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## **El Camino College Math Team Places in Top 10 in Nation**

The El Camino College math team recently came in seventh place out of 191 community colleges in round one of the national 2010-11 AMATYC Student Math League Contest. The AMATYC (American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges) competition is the only national math contest devoted solely to community colleges.

The El Camino College team's seventh place finish equaled its previous best finish back in the fall of 2006; however, the team point total set a college record at 134.0 points, which is comprised of the top five scores at ECC.

The college's top scorer at the event was Huijing Gong with 29.5 points – the first time a female was the top scorer for ECC. The other top scorers include: Ting Fung Lam, 27.5 points; Hong Lee, 27.5 points; Mai Pham, 25.5 points; and Myungin Kim, 24.0 points. The second round is scheduled for March 4.

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