Topology Seminar

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Tate Normal Form in Level Resolutions of the K(2)-Local Sphere

on October 31 at 4:30 in MIT Room 2-131

The K(2)-localization of the sphere spectrum admits a conjectural small resolution built from TMF and "TMF with level structures" — the evaluation of the TMF sheaf on the stack of elliptic curves equipped with an order I subgroup. In this talk, I will use variations on Tate normal form to describe several Hopf algebroids that stackify to elliptic curves with level structure. These Hopf algebroids lead to computations of the Behrens-Lawson spectrum Q(I). This is current work with Mark Behrens, Nat Stapleton, and Vesna Stojanoska.