

Midwest Undergraduate Mathematics Symposium

Saturday, April 1, 2006, 9 am - 3 pm
Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa

Call for Papers

The purpose of the symposium is to promote independent undergraduate study in the mathematical sciences. All undergraduate students and faculty in the mathematical sciences are encouraged to attend.

- Undergraduate students are encouraged to present 15-minute talks or posters on any area of mathematical interest including
 - the results of class projects,
 - papers on the history of mathematics,
 - solutions to Putnam Exam or Modeling Competition problems,
 - undergraduate research projects,
 - expository talks on interesting areas of mathematics,
 - mathematics education projects or
 - other work by undergraduates in mathematics, statistics or computer science.
- Faculty are invited to present 15 minute talks on programs in their departments which support undergraduate research or other independent work by undergraduates.

Events: In addition to student and faculty talks and posters, there will be exhibits and two plenary addresses by Dr. Tim Breitzman, a Research Engineer at University of Dayton Research Institute. Dr. Breitzman will talk about the mathematics of materials science.

Registration: The deadline for abstracts is Friday, March 24, 2006. Attendees may register at the door, but advance registration is preferred. There is no registration fee, and lunch will be provided. Contact Murphy Waggoner (waggoner@simpson.edu, 961-1839). More information can be found at www.simpson.edu/math/beyond/mums2006.html.