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**Agbolade Olakunle Akande\*** ([agbolade.akande@uga.edu](mailto:agbolade.akande@uga.edu)). *Generalization of Euler's recurrence of the partition function and other recursive formulas for partition-based functions.*

Euler introduced the recursive formula for the partition function,  $p(n)$ :

$$p(n) = p(n - 1) + p(n - 2) - p(n - 5) - p(n - 7) + \dots$$

In this talk, we will prove a generalization of this recurrence: we will give a family of functions  $h_{r,l}(n)$  defined on a subset  $N$  of  $\mathbb{N}$ , where  $h_{r,l}(n) = p(n)$  in  $N$ , and then investigate what occurs as  $l \rightarrow \infty$ . Also using generating functions, similar to Euler's recurrence, other recurrence can be produced for other partition-based functions, for example, a recursive formula for the number of partition with distinct parts. (Received August 18, 2020)