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Change of Workshop: S10

Dear Participants,

We regret to inform you that Professor Kwon Oh Nam, who was supposed to conduct workshop S10 could not travel to Singapore due to some personal reasons. As we only received the news from her on Monday, we did not have time to arrange for a suitable speaker to conduct her workshop on modeling astronomical events.

We have arranged for an alternative workshop to be conducted by Prof Toh Tin Lam.

What Worthwhile Learning Experiences can Mathematics Competition Problems Provide?

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Abstract

It has been commonly believed that mathematics competition problems are only meant for the elite few and not relevant for the general student population. In this workshop, it will be highlighted that in fact many competition problems could provide useful context for the teaching of mathematical problem solving for the general student population. Examples will be selected from the Singapore Mathematical Olympiad problems 2013.

You may choose to attend the above workshop at the same venue: Seminar Room 2C. OR attend any one of the other workshops. Note however that workshops S2 to S6 are already full and S7 has only two vacancies. There is a venue change for S9 to E5-09/10.

We apologize for the inconvenience caused and thank you for your understanding.

Dr Toh Pee Choon Co-Chair of AME-SMS 2013.