

# Metric Geometry, Geometric Topology and Groups

## August, 4-9, 2013

### 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 lecture theater in the TransCanada Pipelines Pavilion (TCPL). An LCD projector, a laptop, a document camera, 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

#### Monday

**7:00–8:45** Breakfast

**8:45–9:00** Introduction and Welcome by BIRS Station Manager, TCPL

**9:00–9:40** Matthew Kahle

**9:50–10:30** Yevgeny Liokumovich

**10:30–10:50** Coffee Break, TCPL

**10:50–11:30** Mohammad Ghomi

**11:30–13:30** Lunch

**14:00** Group Photo; meet in foyer of TCPL (photograph will be taken outdoors so a jacket might be required).

**14:10–14:50** Enrico Le Donne

**14:50–15:10** Coffee Break, TCPL

**15:10–15:50** Tullia Dymarz

**16:00–16:40** Fedor Manin

**16:50–17:30** Alexander Dranishnikov

**17:30–19:30** Dinner

**19:30–20:10** Dmitry Jakobson

#### Tuesday

**7:00–9:00** Breakfast

**9:00–9:40** Herman Gluck

**9:50–10:30** Greg Chambers

**10:30–10:50** Coffee Break, TCPL

**10:50–11:30** Robert Young

**11:30–13:30** Lunch

**13:30–14:10** Florent Balacheff

**14:20–15:00** Regina Rotman

**15:00–15:20** Coffee Break, TCPL.

**15:20–16:00** Vitali Kapovitch

**16:10–16:50** Burkhard Wilking

**17:00–17:40** Anton Petrunin

**17:40–19:30** Dinner

## **Wednesday**

**7:00–9:00** Breakfast  
**9:00–10:30** Informal Discussions  
**10:30–10:50** Coffee Break, TCPL  
**10:50–11:30** Informal Discussions  
**11:30–13:30** Lunch  
Free Afternoon  
**17:30–19:30** Dinner

## **Thursday**

**7:00–9:00** Breakfast  
**9:00–9:40** Igor Belegradek  
**9:50–10:30** Grigori Avramidi  
**10:30–10:50** Coffee Break, TCPL  
**10:50–11:30** Ursula Hamenstädt  
**11:30–13:30** Lunch  
**13:30–14:10** Stephane Sabourau  
**14:20–15:00** Michael Yampolsky  
**15:00–15:20** Coffee Break, TCPL  
**15:20–16:00** John Roe  
**16:10–16:50** Piotr Nowak  
**17:00–17:40** Egor Shelukhin  
**17:40–19:30** Dinner

## **Friday**

**7:00–9:00** Breakfast  
**9:00–10:30** Informal Discussions  
**10:30–10:50** Coffee Break, TCPL  
**10:50–11:30** Informal Discussions  
**11:30–13:30** Lunch

**Checkout by**

**12 noon.**

\*\* 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. \*\*