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Submission Information

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General SIGMAA Information

Full Name of SIGMAA **Math Circle for Students and Teachers**
 SIGMAA ACRONYM **MCST**
 Date of Approval of Initial Charter **January 2009**
 Official SIGMAA Website **<http://sigmaa.maa.org/mcst/>**
 Moderator of SIGMAA Community **Ed Keppelmann**

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Please describe any activities of your SIGMAA at MathFest or MAA section meetings.

We had a contributed paper session at MathFest 2025: We had 14 15-minute talks organized by: Cynthia Sanchez Tapia, California State University Dominguez Hills
 Alessandra Pantano, University of California Irvine
 David Crombecque, American Institute of Mathematics
 Tom Stojsavljevic, Beloit College
 Sayonita Ghosh Hajra, California State University, Sacramento
 Nick Rauh, Seattle Universal Math Museum
 Jeffrey Musyt, Slippery Rock University
 Lauren Rose, Bard College

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Please describe any activities of your SIGMAA outside of the MAA national or section meetings.

We had an AIM Special Session on Math Circles for Makers, Creators, and Artists at JMM 2025

in Seattle, WA, organized by

Nikolas Rauh, Seattle Universal Math Museum

Tom G. Stojsavljevic, Beloit College

Gabriella A. Pinter, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

Jeffrey Musyt, Slippery Rock University

A. Gwinn Royal, Ivy Tech Community College

Lauren L Rose, Bard College.

18 talks (20 min + 5min questions) were given and there was time in the sessions for networking. Several presenters also showed their activities in the Exhibit Hall at the AIM booth.

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Meetings of your SIGMAA Executive Committee/Board - Please indicate the process by which your SIGMAA officers met and/or did business, including frequency success of your process.

Business meeting was held at MathFest 2025;

Leadership communicates in online zoom meetings regularly, weekly at times when preparations are made for JMM or MathFest sessions, bi-weekly/monthly at other times;

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Please find your SIGMAA's tab on the spreadsheet linked here and list your SIGMAA officer information.

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Electronic SIGMAA Services - Please describe utilization of electronic services, such a e-mailing to the SIGMAA membership, web page development, MAA Connect activity, electronic newsletter, etc. Comment on the success of such activities or problems encountered.

We communicate the SIGMAA-MCST members through MAA-Connect.

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Other Benefits of SIGMAA Membership Provided - Please describe any services, other than electronic services, provided to your SIGMAA's membership. Examples might be hard copy mailings of welcome letters to new members, a mailed newsletter or journal, etc.

Communications are sent out about items that might be of interest to the Math Circle community, e.g., messages from the Math Circle Network.

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Finances - Please describe your major expenditures over the past year.

Student registration for MATHFest 2025.

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Successful Ideas to Share - Please describe one (or several!) of the most successful activities (events, services, etc.) of your SIGMAA that other SIGMAAs might adopt or emulate.

The MathFest workshop bringing together people showing hands-on activities that everybody could try was very successful.

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Respondent skipped this question

Please list any issues or concerns that arose that should be considered by the the Committee on SIGMAAs and MAA Communities team.
