

CANT 2010

New York Number Theory Seminar Eighth Annual Workshop on Combinatorial and Additive Number Theory

CUNY Graduate Center
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Local information

The CUNY Graduate Center is centrally located in Manhattan at 365 Fifth Avenue, between 34th and 35th Streets. The Empire State Building is diagonally across the street. We are easily reached by bus and subway from anywhere in New York City. Moreover, Grand Central Station, New York Penn Station, and the Port Authority Bus Terminal are less than a 20 minute walk away, so it is feasible to stay almost anywhere in the metropolitan region.

The meeting will be held in Room 6217 on the sixth floor of the CUNY Graduate Center. The room is equipped with blackboards, overhead projectors, and a computer with projector.

Lectures will begin Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 9:00 a.m. and end about 5:00 p.m. On Saturday the lectures will start at 10:00 a.m. and end at 4 p.m.

Computers with internet access are available in the math lounge on the 4th floor.

FOOD

An excellent cafeteria is on the 8th floor of the Graduate Center, and there are many restaurants in the neighborhood. Espresso, latte, etc. are available in the coffee bar on the ground floor of the Graduate Center, and also at the Starbucks across the street on the northeast corner of Fifth Avenue and 35th Street.

There is really great food in New York. Check Zagat's for vast and reliable information.

HOTELS

There are many hotels in the neighborhood of the CUNY Graduate Center, but none of them gives us a special conference rate. Good deals can sometimes be found on the internet. If you work for a state university or US government organization, you may be able to get a (usually very low) government rate for your hotel.

The *New York Times* recently published an article about small but inexpensive hotel rooms in Manhattan. Some of them are very close to the Graduate Center (for example, Ace Hotel on 29th Street), but they are probably very hard to obtain, so if you are interested, you should try to make a reservation quickly. The URL for the article is:

<http://www.nytimes.com/2010/05/01/nyregion/01hotels.html?ref=todayspaper>

ART MUSEUMS AND GALLERIES

There are many great museums within walking distance of the Graduate Center. The Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) is on 53rd Street between Fifth and Sixth Avenues, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art is on Fifth Avenue at 83rd Street. The Morgan Library is on Madison Avenue and 36th Street, around the corner from the Graduate Center. There are also many excellent galleries for contemporary art in Chelsea, a few blocks south and west of the Graduate Center.

On Friday evening there will be a conference excursion to MoMA. Among the current exhibitions is a major retrospective of the work of Henri Cartier-Bresson.