

# ATP Newsletter, March 2019

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## Staff news

- Mandana Shahroodi has leave of absence for six months to work as a financial officer at Malmö University
- 1 Louise Howes starts a new job as research coordinator at the Department of Chemistry
- 4 Noemi Schaffer goes on parental leave
- 8 Dominic Ford moves to Cambridge, UK to work on the data reduction pipeline for PLATO
- 16 Rikkert Frederix starts as a senior university lecturer in Theoretical Physics

## Regular seminar schedules

Astronomy – <http://www.astro.lu.se/Seminars/>

THEP – <http://particle.thep.lu.se/Seminars/>

CBBP – [http://cbbp.thep.lu.se/~carl/internal/group\\_meetings.html](http://cbbp.thep.lu.se/~carl/internal/group_meetings.html)

## Additional talks and seminars

- 13 ATP talk by Joel Oredsson, 15.15, Lundmarksalen
- 18 COMPUTE seminar by Andrew Winters in Lundmarksalen
- 26 Joint COMPUTE/AIML seminar by Cotas Bekas (IBM) in Lundmarksalen

## Visitors

- 1-31/8 Vardan Elbakyan (Southern Federal University) visits astronomy (host: Anders Johansen), funded by the Swedish Institute Visby Programme
- 4-15 Klemen Čotar visits Gregor Traven, talks at SPOP on 5th
- 4-29 Urs Schäfer (PhD student at Hamburg University) visits astronomy (host: Anders Johansen)

## Important dates and events

- 8 COMPUTE winter meeting, Lundmarksalen
- 27 Departmental meeting, 15.00, Lundmarksalen

## Absences, trips and other travel

1-31	Dainis Dravins works as a scientific visitor at ESO, Santiago de Chile, gives seminars etc.
5-7	Lennart Lindegren and David Hobbs will attend a Gaia calibration meeting in Madrid (ESAC)
7	Sofia Feltzing speaks at an event in the European Parliament organised by EAS and ESA
11-15	Nils Ryde gives an invited talk at the 'MOSAIC 2019' conference in Heidelberg
11	Anders Johansen attends an all-day leadership course
11	Sofia Feltzing attends meeting with expertgruppen för forskningsfusk vid överklagandenämnden för etik prövning
12-15	Melvyn B. Davies attends CHEOPS Science Team meeting in Berlin
13	Paul McMillan acts as committee member for the PhD defence of Andrea Chappo, Stockholm
14	Sofia Feltzing attends meeting at KVA, Stockholm
14-15	Alex Mustill, David Hobbs and Ross Church attend SRS meeting, Chalmers
18-20	Gregor Traven attends 4MOST observation algorithm hack week in Garching
18-21	Anders Johansen, Thomas Ronnet, Beibei Liu, Michiel Lambrechts, Sebastian Lorek, Matthäus Schulik, Simona Pirani, Linn Eriksson attend joint Lund-Copenhagen-Nice planet formation workshop in Frejus, France
20-22	Bo Söderberg attends Wallenbergs Fysiktävling in Gothenburg
21	Sofia Feltzing attends Call for Proposal Readiness Review for 4MOST at ESO, Garching
25-26	Ross Church attends Rymdforum, Trollhättan, and participates in a panel discussion
26-28	Paul McMillan attends the Oxford Gaia sprint
28	Sofia Feltzing attends a meeting with chairmen for national committees at KVA, Stockholm
31	Sofia Feltzing attends the 'Årshögtid' at KVA, Stockholm

Editor: Ross Church ([ross@astro.lu.se](mailto:ross@astro.lu.se)). Deadline: 17.00 on the last day of the previous month.