

## Institute of Mathematical Research Department of Mathematics

### GEOMETRY SEMINAR

# Zeros of entire solutions of second order linear differential equations

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#### **Abstract**

We consider the differential equation w'' + Aw = 0 and study the question when there are two linearly independent solutions with "few" zeros. After reviewing the results for a polynomial coefficient A, we discuss various results due to Bank, Laine and others dealing with the case of a transcendental entire coefficient A. We also discuss the disproof of a conjecture of Bank and Laine on the topic. This is joint work with Alexandre Eremenko.

Date: March 24, 2015 (Tuesday)

Time: 4:00 - 5:00pm

Place: Room 210, Run Run Shaw Bldg., HKU