

Engaging the Community of ACM Mathematicians

July 25-26, 2017 ACM Office, Chicago, IL

Draft Agenda

Tuesday, July 25

Theme: Issues and developments in general education, service courses, and quantitative literacy

11:30 – 12:30 Plenary Talk by Karen Saxe

Karen Saxe is the DeWitt Wallace Professor of Mathematics at Macalester College; she is currently on leave to hold the position of Director of the Washington, D.C., Office of the AMS. She is the co-author of *A Common Vision for Undergraduate Mathematical Sciences Programs in 2025* (MAA 2015).

- 12:30 1:15 Lunch
- 1:30 2:30 Panel Discussion: Innovations and Developments in Entry-Level Mathematics Courses
- 2:45 3:45 Concurrent Discussions
 - 1. How is the calculus sequence being taught?
 - 2. How is entry level (and beyond?) statistics being taught?
- 4:00 5:00 Concurrent Discussions
 - 1. What are quantitative literacy requirements on our campuses, and how are general education courses being taught?
 - 2. How are schools dealing with remedial education?
- 5:00-5:30 Reports on concurrent sessions
- 5:30 Dinner out in small groups

Wednesday, July 26

Theme: Issues and developments in the major(s)

- 8:30 9:30 Panel Discussion: New Developments in the Mathematics Major
- 9:45 10:45 Concurrent Discussions
 - 1. How are we teaching sophomore and junior level mathematics courses?
 - 2. How are we dealing with undergraduate research and capstone experiences?
- 11:00 12:00 Concurrent Discussions
 - 1. How are we attracting students to the major?
 - 2. What opportunities are we providing for our students outside of our courses?
- 12:00 1:00 Lunch
- 1:00 2:00 Concurrent Discussions
 - 1. How is technology impacting the way we teach today?
 - 2. How are we assessing what we teach?
- 2:15-2:45 Reports on concurrent sessions
- 2:45-3:00 Discussion of opportunities for further collaboration, wrap-up.

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