# Kieval Lecture 

## Friday, November 18, 2011

## Shapes Emerging from Subdivisions of Triangles

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There is a basic operation one can perform on a triangle, subdividing it into six smaller triangles. I will describe the shapes one sees when one starts with an equilateral triangle and subdivides repeatedly, and will discuss what is known about the process in other dimensions. I will show how this impacts algebra, geometry, and topology.


## 4:30 PM - Bache Auditorium - 228 Malott Hall

 Join us at 4:00 PM in 532 Malott Hall for refreshments before the talk.