Monthly Newsletter for the Department of Astronomy and Theoretical Physics, January 2011

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Staff News

Visitors:

- 10 15 Hugh Jones from University of Hertfordshire is visiting Richard Blackwell-Whitehead, Henrik Hartman and Hampus Nilsson to carry out laboratory measurements for cool dwarf star applications.
- 24 28 Frank Grundahl (Aarhus) visiting Hampus Nilsson for laboratory measurements.

Absences/Trips by Staff of the Department

- 2-5 Sofia Feltzing and Melvyn Davies observing with the INT on La Palma.
- Dainis Dravins & Henrik Hartman visit the Mars Simulation Laboratory in Århus.
- 17-19 Sofia Feltzing attends the ESA-AWG meeting for initial selection of M₃ missions.
- 20 21 Melvyn B. Davies attending a meeting in Brussels.

Important dates and Events

At 10.30 in the Lunds Observatory's foyer there will be a poster presentation for the course Galaxies and Cosmology (third year undergraduate course), an audience is much appreciated.

Other News

David Hobbs and Lennart Lindegren have received funding from the Swedish National Space Board for a new doctoral student to work on Fundamental Physics with Gaia. The position will be advertised in the coming weeks.