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Have a nice summer!



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Interview with Jens Bardarson

We talked with Jens Bardarson, Department of Physics, who has recently been promoted to professor of theoretical physics.

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Project on Patterns in Random Tilings

Maurice Duits was awarded a five-year grant for the project Patterns in Random Tilings with a total budget of 10 MSEK. We met Maurice to talk about the project and his future plans.

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Participate in a stress management programme

Are you ready to invest in a personal change to prevent stress? Together with the trade unions, KTH offers a pilot project to improve well-being. Behind the program are leading Swedish and international stress researchers from Karolinska Institutet and the Stress Research Institute.

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Gunnar Tibert talks about the teaching situation in the fall

Gunnar Tibert, Deputy Head of School and Director of First and Second Cycle Education at the SCI, discusses the current plan for the autumn term.

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KTH improves its position in the QS Top 100

For the third consecutive year, KTH has been named a top 100 university in the QS World University Rankings. In its announcement, QS ranked KTH 89th—nine places higher than the university's ranking in 2020.

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SCI PhD Student Council

The council wishes you a happy summer! We hope to see many of you in person at our events in the autumn. Any ideas or events you would like to see organised? Any work-related issues we should prioritize? Just shoot us an email on [sci-council@dr.kth.se!](mailto:sci-council@dr.kth.se)

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We congratulate

Jens Bardarson, Department of Physics, has been promoted to professor of theoretical physics.

Jean-Marie Le Corre (Westinghouse Electrics Sweden AB) has been reappointed as affiliated faculty at the Physics Department.

Oskars Ozolins, Department of Applied Physics, has been appointed as Docent in physics with specialisation in optical communication.

Recent doctoral graduates

Oliver Fleetwood

Applied Physics

New approaches to data-driven analysis and enhanced sampling simulations of G protein-coupled receptors

Dennis Alp

Physics

An X-Ray View of Core-collapse Supernovae

Oliver Gäfvert

Mathematics

Topological and geometrical methods in data analysis

Karl Olofsson

Applied Physics

Acoustic manipulation for cell and spheroid cellomics

Carl Ringqvist

Applied and Computational Mathematics

Topics on Generative Models in Machine Learning

Xiaoyu Liu

Physics

Experimental Studies of the Neutron Deficient Atomic Nuclei ^{88}Ru and ^{87}Tc , and the Diagonalization of the General Pairing Hamiltonian



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Samuel Fromm

Mathematics

The defocusing nonlinear Schrödinger equation with step-like oscillatory data

Özge Aktas

Physics

Gamma-ray Spectroscopy of Neutron-rich ^{111}Mo , $^{85,87}\text{Ge}$ and Self Conjugate ^{88}Ru Far From Stability

Miguel Beneitez Galan

Engineering Mechanics

Nonlinear dynamics in transitional wall-bounded flows

Hossein Shariati

Solid Mechanics

Mechanical modelling of granite subjected to indentation loading

Sahar Akbarpour

Aerospace Engineering

Enhanced composite joint performance through interlacement of metal inserts

Marco Atzori

Engineering Mechanics

Coherent structures and control in wall-bounded turbulent flows

Luca De Vincentiis

Engineering Mechanics

Numerical studies of receptivity, stability and transition of wing and turbine blade boundary layers

Recent licentiate exam

Hanna Hultin

Applied and Computational Mathematics

Generative models of limit order books