

Waterloo Workshop on Computer Algebra, May 5 – 7, 2008

Room N 1002, Faculty of Science Building (WLU)

Monday, May 5

9:00		Registration, coffee
9:30	D. MacLatchy	Opening remarks by Dean of Science, Wilfrid Laurier University
9:45	I. Gessel	The Method of Coefficients
10:35		Coffee break
11:00	P. Paule	Combinatorial Multi-Sums: Algorithmic Approaches from Egorychev to WZ
11:50		Lunch
13:30	G. Andrews	Old and New Thoughts on the Rogers-Ramanujan Identities
14:10	K. Cameron	Coflow, Covering Vertices by Directed Circuits, and a Lower Bound on the
		Stability Number of a Graph
14:50		Coffee break
15:10	C. Hoang	A note on k-colourability of P ₅ -free graphs
15:40	H. Wilf	The permanent importance of the permanent function

Tuesday, May 6

9:00	M. Petkovsek	Subanalytic hypergeometric and P-recursive summation
9:50	I. Kotsireas	Approaches to the Hadamard conjecture and a question on Permanents of
		Hadamard matrices
10:20		Coffee break
10:40	I.C. Huang	Power Series, differentials and residues
11:30	A. Hamel	Restricted Cauchy Identities
12:00		Lunch
13:30	L. Gurvits	Van der Waerden/Schrijver-Valiant like Conjectures and Stable (aka
		Hyperbolic) Homogeneous Polynomials: One Theorem for all.
14:20	E. Zima	Divide and sum
14:50		Coffee break
15:10	G. Egorychev	The method of coefficients: applications in ring theory and the Collatz problem
18:30		Conference dinner

Wednesday, May 7

9:00	D. Zeilberger	Integral Representations from Euler to Egorychev
9:50		Coffee break
10:20	M. Hazewinkel	Niceness theorems
11:10		Closing
		Lunch