# Applied mathematics seminars 2009/2010 

| Date | Time/Place | Speaker | Title |
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| Wed 30 <br> Sep <br> 2009 | 14:00 in <br> W1.90 | A.G. Ramm (Kansas State) | Creating materials with a desired refraction coefficient |
| Wed <br> 21 <br> Oct <br> 2009 | 14:00 in W1.90 | Ira Didenkulova <br> (Tallinn Technical University, Estonia and University of Sheffield) | Analytical theory of long wave runup on a beach |
| Wed <br> 11 <br> Nov <br> 2009 | 14:00 in W1.90 | Roger Grimshaw (Loughborough) | The <br> transformation of solitary waves by background rotation |
| Wed <br> 18 <br> Nov <br> 2009 | 13:00 in W1.90 | Dirk Hennig (Portsmouth) | When it helps to be purely Hamiltonian: Acceleration of rare events |
| Wed 25 <br> Nov <br> 2009 | 14:00 in <br> W1.90 | Tatiana Talipova (Institute Applied Physics, Nizhny Novgorod) | Transformation of Large Amplitude Surface and Interfacial Solitary Waves at a Bottom Step |
| Wed 9 <br> Dec <br> 2009 | 14:00 in <br> W0.03 | Gavin Esler (UCL) | Dispersive dam breaks and lock exchanges in a two-layer fluid |


| Wed <br> 27 <br> Jan <br> 2010 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 14:00 in } \\ & \text { W1.90 } \end{aligned}$ | Bernard Deconinck (University of Washington, Seattle) | The instabilities of surface water waves |
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| Wed <br> 3 <br> Feb <br> 2010 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 14:00 in } \\ & \text { W005b } \end{aligned}$ | William Parnell (University Manchester) | How to tell austenite from your elbow: What homgenization can do for you ... |
| Wed <br> 10 <br> Feb <br> 2010 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 14:00 in } \\ & \text { W1.90 } \end{aligned}$ | Tanniemola Liverpool (Bristol) | Soft active matter - from microscopics to hydrodynamics |
| Wed <br> 24 <br> Feb <br> 2010 | $\begin{aligned} & 14: 00 \text { in } \\ & \text { W005a } \end{aligned}$ | A.S. Topolnikov (Ufa, Russia) | Amplification of pressure waves during their interaction with a bubbly liquid |
| Wed <br> 24 <br> Mar <br> 2010 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 14:00 in } \\ & \text { W005a } \end{aligned}$ | Vladimir Vladimirov (University York) | Motion of admixture in oscillating flows |
| Wed 5 <br> May <br> 2010 | $\begin{aligned} & 14: 00 \text { in } \\ & \text { W190 } \end{aligned}$ | B. Prinari (Colorado Springs, USA) | Inverse <br> Scattering <br> Transform for the <br> Multicomponent <br> Nonlinear <br> Schrodinger <br> Equations under <br> Non-Vanishing <br> Boundary <br> Conditions |
| Wed <br> 12 <br> May <br> 2010 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 14:00 in } \\ & \text { W1.90 } \end{aligned}$ | Vladimir Matveev (University Bourgogne, Dijon, France) | 30 years of Darboux transformation method for integrable PDEs |

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