

Mathematische Institute der WWU – Kolloquium Wilhelm Killing

Mp^c-structures, quantization and symplectic Dirac operators

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Symplectic spinors were introduced by Kostant for geometric quantization. To define his spinors, he needed a metaplectic structure, a notion which is topologically the same as admitting a spin structure. This rules out important examples of symplectic manifold such as *CP*². Dirac operators were defined in that context by Habermann. Rawnsley and Robinson showed how to use instead *Mp^c*-structures (the symplectic analogue of *Spin^c*) for which there is no obstruction. We shall recall what are those groups, how to construct and parametrize *Mp^c*-structures and define the corresponding Dirac operators.

Tee wird ab 16:00 Uhr im Sitzungszimmer SR o des Mathematischen Instituts serviert.



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