

ATP Newsletter, September 2013

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Staff news

1-14 David Hobbs is on paternity leave and will gradually return to work later in September.

Seminars

See <http://www.astro.lu.se/Seminars/> and <http://particle.thep.lu.se/Seminars/>

Visitors

4-6 Uwe Lammers (ESAC, Madrid) visits the Gaia group in Lund
5-6 Hassan Siddiqui (ESAC, Madrid) visits Lennart Lindegren
8-13 Scott Tremaine (Institute for Advanced Studies, Princeton) visits Lund Observatory
18-20 Sundar Srinivasan (National Taiwan University) visits Greg Ruchti/Spop group
22-27 Melissa Ness (MPIA, Heidelberg) visits Sofia Feltzing and Thomas Bensby
30-5/10 Alexey Butkevich (Technical University, Dresden) visits the Gaia group in Lund

Absences, trips and other travel

1-4 Torbjörn Sjöstrand lectures at the CERN-Fermilab HCP Summer School at CERN
2-6 Cheng Liu attends the GREAT-INT school in Tenerife, Spain
2-6 Gösta Gustafson participates in the workshop QCD@LHC in Hamburg
3-6 Leif Lönnblad attends QCD@LHC in Hamburg
3-6 Johan Bijnens participates in the Swedish Research Council, committee Bg3
8-13 Sofia Feltzing attends LSST@Europe: the Path to Science, IoA, Cambridge, UK
9-13 Roman Pasechnik attends the 15th conference on Elastic and Diffractive scattering (EDS BLOIS 2013) at Saariselkä, Finland
11 Dainis Dravins attends a ceremony with the European Physical Society to inaugurate the Tycho Brahe site on Ven as an EPS historic site
15-21 Thomas Bensby at the Chemical evolution in the Universe: the next 30 years conference in Castiglione della Pescaia, Italy
15-21 Torbjörn Sjöstrand participates in XLIII International Symposium on Multiparticle Dynamics, Chicago
16-27 Melvyn B. Davies attends a meeting on Stellar dynamics and growth of massive black holes in Andalusia, Spain
17-18 Anders Johansen and Daniel Carrera visit collaborators at Leicester University
18-19 Dainis Dravins visits Onsala Space Observatory.
19 Anders Johansen external examiner at PhD defense (viva) at University of Edinburgh
22-24 Dainis Dravins gives invited talk at Optical interferometry colloquium, Haute-Provence, Observatory, France
25-27 Dainis Dravins attends the Cherenkov Telescope Array consortium meeting, Warsaw

Important dates and events

2	Semester starts
2	Källén Symposium on the Higgs discovery (home.thep.lu.se/GKS/)
6	Barbecue for new Master's students in the astronomy building courtyard
11	(Ir)regular Wednesday meeting for ATP
12	Källén Seminar for Breakthrough Discoveries by Scott Tremaine at 14:15 in Lundmarkskalen
16	IGU
18	Departmental board meeting
21	Culture night (Kulturnatten)
30	ESO observing proposal deadline

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