Agent based models (ABMs) provide flexible and powerful models that are useful in many application areas such as sociology, molecular dynamics, etc. However, ABMs often have a very large number of agents and as such are often very complex and difficult to handle. In this talk, Djurdjevac will show that we can instead present the dynamics of the system by (stochastic) partial differential equation (S)PDE.

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Abelian varieties, the higher-dimensional generalization of elliptic curves, are among the most widely studied objects in algebraic geometry since the 19th century and play a fundamental role in number theory. In this talk, Krämer will explain how they arise from the study of differential forms on irregular varieties, and then discuss some recent results that connect the topology and arithmetic of such varieties over number fields.

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