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**The Putnam Undergraduate
Mathematical Competition**

December 2, 2006

If you enjoy the challenge of mathematical problems and international competition, this is for you.

On December 2, 2006, the 67th annual William Lowell Putnam Undergraduate Mathematical Competition will take place in 129 Hayes-Healy Hall. It is a written examination open to all undergraduates (not just math major).

It is an all day affair: the morning session runs from 10 am to 1 pm. The afternoon session runs from 3 pm to 6 pm. Free lunch will be provided. Approximately 3600 students will participate. Only students finishing in the top 500 will be publicly announced – this is considered a striking achievement. A finish among the top 100 gives long-term bragging rights!!

Participants describe the experience as both exciting and frustrating.

To learn the details about this year's competition, please contact Professor M. Gekhtman (HHH 128, gekhtman.1@nd.edu).