## Neostability Theory 29 January - 3 February 2012

## MEALS

\*Breakfast (Buffet): 7:00–9:30 am, Sally Borden Building, Monday–Friday \*Lunch (Buffet): 11:30 am–1:30 pm, Sally Borden Building, Monday–Friday \*Dinner (Buffet): 5:30–7:30 pm, Sally Borden Building, Sunday–Thursday Coffee Breaks: As per daily schedule, in the foyer of the TransCanada Pipeline Pavilion (TCPL) \*Please remember to scan your meal card at the host/hostess station in the dining room for each meal.

## MEETING ROOMS

All lectures will be held in the new lecture theater in the TransCanada Pipelines Pavilion (TCPL). LCD projector and blackboards are available for presentations.

## SCHEDULE

Sunday	
16:00	Check-in begins (Front Desk - Professional Development Centre - open 24 hours)
17:30 - 19:30	Buffet Dinner, Sally Borden Building
20:00	Informal gathering in 2nd floor lounge, Corbett Hall (if desired)
	Beverages and a small assortment of snacks are available on a cash honor system.
Monday	
7:00-8:45	Breakfast
8:45 - 9:00	Introduction and Welcome by BIRS Station Manager, TCPL
9:00-10:00	Lecture 1: Matthias Aschenbrenner, VC-density
10:00 - 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:00	Lecture 2: Pierre Simon, Honest definitions in NIP theories
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 14:00	Guided Tour of The Banff Centre; meet in the 2nd floor lounge, Corbett Hall
$14:\!00\!-\!15:\!00$	Lecture 3: Frank Wagner, Ultraimaginaries in simplicity theory
15:00 - 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 - 17:00	Lecture 4: John Goodrick, Homology of theories
17:00 - 18:00	Lecture 5: Predrag Tanovic, On Kueker's conjecture
18:00 - 19:30	Dinner
Tuesday	
7:00 - 9:00	Breakfast
9:00-10:00	Lecture 6: John Baldwin, Using set theory in model theory
10:00-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:00	Lecture 7: Monica VanDieren, Transitivity for non-splitting types in abstract elementary
	classes
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:30 - 14:30	Lecture 8: Maryanthe Malliaris, Keisler's order for unstable theories
14:30-16:30	Coffee Break
16:30 - 17:15	Lecture 9: Cameron Hill, From finite to first-order model theory
17:15-18:00	Lecture 10: Hans Adler, Around $NTP_2$
18:00 - 19:30	Dinner

Wednesday	
7:00-9:00	Breakfast
9:00 - 10:00	Lecture 11: Assaf Hasson, Symmetric indivisibility of Henson's graphs
10:00-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:00	Lecture 12: Kobi Peterzil, Do o-minimal theories eliminate imaginaries?
12:00 - 12:15	Group Photo; meet on the front steps of Corbett Hall
12:15 - 13:30	Lunch
	Free Afternoon
17:30 - 19:30	Dinner
Thursday	
7:00-9:00	Breakfast
9:00-10:00	Lecture 13: Martin Hils, Some Definability Results in Abstract Kummer Theory
10:00 - 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:00	Lecture 14: Joon Kim, The notion of indiscernible trees and its applications
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:30 - 14:30	Lecture 15: Artem Chernikov, $NTP_2$
14:30 - 16:30	Coffee Break
16:30 - 17:15	Lecture 16: Itay Kaplan, Chain conditions in dependent groups
17:15 - 18:00	Lecture 17: Lynn Scow, Structural Ramsery theory and generalised indiscernibles
18:00 - 19:30	Dinner
Friday	
7:00-9:00	Breakfast
9:00 - 9:45	Lecture 18: Krzysztof Krupinski, On model-theoretic connected components in some
	group extensions I
9:45 - 10:30	Lecture 19: Jakub Gismatullin, On model-theoretic connected components in some group
	extensions II
10:30 - 11:15	Coffee Break
11:15 - 12:00	Lecture 20: Dugald MacPherson, Pseudofinite groups – NIP and supersimplicity
12:00 - 13:30	Lunch
Checkout by	
12 noon.	

 $^{\ast\ast}$  5-day workshop participants are welcome to use BIRS facilities (BIRS Coffee Lounge, TCPL and Reading Room) until 3 pm on Friday, although participants are still required to checkout of the guest rooms by 12 noon.  $^{\ast\ast}$