Philadelphia Area Number Theory Seminar

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Arithmetic Quantum Unique Ergodicity for 3-dimensional hyperbolic manifolds

Abstract: The Quantum Unique Ergodicity conjecture of Rudnick and Sarnak says that eigenfunctions of the Laplacian on a compact manifold of negative curvature become equidistributed as the eigenvalue tends to infinity. In the talk I will discuss a recent work on this problem for arithmetic quotients of the three dimensional hyperbolic space. I will present a rather detailed proof of our key result that these eigenfunctions cannot concentrate on certain proper submanifolds. Joint work with Lior Silberman.

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Informal refreshments at 3PM – Talk at 3:30PM