

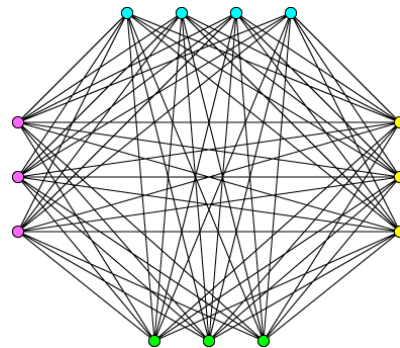
VCU Discrete Mathematics Seminar

A Gentle Introduction to Extremal Graph Theory

Prof Neal Bushaw
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Wednesday, Feb. 3
1:00-1:50

Zoom! @ <https://vcu.zoom.us/j/92975799914>
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This Spring, we start our seminar with a theme – our first six talks will be on the common thread of forbidden subgraph problems. With this in mind, our first talk will be a very gentle introduction to the area, given by Dr. Bushaw. He'll give some history of the field, basic definitions, and famous early results, with a mind toward prepping the audience for the following weeks' talks. This introductory talk will assume **no** background in graph theory whatsoever – we'll build everything from the ground up.

After, you'll be ready to see talks from many well known and active researchers in the field; due to this semester's online format, we'll see speakers from all over the world! (Washington, Montana, Vermont, New York, Zurich, Rio de Janeiro, Prague, and more!) We encourage you to join us at the DMS this semester!

For the DM seminar schedule, see:

<https://www.people.vcu.edu/~nobushaw/dms.html>