



Algebra/Topology Seminar

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1:15 p.m. in ES-143

ABSTRACT. This talk will be an elementary introduction to rigidity results in the topological and Riemannian context for various classes of manifolds. It will also provide background for the colloquium by Peter Shalen (University of Illinois at Chicago) on “Quantitative Mostow Rigidity” on Friday, October 25, 2013.