Intensive Courses & Workshop
PROBABILITY, STATISTICAL MECHANICS
September 1 – 12, 2008
University of Neuchâtel

- **INTENSIVE COURSES**  (September 1-10)
  - Béatrice de Tilière (University of Neuchâtel),
    “The Dimer model in Statistical Mechanics”.
  - Grégory Maillard (EPFL),
    “Infinite memory chains and Gibbs measures”.
  - Yvan Velenik (University of Geneva),
    “The Ising model”.
  - Intended towards doctoral students in any field of Mathematics, with a special interest in Probability.
  - Each course consists of 10 hours of lecture, and 5 hours of exercises.

- **WORKSHOP**  (September 11-12)
  List of speakers will follow
  - Consists of research seminars accessible to doctoral students in the field of Probability.
  - Also intended towards senior researchers in the field.

- **REGISTRATION**  (Deadline: May 15th)
  By email to beatrice.detiliere@unine.ch, stating name, university, year of doctoral studies, name of PhD advisor, field.

- **FUNDING and HOUSING**
  - There are pre-booked rooms available, at the rate of 50 CHF/night.
  - Funding is available for Swiss students. Students should contact the following Doctoral Schools:
    - Uni Ba-Be-Fr-Ge-Ne: Swiss Doctoral School of Math. Contact: beatrice.detiliere@unine.ch
    - EPFL: EPFL Doctoral school. Contact: gregory.maillard@epfl.ch
    - ETH - UniZh: Pro*Doc program stochastics. Contact: franziska.robmann@math.uzh.ch
  - Students from other countries should contact their own universities for funding.