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K-Theory, Quadratic Forms and Number Theory Seminar

Dr. Jesús Guillera (Universidad de Zaragoza)

will speak on

Ramanujan-like series and String Theory

Wed 23rd February 2011 at 3:00PM

Location: Mathematical Sciences Seminar Room

Beginning in 2002 I have discovered formulas for $1/\pi^2$ which are similar to Ramanujan-type series for $1/\pi$ and I have proved some of them by the WZ-method. In this talk I will show how to find this kind of series by solving certain equations for some special rational values of a parameter. Curiously, our equations involve functions which are well known to Superstring physicists.

This talk is part of the **K-Theory, Quadratic Forms and Number Theory** series. For more, see https://maths.ucd.ie/seminars