

A FOCUS on MATHEMATICS COLLOQUIUM

Curriculum Focal Points for Pre K-Grade 8: A Quest for Coherence

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This colloquium presents an overview of the **NCTM Curriculum Focal Points**, with particular attention to the rationale for their development, how they are being used, reactions to the Focal Points, and "next steps" NCTM may be considering. Professor Fennell will also discuss his role on the **National Math Panel** convened by President Bush.

Date: **January 18, 2007**

Place: **BOSTON UNIVERSITY**

Registration: **4:00 – 4:30**

8 St. Mary's Street

Colloquium: **4:30 – 5:30**

Photonics Center, Room 906

Roundtable Discussion & Reception: **5:30 – 7:30**

Colloquium begins promptly at 4:30

Limited Space: Please RSVP by January 3, 2007!

We must know ahead of time if you plan to attend in order to provide enough food and to reserve discounted parking!

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