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# Geometry and Group Theory

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*On Sunday, November, 13 2016*

*At 14:30 – 15:30*

*In 101-*

Yair Glasner (BGU)

will talk about

**An organizational meeting for this new seminar.  
URS and  $C^*$ -simple groups .**

Abstract: This will be an organizational meeting for this new seminar. Please bring or send your time constraints.

Time permitting I will also give a short survey talk: Uniformly recurrent subgroups and groups with a trivial amenable radical that fail to be  $C^*$ -simple. In this I will describe the new construction by Adrien Le-boudec of such groups, following the criterion for  $C^*$ -simplicity by Kalantar-Kennedy.