan Apartment, please meet at the gate of BICC 15 minutes before depar-• Shengli Hotel
- Laodong Building •
- Hongxiang Hotel
- Tibet Hotel
- Institute of Mathematics, CAS
- Peking University
- Qinghua University
- Beijing Normal University •
- Jinqminq Hotel

Fees: Free of charge only for participants and registered accompanying persons. For un-registered accompanying persons, each ticket is U\$ 80. Tickets are available at the Registration Desk.

Notice: Admission into the Great Hall of the People is strictly by invitation with attached seat ticket. Please remember to take your invitation with attached ticket with you when boarding the bus, and do not leave anything on the bus.

Please do not take your child who cannot walk. All other children have to have an invitation to get in. Please do not take bags or professional photographic equipment such as SLR cameras with long-focus lens or video cameras.

Everyone has to go through a security check when entering. Please be prepared for the check. After entry and once in the auditorium, look for your seat (the number is on the attached ticket). The odd numbers are on the left side and the even numbers on the right. At 2:45 pm when all congress members are seated, the Secretary General will announce the points for attention during the Opening Ceremony.

If you arrive at the Great Hall of the People later than 3:00 pm, entry will be rejected. You will have to wait until the first part of the Opening Ceremony closes (at about 4:00pm). The taxi cannot be parked close to the Great Hall of the People. You have to walk a little bit to the EAST entrance.

After the Opening Ceremony, at 6:20, all congress members and accompanying persons will transfer to the Banquet Hall for the Opening Reception. Admission into the Opening Reception is by the invitation to the reception. Please be seated at the table with the number indicated on the invitation of the Opening Reception.

After the Opening Reception, all congress members and accompanying persons are requested to return to the same bus they took. Please remember the location and the number of the license plate of your bus. If you cannot find your bus, look for a bus that goes back to where you came.

## Public Talk by John F. Nash, Jr.

Date: Wednesday, August 21, 2002, 19:30. Venue: Convention Hall No. 1, BICC. Title: Studying Cooperation in Games via Agencies.

## Scientific Program – Editorial Changes

Public Talk by Wu Wen-Tsun	6. Algebraic and Complex Geometry
Date: Wednesday, August 27, 2002, 14:00	Invited Speaker: Pink, Richard; Title: Sub-
(P.41).	varieties of abelian varieties and the Manin-
Venue: Exhibition Hall of Chinese Science	Mumford conjecture.
and Technology $\Rightarrow$ China Science and Tech-	Poster: Iitaka, Shigeru (Gakushuin Univer-
nology Museum, 1 Bei San Huan Zhong Lu,	sity, Japan), will present together with Yanaba
Beijing.	their poster on Aug. 21, 16:15-17:15, EH02.
Title: On the Development of Real number	10. Probability and Statistics
system in Ancient Chinese Mathematics $\Rightarrow$ On	Invited speasker K. Johansson's chair is
the development of real number system in an-	changed: Chung, Dong-Myung (Sogang Uni-
cient China.	versity, Korea), Aug. 24, 15:00-15:45, CH01.
Plenary Lecture	Short Talk: Wei, Li (Nankai University,
The chair of Noga Alon's lecture is	China), Upper bounds estimation on the prob-
changed: Gowers, Williams T. (University of	ability of ruin with variable premium rate and
Cambridge, United Kingdom), on Aug. 23,	disturbed by diffusion in a Markovian environ-
8:30-9:30, CH01.	ment, Aug. 24, 17:50-18:05, R5020.
2. Algebra	Corrections to the Program Book: "Sec-
Invited speasker Stephen J. Bigelow's	tion by Section Overview"
chair is changed: Xiao, Jie (Tsinghua Uni-	<b>P.52</b> : The time of posters by Saez-Schwedt,
versity, China), Aug. 21, 14:00-14:45, CH02.	Andres; Gorjizadeh, Vali; Eto, Kazufumi and
3. Number Theory	Ko, Hyoung J. should be <u>14:15-15:15</u> .
Invited speasker Jean-Marc Fontaine's	P.71: The time of posters by Suhotin, Alexan-
chair is: Cogdell, James W. (Oklahoma	der M.; Liczberski, Piotr; Heikkala, Ville and
State University, USA), Aug. 21, 16:15-17:00,	Kaneko, Makoto should be $16:15-17:15$ .
MR6-8.	P.71: The time of posters by Li, Changjun;
Invited speasker Karl Rubin's chair is	Sun, Wenchang; Butkovic, Davor; Choe, Boo
changed: Kudla, Stephen S. (University	R. and Lv, Zhongxue should be $\underline{17:20-18:20}$ .
of Maryland, USA), Aug. 22, 14:00-14:45,	
MR6-8.	

## Cancellations

2. Algebra	Short Talk: Aug. 26, 16:15-16:30, Zorii, Na-
<ul> <li>Short Talk: Aug. 23, 15:15-15:30, Akinci, Karen Denise, Cotorsion theories and resolu- tions, R5023.</li> <li>4. Differential Geometry</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>talia, Variational problems in the theory of po- tentials in locally compact spaces, R5017.</li> <li>9. Operator Algebras and Functional Analysis</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Short Talk: Aug. 26, 16:45-17:00, Karpunin, Grigory, Minimal networks and combinatorial Morse theory, R3051.</li> <li>5. Topology</li> </ul>	Poster: Aug.22, 13:40-14:40, Aldea, FloricaN., Surjectivity theorem for normcontractionoperators, EH02.10. Probability and Statistics
<ul> <li>Short Talk: Aug. 24, 15:15-15:30, Xin,</li> <li>Yumei, The fuzzy symmetric generalized prox- imity bases and subbases, R3051.</li> <li>8. Real and Complex Analysis</li> </ul>	<b>Short Talk</b> : Aug. <b>21</b> , 18:05-18:20, Kreimer, Moritz, Optimization of real-time multiserver system with shortage of maintenance teams, CH03.

11. Partial Differential Equations			
Short Talk: Aug. 24, 17:20-17:35, Kass-			
mann, Moritz, On Harnack's inequality for			
nonlocal and discrete Dirichlet forms, R5019.			
16. Numerical Analysis and Scientific			
Computing			
Short Talk: Aug. 24, 13:40-13:55, Antipin,			

Anatoly, Methods of computing of equilibrium and game solutions, R5014.

# 17. Applications of Mathematics in the Sciences

Short Talk: Aug. 24, 16:45-17:00, Neves, Armando G. M., Upper and lower bounds on Mathieu characteristic numbers of integer orders, R3030.

## Scientific Program – Changes

#### 2. Algebra

**Changed:** Frohardt, Daniel E., Genus zero actions of finite groups, From Aug. 21, 16:30-16:45, CH14  $\Rightarrow$  Aug. 22, 14:25-14:40, CH13. **New:** Ali, Mohammad (Shahabi Shojaei Tabriz University, Iran), Cycle structure of the group SP(4,q), Aug. 23, 15:15-15:30, R5023.

## 3. Number Theory

**New Poster**: Cangul, Ismail Naci (Uludag University, Turkey), *Primes in*  $Z(\exp(2\pi i/3))$ , Aug. 21, 14:45-15:45, EH02.

## 4. Differential Geometry

**Changed:** Savin, Anton Yu., Index defects for boundary value problems and the n-invariant, From Aug. 26, 16:30-16:45,  $R3051 \Rightarrow Aug. 21$ , 18:05-18:20, CH13.

**New:** Mendonca, Sergio (UFF, Brazil), A connectedness principle in the geometry of positice curvature, Aug. 26, 17:00-17:15, R3051.

7. Lie Groups and Representation Theory

**Changed:** Camacho, Luisa M., On quasifiliform Lie algebras of dimension 8, From Aug. 21, 13:40-13:55, R3051  $\Rightarrow$  Aug. 23, 14:25-14:40, R3030.

8. Real and Complex Analysis

**Changed:** Thao, Vo Dang, Estimates for quasiconformal mappings onto canonical domains, From Aug. 26, 16:45-17:00, CH13  $\Rightarrow$  Aug. 21, 14:25-14:40.

**Changed:** Ash, J. Marshall, Symmetric and quantum symmetric derivatives of Lipschitz functions, From Aug. 27, 16:30-16:45, CH13  $\Rightarrow$  Aug. 24, 14:10-14:25, R5017.

USA), A q-Analogue of the Whittaker-Shannon-Kotel'nikov Sampling Theorem, Aug. 24, 15:30-15:45, R5017.
9. Operator Algebras and Functional

New: Zayed, Ahmed I. (DePaul University,

#### 9. Operator Algebras and Function Analysis

**New:** Smailov, Yesmukhanbet S., (Karaganda State University of E.A. Buketov, Kazakhstan), *About embedding in space of multiplicators of trigonometric Fourier series*, Aug. 23, 14:25-14:40, R5021.

### 10. Probability and Statistics

**Changed:** Sanz-Sole, Marta, *The sotchastic* wave equation in dimension 3: density of the law of the solution, From Aug. 24, 17:35-17:50, R5021  $\Rightarrow$  Aug. 21, 18:05-18:20, CH03.

**11.** Partial Differential Equations Changed: Fang, Daoyuan, A note for the singularities of semilinear Cauchy problems, From Aug. 27, 14:45-15:00, R5016  $\Rightarrow$  Aug. 24, 18:05-18:20, R5019.

**Changed:** Wang, Silei Hardy spaces and shallow water equation Aug. 26, 15:00-15:15,  $R3030 \Rightarrow Aug. 23, 15:30-15:45, R3018.$ 

**New:** Se, Wan (Kim Hanyang University, Korea), *Multiplicity result for nonlinear parabolic equations having singular nonlinearity*, Aug. 22, 17:00-17:15, R3051.

New: Demidenko, Gennadii V. (Sobolev Institute of Mathematics, Russia), On isomorphic properties of quasielliptic operators, Aug. 24, 18:05-18:20, R5019.

12. Ordinary Differential Equations and Dynamical Systems

**New:** Dumortier, Freddy (Limburgs Universitarir Centrum, Belgium), Belgium Perturbation from an elliptica Hamiltonnian of degree four, Aug. 21, 17:00-17:15, R5015.

**New**: Riahi, Hasna (Ecole Nationale d'Ingenieurs de Tunis, Tunisia), On the parabolic-like orbits for some sigular Hamiltonian systems, Aug. 22, 14:25-14:40, CH03.

### 13. Mathematical Physics

New: Mukhayo, Rasulova (Institute of Nuclear Physics, Uzbeck Academy of Sciences, Uzbeckistan), Distribution functions of quantum system of charges in spacially inhomogeneous medium, Aug. 22, 15:30-15:45, R3030.
New: Gottschalk, Hanno (University of Bonn, Germany), Feynman rules for the gas of interacting particles, Aug. 26, 18:05-18:20, CH13.
14. Combinatorics

**New:** Moazzami, Dara (Faculty of Engineering University of Tehran, Iran), A Survey on Tenacity and its Properties in Stability Calculation, Aug. 27, 17:00-17:15, R5021.

## 16. Numerical Analysis and Scientific Computing

Changed (Short Talk to Poster): Wu, Zhihua, Numerical simulation for convection diffusion problem with periodic micro-structures, From Aug. 21, 16:30-16:45, R5019 (Short Talk)  $\Rightarrow$  Aug. 21, 16:15-17:15, EH02 (Poster). Title Changed: Liu, Biyue, A Numerical Study of Viscous Flows in curved Tubes with Atherosclerotic Plaques, Aug. 26, 14:10-14:25, R5019.

**New:** Pedas, Arvet (University of Tartu, Estonia), *Piecewise polynomial projection methods for integral equations with weakly singular kernels*, Aug. 21, 16:30-16:45, R5019.

New: Krukier, Lev A. (Rostov State University, Russia), Product Triangular Iterative Method for Solution of Linear Equation Systems with Dominant Skew-symmetric Part, Aug. 22, 15:15-15:30, R5014.

17. Applications of Mathematics in the SciencesChanged: Alireza, Fakarzadeh J., Optimum domain in orthogonal coordinates for nonlinear wave optimal control system by the shape-measure method, From Aug. 26, 16:30-16:45, CH14  $\Rightarrow$  Aug 24, 17:00-17:15, R3051.

New: Huang, Huaxiong (York University, Canada), Ion Transport in Brain-Cell Environment, Aug. 23, 14:25-14:40, R5015.

#### Informal Seminar on K-Theory

Aug. 22, 14:00-14:45, R5023, Voevodsky, Vladimir (Institute for Advance Study, USA), The slice filtration in motivic stable homotopy.

Aug. 22, 15:00-15:45, R5023,Geisser,Thomas (University of Southern California,USA), Weil etale motivic cohomology.

Aug. 22, 16:15-17:00, R5014, Kahn, Bruno (University of Paris 7, France), Algebraic Ktheory, algebraic cycles, and arithmetical geometry.

Aug. 23, 14:00-14:45, R5016, Hilsum, Michel (University of Paris 7, France), Pontjagin forms and K-homology groups of topological manifolds.

Aug. 23, 14:00-14:45, R5016, Hilsum, Michel (University of Paris 7, France), Pontjagin forms and K-homology groups of topological manifolds.

Aug. 23, 15:00-15:45, R5016, Tang, Guoping (Northwestern Polytechnical University, China), *K-theory and Hermitian Groups*.

Aug. 24, 16:15-17:00, R5014, Yu, Guoliang (Vandervilt University, USA), The Novikov conjecture and geometry of groups.

Aug. 24, 17:15-18:00, R5014, Roe, John (Pennsylvania State University, USA), Large scale index theory.

Informal Seminar on the Grunwald-Wang Theorem 1932-1950

Aug. 24, 17:20-18:20, R5023,Lorenz,F.(Munster, Germany)andRoquette,P.(Heidelberg, Germany).

## Hawking's Public Lecture

Professor Stephen W. Hawking delivered his public lecture : Brane New World in the afternoon, August 18, 2002 at Beijing International Convention Center, there were more than 2,000 people at the lecture. Before his lecture Professor Yau, Shing-Tung gave a brief introduction of Hawking's significant contribution on both theoretical physics and mathematics.

#### **Footloose tours**

#### Great Bell Temple (Da Zhong Si)

#### Madam Song's Mansion

**Description**: Situated in Haidian in the northwestern suburbs, the temple was built in 1732 in the reign of Emperor YongZheng of the Qing Dynasty. It is the largest bell in China and the second largest in the world. Originally it was one to the six to be hung at the six corners of the city walls to strike the hours, but now it is the only remaining one. **Date**: August 21.

Meeting: 9:00 a.m. in front of the BICC. During: aprrox. 3 hours. **Description**: Madam Song Qingling was the wife of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, the founder of the republic, and she herself was the Vice-president of the People's Republic of China. The layout of the houses and the arrangement of the furniture and her personal belongings are kept as they were when she was alive. Pictures of historical interest are also displayed. **Date**: August 21.

Meeting: 3:00 p.m. in front of the BICC. During: aprrox. 3 hours.

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