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# LABYRINTH DAY

Faculty of Mathematics and  
Physics (MFF)

**Charles University**

MALOSTRANSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ 25 PRAHA 1  
**ROOM S4 (3RD FLOOR)**

We have the pleasure to invite  
you to a special mathematical day  
to celebrate **Pierre Rosenstiehl**  
on his **80th** birthday.

This day is organized jointly by DIMATIA, IUUK, the joint European Laboratory  
STRUÇO, and it is supported also by grant LL1201 Cores.

The programme will feature also lectures by **Robert Cori**, founder  
and director of **LaBRI** (Bordeaux), **Patrice Ossona de Mendez**, a  
close collaborator of Pierre Rosenstiehl and his colleague at **EHESS**,  
as well as a lecture by **Jaroslav Nešetřil**, with whom Pierre  
Rosenstiehl shares love for Art.

## Why labyrinth?

Labyrinths are a longstanding interest of Pierre Rosenstiehl, which  
evolved in his book “**Le labyrinthe des jours ordinaires**” published  
by a prestigious Parisian publisher **Le Seuil** (2013).

The lectures are devoted to broad mathematical and computer  
science audience, but also to people interested in design,  
architecture and philosophy of science in general.

## Program

10:00 – 10:50	<b>Patrice Ossona de Mendez</b> <i>Coding a map.</i>
11:00 – 11:50	<b>Robert Cori</b> <i>Riemann Roch theorem for Complete Graphs and Dyck words.</i>
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch
14:00 – 14:50	<b>Jaroslav Nešetřil</b> <i>Beyond Art: Mathematics?</i>
15:00 – 15:10	(In the way of introduction)
15.10 – 16:00	<b>Pierre Rosenstiehl</b> <i>What is a labyrinthine curve? From the Minoans to present days</i>

Note that on this occasion DIMATIA centre publishes a volume  
dedicated to **Claude Berge**, which contains, among other things, a  
tribute to Claude Berge by his fellow **Oulipean** Pierre Rosenstiehl.