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In 2006, Kostant and Wallach constructed an integrable system on the  $n \times n$  complex matrices  $\mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{C})$  using a classical analogue of the Gelfand-Zeitlin subalgebra of the universal enveloping algebra. This integrable system can be viewed as a complexified version of the one studied by Guillemin and Sternberg on the  $n \times n$  Hermitian matrices, which is related to the classical Gelfand-Zeitlin basis via geometric quantization.

In this talk, we discuss joint work with Sam Evens in which we develop a geometric description of the fibres of the moment map for the complexified Gelfand-Zeitlin system studied by Kostant and Wallach. In particular, we show that the generic components of the nilfibre correspond to certain Borel subalgebras constructed using the theory of  $K = GL(n-1, \mathbb{C}) \times GL(1, \mathbb{C})$  orbits on the flag variety. We discuss our current work in describing all generic moment map fibres using an analogue of the Grothendieck resolution adapted to study the Gelfand-Zeitlin system. (Received September 20, 2010)