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Dear Derek:

I am pleased to inform you that PIMS has approved your nomination for Prof. Jeff Rosenthal as a PIMS-SFU Distinguished Chair of year 2009.

PIMS will award \$5,000 for Prof. Rosenthal as a PIMS Distinguished Chair holder. Please contact the local PIMS administrator, Sandie Dielissen ([sandie@pims.math.ca](mailto:sandie@pims.math.ca)) at your earliest convenience to arrange for his visit.

Please note that the holder of the chair is expected to visit one of the PIMS universities for 3-4 weeks and give a series of lectures to receive the full value of this award. Notes from the Distinguished Chair's lectures are to be compiled, and the lectures videotaped. Videos and lecture notes will be made available to the entire PIMS community via the PIMS Streaming Video Archive. We also recommend a PIMS public lecture.

Best regards,



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