

Representations of current algebras, CFT characters, and quantum cluster algebras

Rinat Kedem^{*}

rinat@illinois.edu

I will explain how a particular type of quantum cluster algebra enters into the study of characters of graded tensor products, Demazure modules etc., dimensions of conformal blocks, and finally characters of Wess–Zumino–Witten conformal field theories. The integrable structure of the discrete evolution, after quantization, gives a relation of these characters with with generalized Toda equations and degenerate Macdonald polynomials.

This is joint work with P. Di Francesco.

^{*}Department of Mathematics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1409 W. Green Street MC-382, Urbana, IL 61801, USA.