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## **MODEL THEORY SEMINAR**

**Guest Speaker: Sergei Starchenko University of Notre Dame** 

Date: Tuesday, November 28, 2017

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## Lecture Title:

On Elekes-Szabo Theorem for distal strongly minimal sets. (Joint with A.Chernikov)

Abstract

Let  $V \subseteq \mathbb{C}^3$  be an algebraic surface. Elekes and Szabo proved that either for all finite  $|A|, |B|, |C| \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  of size n the size of  $V \cap A \times B \times C$  is sub-quadratic (in n), or V is related to the graph of multiplication in an algebraic group, In this talk we generalize Elekes–Szabo Theorem to strongly minimal sets definable in distal structures.