BOSTON UNIVERSITY GEOMETRY AND PHYSICS SEMINAR

THE FU-YAU EQUATION IN COMPLEX GEOMETRY

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Tea: 3:45pm in Room 144

Abstract: In 2008, J.X. Fu and S.T. Yau introduced a new fully nonlinear PDE on compact complex manifolds. The equation arises as a reduction of the Hull-Strominger system of theoretical physics in the special case of certain non-Kahler torus fibrations over a Calabi-Yau manifold. We will discuss recent developments in the study of this equation and its generalization to a family of fully nonlinear PDE without concave second order terms. This is joint work with D.H. Phong and X.-W. Zhang.

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