

Topology, Algebraic Geometry, & Dynamics Seminar

Dynamics on nilpotent character varieties

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Let $\mathcal{R}(N, G)$ be the connected component of the identity of the variety of representations of a finitely generated nilpotent group N into a connected compact Lie group G , and let $\mathcal{X}(N, G)$ be the corresponding moduli space. With J-P Burelle I show in [arXiv:2111.11922](https://arxiv.org/abs/2111.11922) there exists a natural $\text{Out}(N)$ -invariant measure on $\mathcal{X}(N, G)$ so that if $\text{Out}(N)$ has at least one hyperbolic element, the action of $\text{Out}(N)$ on $\mathcal{X}(N, G)$ is mixing with respect to this measure. In this talk I will illustrate this theorem with an example.

Date: **Friday, March 11, 2022**

Time: **3:30-4:30 pm (special time)**

Place: **4106 Exploratory Hall**

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