1097-30-76 **Stephen J. Gardiner** (stephen.gardiner@ucd.ie), University College, Dublin, Ireland, and **Dima Khavinson*** (dkhavins@usf.edu), University of South Florida. *Boundary behaviour of universal power series.*

A power series that converges on the unit disc $\mathbb{D}$ is called *universal* if its partial sums approximate arbitrary polynomials on arbitrary compacta in $\mathbb{C}\setminus\mathbb{D}$ that have connected complement. In this talk we will show that such series grow strongly and possess a Picard-type property near each boundary point. (Received January 11, 2014)