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Staff news

Pieter Gruyters starts as a postdoc. He will mainly work with Sofia Feltzing and Thomas Bensby and will be involved in our work on the PLATO mission.
Louise Howes starts as a postdoc. She will work with Sofia Feltzing, Ross Church, Thomas Bensby and Paul McMillan on chemodynamical projects.
Chen Fanyao starts as a PhD student, supervised by Ross Church and David Hobbs.
Giorgi Kokaia has already begun as a PhD student, supervised by Melvyn B. Davies and Alex Mustill.
Simona Pirani starts as a PhD student, supervised by Anders Johansen and Alex Mustill.
Joel Oredsson starts as a PhD student, supervised by Johan Rathsman.

Seminars


Visitors

1-14 Ted Gull (GSFC/NASA) visits atomic astrophysics and gives a seminar.
28-2/10 Xue-Ning Bai (Harvard) visits astronomy, hosts: Chao-Chin Yang and Anders Johansen
28-2/10 Luca Borsato (Padua) visits astronomy, host: Melvyn B. Davies
Absences, trips and other travel

31/8-3 Lennart Lindegren attends an excursion to Svalbard
1-4 Christian Bierlich, Ilkka Helenius, Leif Lönnblad, Christine Rasmussen and Malin Sjödahl attend the MCnet school in Spa, Belgium. Leif Lönnblad and Malin Sjödahl give lectures
1-5 Gösta Gustafson attends the Low-x Meeting 2015 in Sandomierz, Poland
2-3 Sofia Feltzing attends a planning meeting at ESO, Garching, Germany
4-11 Bertram Bitsch visits the Laboratoire d’Astrophysique de Bordeaux for working with S. Raymond and to give a seminar talk
7-9 Thomas Bensby visits MPIA, Heidelberg
7-11 Sofia Feltzing attends the workshop Science with MOS: Towards the E-ELT era, Cefalu, Sicily
7-11 Victor Goncalves attends the 6th edition of the International Conference on the Physics Opportunities at an Electron-Ion Collider- POETIC VI in Paris
8 Anders Johansen attends the Annual Meeting of Wallenberg Academy Fellows, Stockholm
9-13 Johan Bijnens attends the workshop on Flavour changing and conserving processes in Anacapri, Italy and gives a talk
15-17 Sofia Feltzing is part of the interview panel for Wallenberg Academy Fellows, KVA, Stockholm
17-18 Melvyn B. Davies attends the CHEOPS Science Team Meeting in Zurich
16-18 Dainis Dravins at the CTA (Cherenkov Telescope Array) consortium meeting in Liverpool
21 Anders Johansen in PhD defense committee at University of Franche-Comté in Besancon, France
23-25 Leif Lönnblad attends the MCnet network meeting at CERN
25-6/10 Caroline Unmack on vacation
28-2/10 Sofia Feltzing, Thomas Bensby, Louise Howes, Greg Ruchti and Paul McMillan attend the All-hands meeting for 4MOST, IoA, Cambridge
27-5/10 Johan Bijnens attends the workshop on Intersections of BSM Phenomenology and QCD for New Physics Searches at INT Seattle, USA and gives a talk.

Important dates, seminars and events

9 ATP talk by Alexander Mustill in Lundmarksalen at 15.15
16 Malin Sjödahl gives her Docent lecture in lecture hall F, 15.15
16-18 NBODY code development meeting in astronomy, general science talks on 16th in Lundmarksalen
18 Department board meeting
19 Kulturnatten, The Culture Night

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