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Section Representative Session

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FL MAA Section Meeting
Polk State College
February 15, 2019

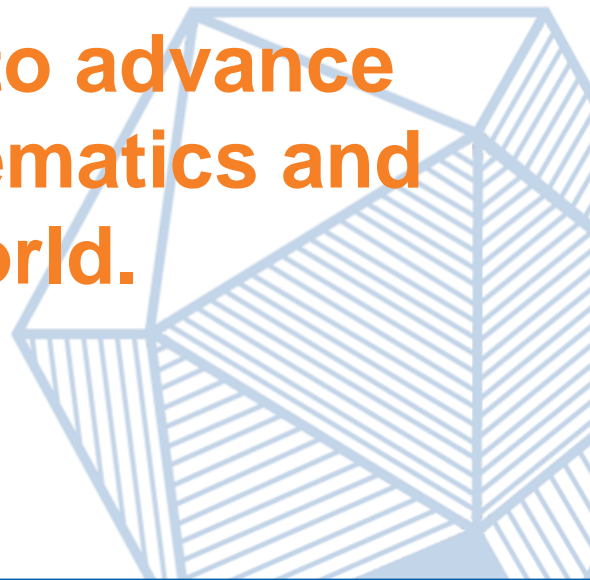




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The mission of the Mathematical Association of America is to advance the understanding of mathematics and its impact on our world.



We envision a society that values the power and beauty of mathematics and fully realizes its potential to promote human flourishing.

2018 MAA MathFest

Denver, CO

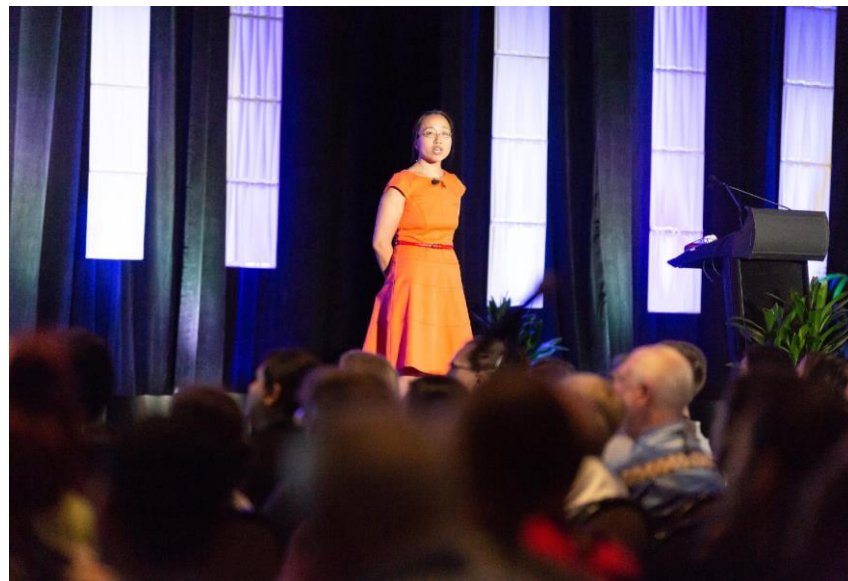
The MAA hosted member engagement events all week at the MAA Pavilion.



2018 MAA MathFest

Denver, CO

Eugenia Cheng delivers her invited address, “Inclusion-Exclusion in Mathematics: Who Stays In, Who Falls Out, Why It Happens, and What We Should Do About It.”



Read more about 2018 MathFest in *MAA FOCUS* newsmagazine.

Meeting of MAA Congress: “I wish the MAA ...”

... “made videos of conference lectures available to members behind a paywall.”

This has happened!

- MAA members may go to <https://www.maa.org> and log in.
- This will take you to <https://www.maa.org/my-profile>.
- Scroll down to "**Member Benefits**."
- At the bottom of Member Benefits is "**The MAA Video Library**."

2018 MAA MathFest Highlights

Available in the library are large lecture sessions from 2018 MathFest including:

- Eugenia Cheng's invited address on inclusion/exclusion in mathematics,
- Laura Taalman's Chan-Stanek lecture for students,
- Talitha Washington's Leitzel Lecture, and
- Alder Award talks

Talks from 2019 JMM will be forthcoming.

MAA American Mathematics Competitions (AMC)

These are a series of examinations that build problem-solving skills and mathematical knowledge in middle and high school students.

Connect with local math students by hosting the AMC at your institution.

Visit maa.org/amc to find out how your campus can host a competition for future math majors.



Meeting the Future: MAA and the Joint Mathematics Meetings

The MAA and the AMS have shared management and contributed equally to the programming of the Joint Mathematics Meetings under a 1998 agreement.



Through extensive discussions over the last five years, AMS and MAA have agreed that the 1998 agreement no longer meets the needs of either organization and will end following the 2021 Joint Mathematics Meetings.

Meeting the Future: MAA and the Joint Mathematics Meetings

The current business/management model for the meetings result in a loss of approximately \$300,000/year to MAA, with AMS absorbing an even greater cost.



While this represents a service to the mathematical sciences community, the MAA Board determined that it is not sustainable.

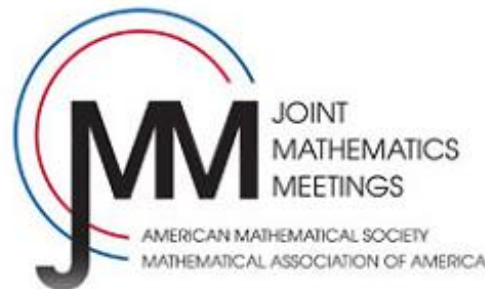
Meeting the Future: MAA and the Joint Mathematics Meetings

Beginning in 2022, MAA national meeting activities will occur at MAA MathFest in the summer.

The MAA will build on the continued growth of MAA MathFest and will also direct resources to better support MAA Sections at meetings like this as well as other programs that expand access and services to more members.

The MAA wants to hear from you!

Survey at maa.org/meetings/JMM



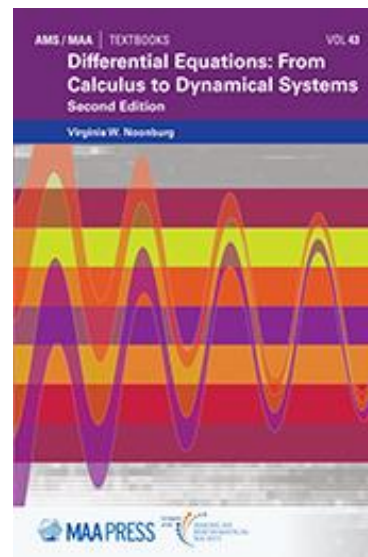
Learn more in the
Oct./Nov. issue of
MAA FOCUS newsmagazine.



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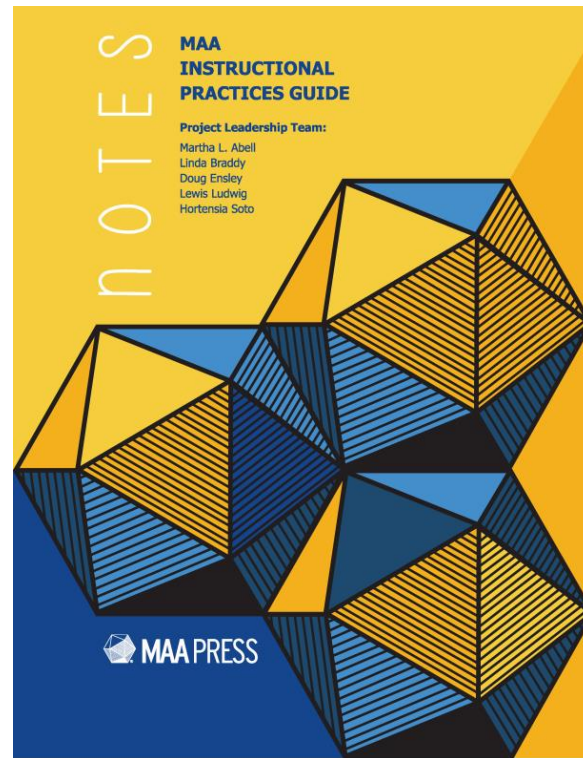
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MAA's Departmental Membership

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- \$79 Ancillary Instructor Memberships for instructors employed at Departmental Member institutions who are not included in the usual tenure or promotion process
- Online access to MAA journals and magazines
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- 25% discount on MAA Press books

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Check the MAA website for our
Section's eligibility and speaker lists:
maa.org/speakers

- **MAA Section Visitor** – every year our MAA Section can select a guest speaker and interact directly with MAA's leadership
- **Polya Lecturers** – Sections are eligible every five years to host these outstanding speakers and expositors ([Florida = 2020 Section meeting](#))



Ruth Charney – 2015
Brandeis University

Be on the lookout for new initiatives from the MAA coming soon

- **MAA Connect** – An online platform that brings the math community together
- **BIG Math Network** initiatives – New ways to enhance your student-focused career activities at your Section Meeting
- New Membership Categories and Opportunities

2019 Joint Mathematics Meetings

Over 5,800 registered participants!



BALTIMORE
Jan. 16 - 19

**Registration is
Open**

**[maa.org/meetings/
mathfest](https://maa.org/meetings/mathfest)**





MAA MATHFEST

Cincinnati, OH, July 31 - Aug. 3

maa.org/2019speakers



MAA Invited Address

Solving Algebraic Equations

Irena Swanson



NAM David Harold Blackwell Lecture

Dudeney's No Three-In-Line Problem: Problem, Solutions, Conditions, Progress, and Conjectures

Johnny L. Houston



Earle Raymond Hedrick Lecture Series

Complex Dynamics and Elliptic Curves

Laura DeMarco



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2019 MathFest speakers

AWM-MAA Etta Zuber Falconer Lecture:

Dance of the Astonished Topologist ... or How I Left Squares and Hexes for Math

Tara Holm, *Cornell University*



Pi Mu Epsilon J. Sutherland Frame Lecture:

Alice in Numberland – Adventures in Cryptography, Number Theory, and Life

Alice Silverberg, *University of California, Irvine*



2019 MathFest speakers

MAA James R.C. Leitzel Lecture

Rochelle Gutiérrez, *University of Illinois*



Martin Gardner Lecture

Erik Demaine, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology*



For details on other MathFest speakers, see

<https://www.maa.org/2019speakers>

Florida MAA Section

- **Save the Date:**

February 2020 MAA Section meeting at University of West Florida
in Pensacola

Officers are in discussions with Louisiana and Mississippi Sections
if possible to make a joint meeting

- **Updates from our MAA Section:**

Please vote in current election for next Section Representative.
Monika Kiss and Joni Pirnot are the candidates.

MAA Section members should have already received an email with
their electronic ballot. Voting closes March 12th.

Questions?