Spitalfields Day

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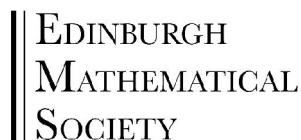
Friday 17 September 2010

Royal Society of Edinburgh, 22 George St, Edinburgh

11.00	Sir Michael Atiyah (Edinburgh) *The Hodge signature theorem past, present and future*
15.00	Friedrich Hirzebruch (Bonn) *125 years of the Schubert calculus*
16.00	Tea and coffee served
16.30	Andrew Ranicki (Edinburgh) *Aspects of quadratic forms in the work of Hirzebruch and Atiyah*

The Spitalfields Day celebrates the election in May 2010 of Professor Hirzebruch to an Honorary Fellowship of the Royal Society of Edinburgh. The meeting is supported by the LMS, the Edinburgh Mathematical Society, the Royal Society of Edinburgh and the International Centre for Mathematical Sciences.

These lectures are aimed at a general mathematical audience, and should be accessible to graduate students. All interested, whether LMS members or not, are most welcome to attend this event, but are asked to register beforehand. Further information is available on the website: **www.icms.org.uk/workshops/hirzebruch**

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