## BOSTON UNIVERSITY GEOMETRY AND PHYSICS SEMINAR

## THE MONSKY-WASHNITZER SITE

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March 28, 2018, 4:00 – 5:00pm Math/Computer Science, Room 148 111 Cummington Street, Boston

Tea: 3:45pm in Room 144

**Abstract:** Rigid cohomology defined by Berthelot agrees with the formal cohomology defined Monsky and Washnitzer for smooth affine varieites. Motivated by this, mimicking the convergent theory of Ogus, we define a site using weakly completed algebras. We show a certain sheaf cohomology of this site agrees with Berthelot's rigid cohomology

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