

# Van Eenam Lecture Series

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## H. Mete Soner

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### Mean Field Games and Kuramoto Synchronization

TUES., NOV. 14, 2023 | 4:00 PM | 1360 EH

### Computing Free Boundaries by Neural Networks and Simulations

WED., NOV. 15, 2023 | 4:00 PM | 1360 EH

### Eikonal Equations on Wasserstein Spaces

THURS., NOV. 16, 2023 | 3:30 PM | 4448 EH

#### Speaker Bio:

H. Mete Soner is the Professor of Operations Research and Financial Engineering at Princeton University working on decisions under uncertainty, and on related problems in stochastic optimal control, Markov decision processes, nonlinear partial differential equations, probability theory, mathematical finance and financial economics. Currently he is interested in modern computational approaches to high dimensional stochastic optimal control and mean-field (or McKean-Vlasov) stochastic optimal control. He has co-authored a book, with Wendell Fleming, on viscosity solutions and stochastic control, and authored or co-authored several articles on nonlinear partial differential equations, viscosity solutions, stochastic optimal control and mathematical finance. He holds a PhD from Brown University in Applied Mathematics, and has taught in Carnegie Mellon, ETH (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology) at Zürich, and in Istanbul.

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