Saturday:

Time	**Swain East 105**	**Swain East 140**	**Swain East 240**
9-10	Arrival, refreshments, and registration Rawles Hall		
10-11	Keynote Address: *Symplectic Topology Today* Dusa McDuff SUNY Stony Brook Myers Hall 130		
11:30-12:00	*Introduction to Handle-Body Decompositions* Catherine Pfaff Rutgers *Swain East 010	*Knots and categories* Chris Brav Queens U. (Can)	*Deformations of coisotropic submanifolds* Noah Kieserman Wisconsin
12-2	Lunch		
2-2:30	*Why is Khovanov homology so cool?* Allison Henrich Dartmouth	*Stabilizations of Heegaard splittings of graph manifolds* Ryan Derby-Talbot, U. Texas	*The Group of Hamiltonian homeomorphisms and C^0 Symplectic Geometry* Stefan Mueller Wisconsin
2:45-3:15	*The torsions of Reidemeister, Milnor, and Turaev* Chris Truman Maryland	*Atiyah's Power Operations in Complex K-Theory* Barry Walker MIT	*Kähler decomposition of 4-manifolds* R. İnanç Baykur Mich. State
3:45-4:15	*Representing homology classes with embedded submanifolds* Zsuzsanna Dancso Rutgers	*Topological transformation groups and equivariant extension theorems: An action filled introduction* Aasa Feragen Helsinki (Finland)	*Khovanov Homology & Reidemeister Torsion* Juan Ariel Ortiz-Navarro Iowa
4:30-5	*Intrinsically n-linked Complete Bipartite Graph*s Danielle O'Donnol UCLA	*The Extension of "Topological-Style" Knot Invariants to Tangle*s John Armstrong Yale	*Poisson Structures on SL(3)xSL(3)//SL(3)* Sean Lawton Maryland
6	Banquet		

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9-10	Keynote Address: *Planar Algebras* Vaughan Jones UC Berkeley Myers Hall 130		
10:30-11	*Splittings of 3-Manifold Groups over Surface Groups* Eric Zupunski Michigan	*Surfaces in 4-ball and the 4-ball genus of knots* Selahi Durusoy Michigan State	*A Homological Algebraic Approach to the Tutte Polynomial* Edna Fanny Jasso-Hernandez G. Washington U.
11:15-11:45	*An Ice Model for the Jones Polynomial* Neil R. Nicholson Iowa	*Computing stable homotopy groups using number theory* Andrew Salch Rochester	*A Computational Tool for Mapping Class Groups* Micah W. Chrisman Hawaii
12-12:30	*Spin 6-manifolds* Ahmet Beyaz UC Irvine	*Can the Jones polynomial detect knottedness?* Kerry Luse George Washington U.	*Units in Equivariant Spectra* Rekha Santhanam Illinois