

1077-17-1471      **Sam Evens\*** ([sevens@nd.edu](mailto:sevens@nd.edu)). *The Belkale-Kumar cup product.*

This talk is based on joint work with Bill Graham. I will explain how to interpret the Belkale-Kumar deformed cup product using deformations of Lie algebras. Time permitting, I will also discuss the Kac-Moody case. (Received September 19, 2011)