# MAA-4CCTM Spring Meeting, Adams State College (Preliminary Schedule) 

Friday April 30

| 11:00-4:00 | Registration by Main Stairwell |
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| $12: 00-4: 30$ | Publishers, Exhibits and Hospitality Room - SMT 135. |
| $1: 00-1: 15$ | Opening Remarks: VPAA Svaldi, Adams State College - SMT 130 |
| $1: 15-2: 05$ | Distinguished Teaching Award Lecture: A Visit with the Number 6 , Professor Monte Zerger, Adams State College - SMT 130 |
| $2: 05-2: 15$ | Merle Milligan Outstanding Student Award Presentation - SMT 130 |


| Time | SMT 128 <br> Student Session |  | SMT 130 <br> MAA Presented Papers | SMT 132 <br> MAA Presented Papers |
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| $\begin{aligned} & 2: 20 \\ & 2: 40 \end{aligned}$ | Paul Anderson MSCD <br> Chaos in the Solar System |  | William Trench <br> Trinity University <br> Determinants and Inverses of Some Structured Matrices | LuAnn Malik ACC <br> Problem Solving, Modeling, and Data Analysis Assignments in College Algebra and Trigonometry |
| $\begin{aligned} & 2: 45 \\ & - \\ & 3: 05 \end{aligned}$ | Jared Enriquez, Jon Wright RU <br> Expected Number of Jobs in a Queuing System |  | Jim Hagler \& Stan Gudder UD <br> Probabilities of Consecutive Integers in Lotto | Kelly Chappell \& Darel Hardy <br> CSU <br> College Algebra Reform: \Documenting Student Attitudes and Performance |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3: 10 \\ & - \\ & 3: 30 \end{aligned}$ | Amelia Canavan <br> MSCD <br> Theory in the Social Sciences: Simple Theories of a Messy <br> World |  | Bill Emerson <br> MSCD <br> Mathematica Animations for Partial Differential Equations | Patrick Enright <br> ACC <br> Predicting Student Success in College Algebra |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3: 35 \\ & 3: 55 \end{aligned}$ | Andrew Levad MSCD <br> Fractal Data Compression |  | Igor Szczyrba <br> UNC <br> Advanced Modeling: Can it be done on a PC with "Mathematica"? | Gregg Waterman <br> MSC <br> Research at the Lower Undergraduate Level |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4: 00 \\ & - \\ & 4: 20 \end{aligned}$ | Megan Hamilton, \& Anessa Pobrick RU <br> The Magical World of M.C. Escher |  | Harold Davenport <br> MSC <br> Geometry of the Quaternions | Thomas Kelley <br> MSCD <br> Going to Great Lengths: Observing the Transit of Venus in 1761 and 1769 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4: 25 \\ & - \\ & 4: 45 \end{aligned}$ | Tessa Weinstein \& Amelia Canavan MSCD <br> Evidence for Chaos in the Locomotion of Some Birds and Perhaps Fish |  | Michael Reese ASC Statistical Condition Estimation | Alexander Lemberg Complex Numbers and Trigonometry: A Geometric Approach to the Addition Formulas for Sine and Cosine, and Euler's Formula |
| 4:50-5:40 |  | Department Liaisons Meeting in SMT 132 |  |  |
| 6:15-9:00 <br> $8: 00$ |  | Cocktails \& Banquet at Alamosa Inn |  |  |
|  |  | Banquet Talk: Calculus Books, Professor Underwood Dudley, College Mathematics Journal Editor |  |  |

MAA-4CCTM Spring Meeting and CCTM Mini-Conference, Adams State College (Preliminary Schedule) Saturday May 1

| Time | SMT 130 | SMT 125 | SMT 135 | SMT 232 |
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| 8:00-8:45 | MAA Business Meeting | CCTM Mini-Conf | CCTM Mini-Conf | CCTM Mini-Conf |
| 8:50-9:40 | Invited Address: Formulas for Primes, Professor Underwood Dudley, College Mathematics Journal Editor | Erwin Romero Grades 9-12 Modeling Motion | Norma Eldredge <br> Grades 5-8 <br> Stick Figures - Toothpick Geometry | Antoinette Martinez Grades K-12 Internet For Teachers |
| 9:45-10:35 | Invited Address: Florian Cajori, History and the Teaching of Mathematics in the Rocky Mountains, Professor John Fauvel, Open University, UK |  |  |  |


| Time | SMT 128 <br> Student Session | SMT 130 <br> MAA Presented Papers | SMT 132 <br> MAA Presented Papers | SMT 125 <br> CCTM Mini-Conf | SMT 135 <br> CCTM Mini-Conf | SMT 232 <br> CCTM Mini-Conf |
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| $\begin{aligned} & 10: 40 \\ & 11: 00 \end{aligned}$ | Sean McDonald \& Aaron Mattley <br> RU <br> Love and the Area of a Rose | Cathleen Craviotto UNC <br> Geometry and the Infinite | Bill Ramaley <br> FLC <br> History of the Rocky Mountain <br> Section of the MAA | Dolores Dean Grades 9-12 <br> Making Secondary Math More Visual by Using | Lynn Sutphen Grades 3-8 <br> Using Altemative Assessment Practices In the Classroom | Jennifer Luebeck and <br> Helen Gerretson <br> Grades K-8 <br> Developing K-8 Teachers |
| $\begin{aligned} & 11: 05 \\ & - \\ & 11: 25 \end{aligned}$ | Steve A. Ramsey II USAFA <br> Shift Maps and the Sequences of Fibonacci | Brigitte Lahme CSU <br> Symmetry in Imagination, Real Life, and Mathematics | Katy Baumhover ASC Student The Amazing Sophie Germain | Algebra Tiles |  | Geometric Perspective |
| $\begin{aligned} & 11: 30 \\ & - \\ & 11: 55 \end{aligned}$ | Mark Jones USAFA Approximate Distributions of Chaotic Orbits | Sara Jones USC <br> Why do Physics in Calculus? | Dick Walker FLC <br> Writing in Mathematics | CCTM Mini-Conference LUNCH <br> Provided by UCAN On Patio - South Side of Building |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 12: 00 \\ & - \\ & 12: 20 \end{aligned}$ | Jennifer Stapleton \& Stephen Heck <br> RU <br> Modeing the Capacity of a Room | Roger W. Johnson, Linda Alexander \& John Weiss SDSMT <br> Resources for Exploring Zipf's Law | Larry Johnson \& Peggy O'Neill-Jones MSCD Mathematics and Multimedia |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 12: 25 \\ & - \\ & 12: 45 \end{aligned}$ |  | Joy Werner CCTM Mini-Conference General Session Impact of Math CSAP |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1: 00 \\ & - \\ & 1: 45 \end{aligned}$ | Lloyd Garcia <br> Grades 3-5 <br> Mayan Mathematics |  | Jennifer Leubeck and Helen Gerretson Grades K-8 Moving Beyond the Mundane Using Multiple Models to Motivate Proportional Reasoning | Dolores Dean - <br> Grades 9-12 <br> 'Area Under The Curve' <br> Does Have Meaning | Nancy Budner Grades 4-8 <br> Welcome to the Titanic |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1: 55 \\ & - \\ & 2: 40 \end{aligned}$ | Lynn Sutphan <br> Grades 9-12 <br> Using Alternative Assessment In The Classroom |  | Debra Biennian <br> Grades 4-6 <br> Writing In Math: Six Traits of Writing in Mathematics |  |  | George Sellman <br> Grades K - 12 <br> MicroWorld - The New and Improved LOGO |
| $\begin{aligned} & \hline 2: 50 \\ & - \\ & 3: 35 \end{aligned}$ | Nancy Budner <br> Grades K - 3 <br> Two of Everything: Assessment in Primary Grades |  |  |  | Cindy Bervig <br> Grades 4-12 <br> Mathematics and Baseball: <br> Teammates All The Way | Steve Roach <br> Grades 9-12 <br> What? Robots In The Classroom? (And a Little Bit of Algebra) |



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