



## SFB-Seminar im ZIB

### ZEIT:

1.7.2008, 16:00 Uhr - 19:00 Uhr

### ORT:

Konrad-Zuse-Zentrum für Informationstechnik Berlin  
Takustrasse 7  
14195 Berlin-Dahlem

### PROGRAMM:

16:00 - 17:00 **Dr. Evgeny Volkov (HU Berlin)**

#### **Symplectic cobordisms between stable Hamiltonian structures**

A stable Hamiltonian structure on a closed oriented

-manifold

is a pair

where

is a

-form and

is a nowhere zero closed

-form such that the relation

holds and

for some smooth function

on

. This generalizes the notion of a contact structure in the following sense: for a contact form

on

the pair

$\pm$

is a stable Hamiltonian structure. The notion of a symplectic cobordism between contact structures generalizes to the case of stable Hamiltonian structures in a straightforward way. The main concern of the talk is the problem of existence of a symplectic cobordism between two given stable Hamiltonian structures. We will illustrate this problem on concrete examples always looking back at

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the simpler case of contact structures.

17:00 - 17:30 Kaffeepause

17:30 - 18:30 **Prof. Dr. Klaus Mohnke (HU Berlin)**

### **Symplectic hypersurfaces and transversality in Gromov-Witten theory**

We present a new method to prove transversality for holomorphic curves in symplectic manifolds, and show how it leads to a definition of genus zero Gromov-Witten invariants. The main idea is to introduce additional marked points that are mapped to a symplectic hypersurface of high degree in order to stabilize the domains of holomorphic maps.

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