## **SHAFIQUL ISLAM**, University of Prince Edward Island (UPEI) A General Piecewise Spline Maximum Entropy Method for Position Dependent Random Maps

Let  $\{\tau_1, \tau_2, \dots, \tau_K\}$  be a collection of nonsingular maps on [0, 1] into [0, 1] and  $\{p_1(x), p_2(x), \dots, p_K(x)\}$  be a collection of position dependent probabilities on [0, 1] into itself. We consider position dependent random maps  $T = \{\tau_1, \tau_2, \dots, \tau_K; p_1(x), p_2(x), \dots, p_K(x)\}$  such that T preserves a unique absolutely continuous invariant measure  $\mu^*$  with density  $f^*$ . In this talk, we describe a general piecewise spline maximum entropy method for the approximation of  $f^*$ . We present a proof of convergence of the general piecewise spline maximum entropy method for position dependent random maps. We also present numerical examples.