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Digitalize in Sthlm '25 Explores the Era of "AI Everywhere" Stockholm

What happens when autonomous systems begin to act, learn, and decide alongside us? This question shaped the discussions at Digitalize in Sthlm '25, held on 11 November at Münchenbryggeriet under the theme "AI Everywhere – Exploring the Challenges, Risks, and Opportunities of Autonomous Systems."

Hosted by Digital Futures, the annual conference gathered leading researchers, policymakers, and industry pioneers to explore how artificial intelligence can help build a sustainable, inclusive, and innovative digital society. With almost 700 participants onsite, the event once again positioned Stockholm at the heart of the European conversation on responsible technology.

Recordings of the keynote talks and panel discussions are published on the Digital Futures YouTube...

Digitalize in Sthlm '25



Bridging High-Performance Computing and AI: Insights from Professor Allen D. Malony

Professor Allen D. Malony, Scholar in Residence at Digital Futures (1 September 2025 – 28 January 2026), is a leading researcher in high-performance computing (HPC), parallel performance analysis, and scientific software engineering. A professor at the University of Oregon in the Department of Computer Science and Director of the Oregon Advanced Computing Institute for Science and Society (OACISS), he has spent his career advancing tools and methods that help scientists make the most of modern supercomputers.

In this interview, Professor Malony shares his thoughts on the evolution of supercomputing, the convergence of HPC and AI, and the role of computation in amplifying human creativity and knowledge...

Insights from Allen D. Malony



Future Digileaders '25 brings global early-career researchers to Stockholm

Twenty-three early-career researchers from 11 countries gathered in Stockholm for Future Digileaders '25, an intensive three-day program designed to support the next generation of leaders in digitalization research.

Held as part of the annual Digitalize in Stockholm 2025 conference, the event combined a career workshop, networking opportunities, mentorship, and discussions on how to build responsible and inclusive research leadership for the digital age...

Future Digileaders '25



Researcher Anna Furberg featured in Ellevio podcast on AI, data centers, and the energy system – now on Spotify!

Digital Futures researcher Anna Furberg contributes her expertise as a researcher at KTH focusing on the environmental impacts of digitalization. Her work, including the Digital Futures Industrial Postdoc project Environmental impacts of digitalization based on life-cycle assessment, examines how digital technologies influence sustainability across sectors...

Furberg featured in Podcast on Spotify



New members appointed to the Digital Futures Strategic Research Committee

Digital Futures welcomes four new members to its Strategic Research Committee (SRC), the group responsible for shaping the organization's long-term research strategy, identifying emerging research areas, prioritizing project calls, and supporting initiatives that strengthen collaboration across the research community.

New SRC Members

- Stanley Greenstein – Associate Professor, Stockholm University
- Arvind Kumar – Associate Professor, KTH; Chair, Rich and Healthy Life Working Group
- Olga Viberg – Associate Professor, KTH; Chair, Educational Transformation Working Group
- Kathlén Kohn – Associate Professor, KTH; Chair, Learn Working Group

The committee is chaired by Pawel Herman, Associate Director of Strategic Research at Digital Futures...

New members appointed to SRC

Open calls

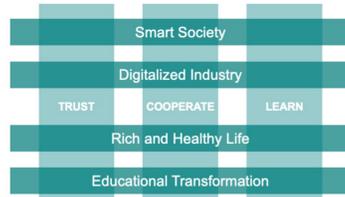
Digital Futures provides funding for research projects that drive innovation and create impact. [More on upcoming calls here!](#)



Open calls for Mobility

- **Open call:** Scholar-in-Residence programme. Applications every three months. Next deadline 2 March 2026.

Open calls for mobility



More Open calls!

- **Call for nominations:** KTH-UC Berkeley Summer Research Exchange Programme. Deadline 1 December 2025
- **Call for Seed Funding Proposals:** Strengthening French – Swedish AI Collaboration. Deadline 5 December 2025.
- **Open call:** ISPP Postdoc Projects. NEW Deadline 8 December 2025.
- **Open call:** Societal Innovation Projects. NEW Deadline 8 December 2025.
- **Open call:** Industrial Innovation Projects. NEW Deadline 8 December 2025.
- **Call for nominations:** KTH-UC Berkeley – PhD Exchange Programme. Deadline 9 December 2025.
- **Open call:** ISPP Mobility Grants. Applications accepted on a rolling basis.
- **Open call:** For Support Funding for ERC grants. Reoccurring call until 10 granted applications.

All Open Calls announced by Digital Futures

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