



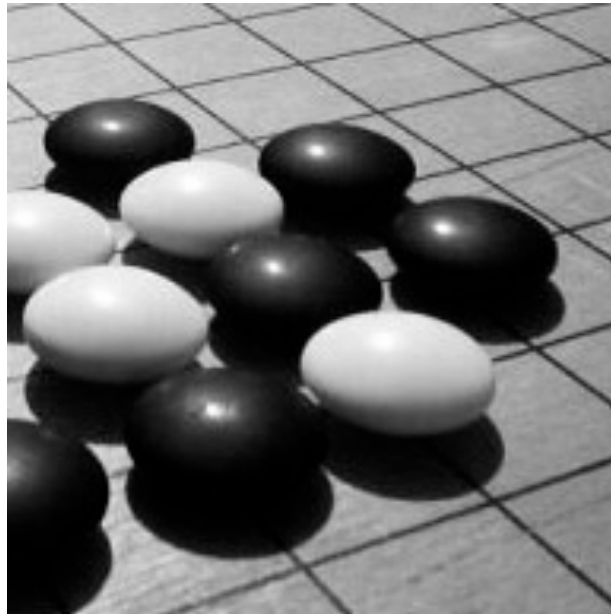
NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY

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Friday Afternoon Math Undergrad Seminar meets on Fridays at 3:00-4:00pm in Room 164 of the Adel Math Building. Refreshments are always served!!

How Computers Mastered the Game of Go Speaker: Jeffrey Covington (NAU)

Go is a 2000-year-old board game, known for its immense complexity. There are more than 40 million Go players worldwide. In March, Google shocked the Go-playing world by creating AlphaGo, a computer program that can defeat top professional players. How did Google accomplish this feat, which was previously thought to be decades away? The answer has major implications for artificial intelligence.



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