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## *Science – Math Seminar*

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**Date:** Thursday, Nov. 25, 2004

**Time:** 16:45 (Tea and cookies will be served at 16:30)

**Place:** Science building, room Z42

**Title:** **Trace homomorphism for smooth manifolds**

**Abstract:**

In this talk, first we will introduce basic concepts to define trace homomorphism for smooth manifolds. Then, we will present a result of Lalonde and McDuff for symplectic manifolds, which motivated our result for smooth manifolds. The proof of the smooth analog is quite different than the proof of Lalonde-McDuff theorem. At the end, if time permits, we will explain an application for real algebraic varieties.

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