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Terrà un seminario dal titolo:

“Special values of L functions and their derivatives”

Abstract

L functions are functions of one complex variable associated to various objects of arithmetic interest (basic examples being the Riemann zeta function, or the L function of an elliptic curve). A wealth of information about the object under consideration can be extracted from its L function. This talk will propose an introduction to a web of conjectures (Zagier, Birch and Swinnerton-Dyer, Bloch-Beilinson,...) relating the values of L functions (and their derivatives) at integer arguments to arithmetic invariants. The known results in these directions are partial but significative: I will survey some of them, concentrating on those based on explicit formulas (Gross-Zagier and generalizations).

Tutti gli interessati sono invitati a partecipare.

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