

# Undergraduate Math Colloquium

*Friday, January 18th 3:00-4:00pm*

*Durham Science Center Room 115*

## **On the Western Scientific Tradition and the Uniqueness of Computing Science**

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In the present day, the role of the university and the meanings of words such as science and engineering have become blurry. This has profound ramifications in many areas but of particular interest is in how we understand various fields of study. In this talk I present my views on the western scientific tradition, the distinction between science and engineering, and the nature uniqueness of computing science as a scientific discipline.



## Math Social with Pizza

*Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup> 2:00-3:00pm*

*Durham Science Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Foyer*

Please join the UNO Math Department for a math social with refreshments and pizza provided. Come and chat with other math enthusiasts. Ask the speaker questions about his hobbies, history, literature, philosophy, martial arts, and music.

*All are welcome to join!*