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On the polynomial moment problem

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Abstract

In the talk we will outline a solution of the following "polynomial moment problem" which arose recently in relation with Poincare's Center-Focus problem: for a complex polynomial P(z) and a curve C to describe polynomials q(z) orthogonal to all powers of P(z) on C. We also will discuss the relations of this problem with different branches of mathematics such as differential equations, complex analysis, algebraic geometry and group theory.

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Time: 4:00 – 5:00pm

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