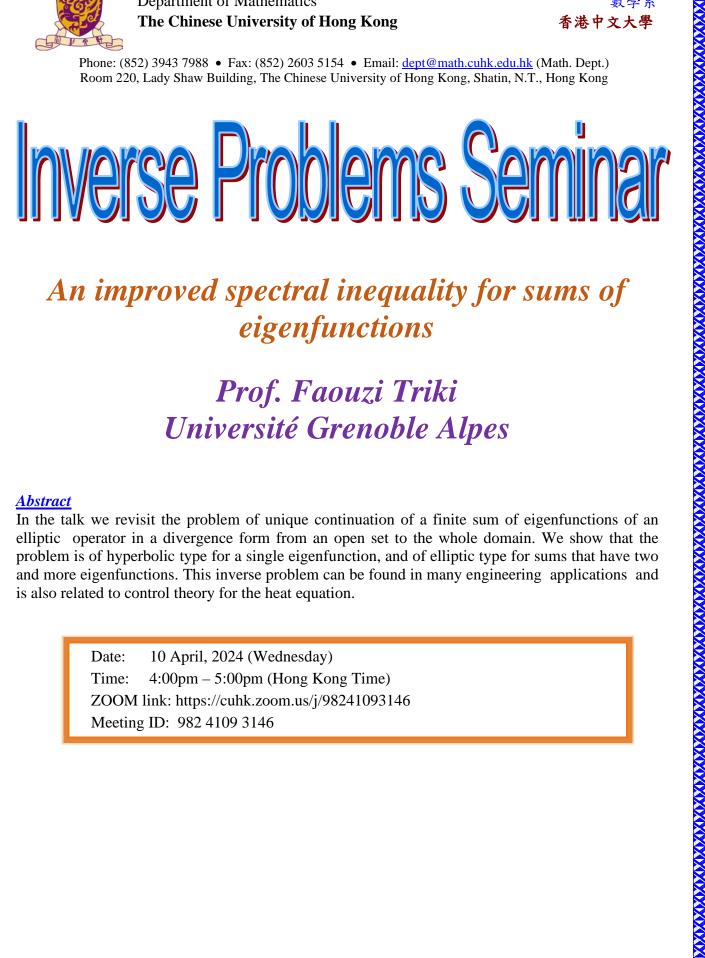


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An improved spectral inequality for sums of eigenfunctions

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Abstract

In the talk we revisit the problem of unique continuation of a finite sum of eigenfunctions of an elliptic operator in a divergence form from an open set to the whole domain. We show that the problem is of hyperbolic type for a single eigenfunction, and of elliptic type for sums that have two and more eigenfunctions. This inverse problem can be found in many engineering applications and is also related to control theory for the heat equation.

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