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Einladung zum Vortrag

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Dimension walks and Schoenberg spectral measures for isotropic random fields

Schoenberg (1938) showed how Bochner's basic representation theorem for positive definite functions (e.g. the correlation function of a stationary stochastic process) `simplifies' for spatial processes (d -dimensional random fields) which are isotropic: the standard Fourier kernel function is replaced by the characteristic function of a random direction in d -space and the spectral measure, instead of being on d -space, is on the positive half-line. The talk describes how Wendland's `dimension walks', which were defined earlier by Matheron as Descente and Montee in studying relations between d -D and either $(d+2)$ -D or $(d-2)$ -D correlation functions, are equivalent to simple modifications of their d -Schoenberg measures. Another family of dimension walks arises from projections from unit d -spheres to lower dimensional spheres, first via the kernel functions in the Schoenberg representation and then more generally, for d -Schoenberg measures.

Termin: **Donnerstag, 21. Juni 2012, 17 Uhr, c.t.**

Ort: **Universität Ulm, Helmholtzstr. 18, Raum 220**

Der Vortrag findet im Rahmen des Mathematischen Kolloquiums statt.
Interessenten sind herzlich eingeladen.

gez. V. Schmidt