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August 2005: Congratulations to prizewinner in the Mathematics Department

Congratulations from the Department of Mathematics go to Shahin Namati -Nasab, who has been awarded the Cyril Offord Prize for his excellent academic achievements. The prize is awarded for outstanding performance in mathematics, and more details about it can be viewed [here](#).

Shahin achieved a remarkable 8 first-class marks out of 9, with a degree average of nearly 83%. His scores of 100% in ST102 and 93% in MA201, MA203, MA208 are particularly notable.

Shahin was also awarded the LSE-wide Huw Weldon Prize for his final year achievements.

The Department would like to congratulate Shahin and all of our finalists on their achievements and would like to wish them well in their future studies/careers.

August 2005: Congratulations to Mathematics Department Occasional Teacher Prize winners 2005: Mark Baltovic, David Cartwright and Luis Cereceda.

The Department of Mathematics would like to congratulate Mark Baltovic, Dr David Cartwright and Luis Cereceda on winning three of the School's Occasional Teacher Prizes 2005. These are awarded annually by LSE's Teaching and Learning Committee based on a number of factors, including the termly surveys of students' opinions of class teaching.

We would like to thank all our class teachers for their excellent work over the last year.

June 2005: Two new courses for the MSc Applicable Mathematics in 2005/6

The Department will have extra options on its MSc in the coming year, with two new courses being introduced: MA412 Functional Analysis and its Applications and MA413 Games of Incomplete Information.

May 2005: Congratulations to Maths PhD students Ben Veal & Rahul Savani

Congratulations to Rahul Savani and Ben Veal, PhD students in the Department of Mathematics at LSE, on their success in the Penn-Lehman Automated Trading Competition. After coming second in the preliminary competition last December they won the main competition earlier this month in dramatic fashion, beating all previous records & setting a new precedent in the process. They achieved an average daily profit over 20 times that of their nearest competitor, and more than

'Honourable Mention' for their 'spirited submission'. It was noted that their 'strategy also achieved perfect liquidation and positive Sharpe Ratio'. Well done Ben, Rahul and Raju.

December 2004: Congratulations Dr von Schemde

Congratulations to Arndt von Schemde on being awarded his PhD in Mathematics - Arndt was supervised by Bernhard von Stengel, and his thesis for examination was entitled 'A Geometric - Combinatorial Approach to Index and Stability in Bimatrix Games'. Well done Dr von Schemde!