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AMS Redesigns Website

The American Mathematical Society has launched a newly redesigned website. Based on input from the mathematics community, the new website implements many changes to help users find relevant information and complete their Web-based tasks more effectively. Some of the new features include:

- * Redesigned navigation that logically organizes the content
- * Breadcrumb navigation, a dynamic way to show a page's orientation in the website's hierarchy
- * "Personas" that users can select to see focused content
- * A clear, consistent page layout that features context-sensitive navigation, calendar, and news
- * Searchable FAQ and news
- * More social networking sharing options
- * The ability to translate pages into different languages

The new website is designed to ensure the best experience possible for users every time they are on the site. See the new site at www.ams.org.

—AMS announcement

From the AMS Public Awareness Office

2010 Mathematical Art Exhibition: A New Album on Mathematical Imagery.

The Mathematical Art Exhibition held at the 2010 Joint Mathematics Meetings in San Francisco included works in various media by sixty-four artists. Robert Fathauer was the curator of the exhibition, and the exhibition website was prepared by Anne Burns. The exhibition was juried by Fathauer and Burns, along with Nat Friedman and Reza Sarhangi. The 2010 Mathematical Art Exhibition Prizes were awarded. Four judges, selected by the American Mathematical Society and the Mathematical Association of America, made the following awards: first prize to Robert Bosch, for his work, "Embrace"; second prize to Harry Benke for "The Vase"; and third prize to Richard Werner for "Meditations". The Prize "for aesthetically pleasing works that combine mathematics and art" was established in 2008 through an endowment provided to the American Mathematical Society by an anonymous donor who wishes to acknowledge those whose works demonstrate the beauty and elegance of mathematics expressed in a



Robert Bosch's "Embrace", first prize winner, Mathematical Art Exhibition.

visual art form. The images in the album can be sent as e-postcards. View the album at <http://www.ams.org/mathimagery/thumbnails.php?album=27>.

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Deaths of AMS Members

V. I. ARNOL'D, professor, Steklov Institute of Mathematics, died on June 3, 2010. Born on June 12, 1937, he was a member of the Society for 22 years.

JEROME B. FREIER, professor, University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth, died on March 22, 1993. Born on May 6, 1916, he was a member of the Society for 43 years.

HUGUES LAPOINTE, student at the University of Montreal. He was a member of the society for 2 years.

LARS C. MEJLBO, professor, from Aarhus, Denmark, died on July 26, 1998. Born on February 10, 1931, he was a member of the Society for 39 years.

SANFORD L. SEGAL, professor, University of Rochester, died on May 7, 2010. Born on October 11, 1937, he was a member of the Society for 48 years.

MARY POWDERLY TONG, professor, from Oradell, New Jersey, died on May 23, 2010. Born on May 24, 1924, she was a member of the Society for 51 years.