Virginia Tech Math Contest, Oct. 22

Location: LSU Campus, TBA Registration Deadline: Sep. 30

Putnam Exam, Dec. 3

Location: Lockett Hall

Registration Deadline: Oct. 3

**** Problem-Solving Seminar ****

Every Wednesday, 5:00 - 6:30 P.M. Third-Floor Lockett Lounge

Open to any $Undergraduate^{\dagger}$ Student

Free Pizza dinner provided!!

† Calculus (MATH 1550) is a required prerequisite.

Are you interested in challenging and fun Math Problems? Attend the weekly Problem-Solving Seminar and sign up to represent LSU in national Competitions! Everyone is welcome: you do **not** need to be a math major!

Learn how to solve problems like these:

• Is there any real number $x \neq 2016$ such that

$$2016e^x = xe^{2016}?$$

• Evaluate

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin^2(x) + \sin(x)\cos(x)}{1 + \sin(2x)} \, dx.$$

Find all *n* such that $\left(\frac{19}{2}\right)^n + \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)^n$ is an integer.

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To register or learn more about the Competitions, please feel free to attend the Problem-Solving Seminar, visit the website below, or write to Professor Karl Mahlburg.

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