

# Regional Meeting of the National Math Alliance for Doctoral Studies in Math Sciences

## 2018 Gulf States Math Alliance Conference

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Tulane University Campus  
New Orleans, Louisiana

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University of Houston  
University of Texas - Rio Grande Valley  
Lamar University  
Tulane University

GS Math website by Mark Tomforde:  
<https://www.math.uh.edu/gsmath/>

### PROGRAM

Keynote lecture, panel discussions, graduate school fair, information sessions on bridge program, summer program/REU opportunities

### TOPICS

Mentoring students in the mathematical sciences, Graduate school; Increasing participation from underrepresented groups and underserved groups; Fostering networking among faculty and students

### Travel Support

Available to select teams consisting of students and a faculty mentor. Contact Dr. Martines, [martines@uiwtx.edu](mailto:martines@uiwtx.edu)

### ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

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