

## **PIMS Graduate Studies Information Week**

**University of Calgary**  
**January 6 & 7, 2005**

### **THURSDAY, January 6**

**4:30 PM:** participants are greeted at Best Western Village Park Inn  
1804 Crowchild Trail NW, Calgary, AB Phone: (403) 289-0241

**5:00 – 8:00 PM:** Welcome Reception will be held in the Brentwood Room at the Best Western Village Park Inn

### **FRIDAY, January 7**

**7:00 - 8:15 AM:** Breakfast served in the Courtyard Café at the Best Western Village Park Inn

**8:45 - 8:55 AM:** Meet at the Math. & Stat. Department Lounge (4<sup>th</sup> floor of the Mathematical Sciences Building) **MS461**

**9:00 - 9:45 AM:** Welcome to the Mathematical Sciences at the University of Calgary: **MS431**

G. Chen, PIMS UC Site Director  
J. Collins, Graduate Studies Coordinator, Dept. of Mathematics and Statistics  
C. Laflamme, Acting Head Department of Mathematics and Statistics  
F. Samavati, Department of Computer Science  
W. Veale, Dean of Graduate Studies

**9:45 - 9:55 AM: Coffee Break** **MS461**

**10:00 - 10:20 AM:** Session A: *Computer Sc. at Simon Fraser University* (P. Hell) **MS427**  
OR Session B: *Statistics and Actuarial Sciences* (G. Chen) **MS431**

**10:25 - 10:45 AM:** Session A: *Evolutionary and Swarm Design for Bioinformatics and Biocomputing* (C. Jacob) **MS427**  
OR Session B: *Topology and Algebraic Geometry* (K. Bauer) **MS431**

**10:50 - 11:10 AM:** Session A: *Mathematical Biology* (E. Braverman) **MS427**  
OR Session B: *Mathematical Physics* (L. Bates) **MS431**

**11:15 - 11:35 AM:** Session A: *Mathematics of Seismic Imaging* (M. Lamoureux) **MS427**  
OR Session B: *Centre for Discrete Computational Geometry* (K. Bezdek) **MS431**

**11:40 – 12:00:** *Financial Mathematics* (A. Ware) **MS431**

**12:10 – 1:15 PM: Lunch served at the Den/Black Lounge in the MacEwan Student Centre** (Assorted pizza and salad)

**1:30 – 1:50 PM:** *Mathematics and Statistics at the University of Victoria*  
(M. Lesperance) **MS431**

**2:00 - 4 PM:** Personal appointments with faculty members in areas of interest.  
Coffee, Tea and Hot Chocolate is available in MS461.

**Special Note:**

Dr. Mary Lesperance, the University of Victoria representative, will be available to answer questions in the Math. Library (off the Lounge, MS 461).

Dr. Pavol Hell, the Simon Fraser University representative, will be available to answer questions in MS452 between **2:30 and 3:00 pm**.

Joanne Mellard, Graduate Studies Administrator, Dept. of Mathematics and Statistics is available to answer questions in MS462

**4:00 PM** Please assemble at the Math. Dept. Lounge **MS461**

**4:10 – 5:15 PM:** University of Calgary campus tour

**5:30 – 7:30 PM: Banquet served at the University Club,  
MacEwan Student Centre 4<sup>th</sup> floor**

**Saturday, January 8**

Breakfast served in the Courtyard Café at the Best Western Village Park Inn

Shuttle from Best Western Village Park Inn to the Calgary International Airport.