

## ***LOGIC SEMINAR***

**Guest Speaker: Isabella Scott**  
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**Date:** Tuesday, April 4, 2023

**Time:** 2:00 PM

**Location:** 125 Hayes-Healy Hall

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***Lecture Title:***

**Effective constructions of existentially closed groups**

***Abstract***

Existentially closed groups were introduced by WR Scott in 1951 in analogue with algebraically closed fields. Since then, they have been further studied by Neumann, Macintyre, and Ziegler, who elucidated deep connections with model theory and computability theory. We review some of the literature on existentially closed groups and present new results that further refine these connections.