## **Geometry and Topology Seminar**

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## Twisted Lie groups and classifying spaces.

Abstract:

Twisted loop groups are a class of infinite dimensional groups associated to automorphisms of Lie groups. In this lecture I will explain what they are and how to understand their classifying spaces. Along the way I will introduce some fundamental concepts in equivariant topology including the classifying space of a topological group(oid).