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*Some Recent Applications of Association Schemes*

Association schemes are families of regular graphs that possess remarkable spectral properties. Born from design and coding theory, their impact on this area has been profound, but in recent years they have also found utility beyond their *raison d'être*. In this talk, we give a brief overview of such recent applications of association schemes to other areas of discrete mathematics. In particular, we survey a few recent results in extremal combinatorics and theoretical computer science that have been obtained through the theory of association schemes, with an emphasis on the latter.