UNIVERSITÄT DES SAARLANDES Naturwissenschaftlich-Technische Fakultät I Fachrichtung 6.1 Mathematik



Mathematisches Kolloquium

Am Freitag, dem 10. Juni 2016 spricht um 14 Uhr c. t. im Hörsaal IV der Fachrichtung Mathematik (Gebäude E24)

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über das Thema:

Who are you, Monsieur Le Blanc?

Abstract: The famous and prestigious Ecole Polytechnique was established in 1794. Of course, this educational institution was reserved for men only. Professors were recruited among the most eminent scientists, while students got their places via hard competition which runs over the whole France. As usual, despite of strict selection, some of the students were slackers. Among such slackers was Antoine-August Le Blanc. A special eagerness to learning, he did not show.......

But some time later a special attention of Prof. Lagrange began to cause the answer sheets signed by 'M. A.-A. Le Blanc'. Not only were Le Blanc's solutions marvelously ingenious, they also showed a remarkable transformation in a student who had previously been notorious for his abysmal mathematical skills. Lagrange decided to clarify the situation and requested a meeting with the reformed student.

What happened after this meeting you will know from the talk.

Alle Interessenten sind zum Vortrag herzlich eingeladen.

Kaffee und Tee ab 13.45 Uhr im Koferenzraum (Erdgeschoss, Raum 1.03)

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