Probabilistic Operator Algebra Seminar

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Title: Infinitesimal Operators

We show that by introducing the concept of an infinitesimal operator we can generalize and strengthen results of Collins, Hasebe, Sakuma, Lenczewski and Male. An infinitesimal operator in a non-commutative probability space is one whose spectral measure is a Dirac mass at 0 but with a non-trivial infinitesimal law, for example a finite rank operator in a random matrix ensemble. When an infinitesimal operator is infinitesimally free from another operator the infinitesimal distribution of non-commutative polynomials in these operators is tractable. We demonstrate this with the commutator and anti commutator. This is joint work with Pei-Lun Tseng and the talk is based on arXiv:2308.02064.