

Spring 2011 MATYCONN Meeting

Friday, May 6, 2011

Naugatuck Valley Community College
750 Chase Parkway, Waterbury, CT 06708

1:00 to 2:00 pm – **Registration, Publisher Exhibit**
Social Hour, Light Refreshments – T531

2:00 to 3:00 pm – **Business Meeting – T531**

3:15 to 4:15 pm – **Professor Fabiana Cardetti**
(room TBA) **Assistant Professor of Mathematics at UConn**

**“Enhancing
Mathematics
Teaching and
Learning: What
Students Have
Taught Us”**

Professor Cardetti will share results of an exploration conducted with her colleague, Joe McKenna, on the common learning experiences across many different sections of the same math course. The findings are based on students’ journal reflections kept during a full semester and collected over the last five years. She will share these findings and discuss recommendations for teaching practices that promote mathematics learning at the college level.

4:30 to 5:30 pm – **Professor Marcos Zyman**
(room TBA) **Assistant Professor of Mathematics at**
Borough of Manhattan Community College

**“Abstract
Algebra and
Nilpotent
Groups”**

Check out the following websites to learn about Marcos’s teaching and research interests.

<http://www1.bmcc.cuny.edu/faculty/fp.jsp?f=mzyman>

<http://socrates.bmcc.cuny.edu/math/mzyman/>

5:30 to 6:30 pm – Dinner – T531
garden salad, Chicken Francaise,
vegetable lasagna, string bean salad, and assorted desserts

Directions to Naugatuck Valley Community College
<http://www.nvcc.commnet.edu/About-NVCC/Maps-Directions>

MATYCONN Spring 2011 Meeting, 5/6/11, Registration Form

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