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# Brown Bag Presentation

**Tuesday, April 12  
at 3:10 PM  
in Math 108**

***Reverse Brain Drain?  
Idiosyncrasies in International  
(Mathematics (Education))  
Doctoral Programs***

Professor Bharath Sriraman will briefly survey the nature of doctoral programs in (mathematics (education)) in the Nordic world (specifically in Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Finland) in comparison to programs in Germany and the Anglo-American sphere. In particular, differences in admittance requirements for students, course work expectations, and quality control of doctoral dissertations will be explained. The talk is based on Professor Sriraman's experience serving on doctoral committees, and/or (co)-supervised PhD students in the aforementioned countries. Interested undergraduates can avail of this opportunity to examine examples of dissertations from these countries, in addition to knowing options available for pursuing doctoral programs and professional advancement opportunities in countries outside the U.S.

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