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Bjorn Poonen Professor of Mathematics, University of California, Berkeley All are invited to attend the Talk Title: Elliptic curves Saturday, February 4, 2006 10:30-11:30 am Northrop Hall Room 122 (refreshments at 10am at the same place)