1086-VN-2184 John Portin* (jportin@linfield.edu), Alexander Sistko, Luke Naftz, Tyler Hays, Nino Barrett, Susan Rufai, Jennifer Firkins-Nordstrom and Chuck Dunn. The 1-relaxed game chromatic number of complete multipartite semi-Hamiltonian graphs.
For a finite graph $G$, a non-negative integer $d$ and a positive integer $k$, we define a game on $G$ played by two players, Alice and Bob, who alternately colors the uncolored vertices of $G$. In the $d$-relaxed game a color $\alpha$ is legal for the vertex $v$ if after $v$ is colored alpha, the subgraph induced by all of the $\alpha$ colored vertices has maximum degree at most $d$. Alice wins the game if every vertex in $G$ can eventually be colored. Otherwise, bob wins. The least $k$ such that Alice has a winning strategy is called the $d$-relaxed game chromatic number. The 0 -relaxed game chromatic number of complete multipartite graphs is known, and the 1-relaxed game chromatic number of complete multipartite graph is known for special graphs. We will show the 1-relaxed game chromatic number of complete multipartite semi-Hamiltonian graphs is $\lceil|G| / 2\rceil$ where $|G|$ is the size of the vertex set of $G$, and give criteria for determining whether a complete multipartite graph is semi-Hamiltonian. (Received September 25, 2012)

