Ergodic Theory Workshops UNC Chapel Hill Department of Mathematics April 7 – 10, 2016

Thursday, April 7

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm: Registration and Refreshments (**Phillips Hall 330**)

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm: Keynote Address (Phillips Hall 332) Francois Ledrappier (CNRS/University of Notre Dame) Title: Entropies for the cover of a compact manifold

6:00 pm - ??: Dinner (Top of the Hill)

Friday, April 8 (Stone Center)

- 9:30 am 10:10 am: Lien Yang Kao (University of Notre Dame) Title: *Pressure type metrics on spaces of metric graphs* 10:30 am – 11:10 am:
 - Francesco Cellarosi (Queens University) Title: Autocorrelation functions for quantum particles on a nilmanifold
- 11: 20 am 2:00 pm: Lunch (on your own)
- 2:00 pm 2:40 pm: Tushar Das (University of Wisconsin – La Crosse)

Title: Badly approximable vectors in conformal fractals

3:00 pm – 3:40 pm: Zhiren Wang (Pennsylvania State University) Title: *Mobius disjointness for analytic skew products*

Saturday, April 9 (Phillips Hall 332)

- 9:30 am 10:20 am: Raul Ures (IMERL - Universidad de la Republica - Uruguay) Title: Ergodicity and partial hyperbolicity
 10:40 am - 11:20 am: Aaron Brown (University of Chicago) Title: Rigidity of actions of higher-rank lattices on tori and nilmanifolds
 11:30 am - 2:00 pm: Lunch (on your own)
 2:00 pm - 2:50 pm: Federico Rodriguez Hertz (Pennsylvania State University) Title: A proof of Ghys theorem on lattice actions on the circle
 3:10 pm - 3:50 pm: Boris Kalinin (Pennsylvania State University)
 - Title: Non-stationary normal forms for non-uniform contractions

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm: Problem Session

Sunday, April 10 (Phillips Hall 332)

9:30 am – 10:10 am: Martin Schmoll (Clemson University) Title: *Ergodic planar Eaton lens configurations* 10:30 am – 11:10 am: Ilya Vinogradov (Princeton University) Title: *Spherical averages in the space of marked lattices*

END OF WORKSHOP