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Mathematics Colloquium

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Title : *p -adic symmetric spaces*
Date & Time : *Thursday, 21 December, 2017 at 04.00 p.m.*
Venue : *Lecture Room (AG-69)*

Abstract

In his ICM talk in Nice in 70 Grothendieck asked what is the image of the p -adic analog of Griffith's period mapping as a subset of a flag variety? We now can give an answer by interpreting those period mappings in terms of modifications of vector bundles on the curve (a p -adic analog of Simpson's Twistor structures). I will explain a recent result obtained jointly with Miaofen Chen and Xu Shen that allows us to compute those period spaces in some particular cases. For example we can compute the p -adic period space for polarized $K3$ surfaces with supersingular reduction.

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