BOSTON UNIVERSITY NUMBER THEORY SEMINAR

## Moduli of finite flat group schemes and local models

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**Abstract:** In Kisin's work on modularity lifting, he studies flat deformation rings using a certain moduli space of finite flat group schemes. In turn, the geometry of this space can be related to local models of Shimura varieties. We define a moduli space of finite flat group schemes with "additional structure" and relate it to a suitably generalized local model.