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Digital Futures launches Innovation Tuesday

As part of Digital Futures' Innovation Programme, we are launching Innovation Tuesday at Digital Futures hub – a series of interactive mini workshops exploring topics in innovation and entrepreneurship. The workshops will take place from 15:00 to 17:00 on the first Tuesday of every month, starting in September.

Upcoming workshops: 1 September, 6 October, 3 November and 1 December.

Innovation Tuesday



Digital Futures Postdoc Fellow receives Three Awards at ACM DIS 2026

Digital Futures Postdoctoral Fellow Alejandra Gomez Ortega has received recognition for three publications at the ACM Designing Interactive Systems (DIS) 2026 Conference, held in Singapore on 13–17 June 2026. DIS is one of the leading international venues for research in human-computer interaction and interaction design...

Three Awards at ACM DIS 2026



Digital Futures Summer Research Internship Programme 2026 kicks off with 86 students

The kick-off event, held at the Digital Futures hub at KTH, introduced the participants to the vision and activities of Digital Futures and gave them the opportunity to meet fellow interns, researchers and programme organisers.

This year's programme includes a range of academic and networking activities, such as panel discussions on research careers in academia and industry, workshops, and visits to leading industrial partners including Hitachi Energy, Ericsson, Traton (Scania) and AstraZeneca.

The programme will conclude on 28 August with the annual Summer Research Internship Poster Session, where the students will present the results of their summer projects to the wider Digital Futures community...

Summer Research Internship Programme

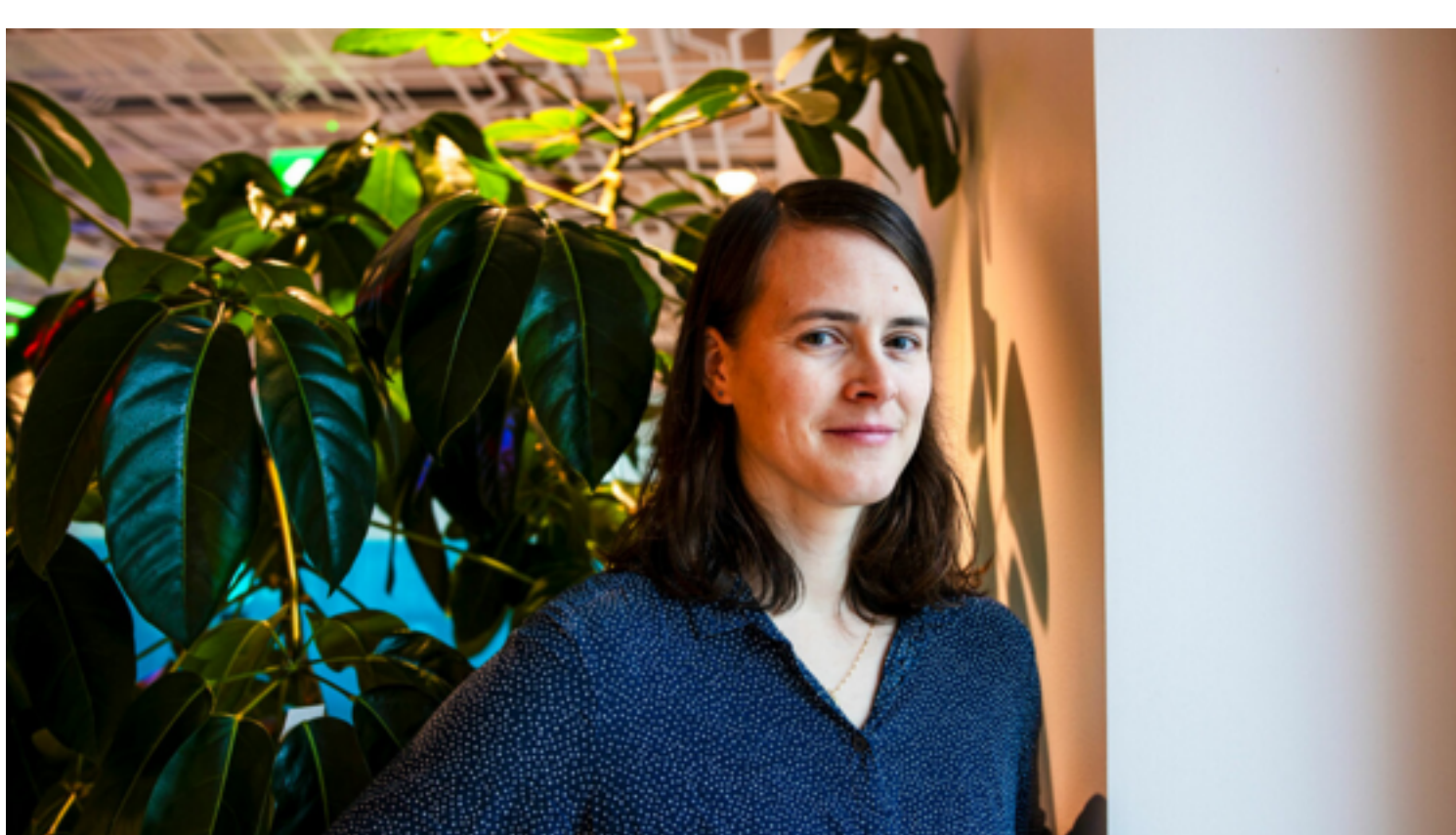


Digital Futures awards funding to 12 new International Postdoctoral projects

The initiative aims to strengthen cutting-edge digitalisation research through international talent recruitment and cross-disciplinary collaboration.

The 2026 call attracted exceptional interest, with 160 applications submitted from around the world. Following a rigorous evaluation process, 79 candidates received two nominations and were assessed and the 12 highest-ranked projects were approved...

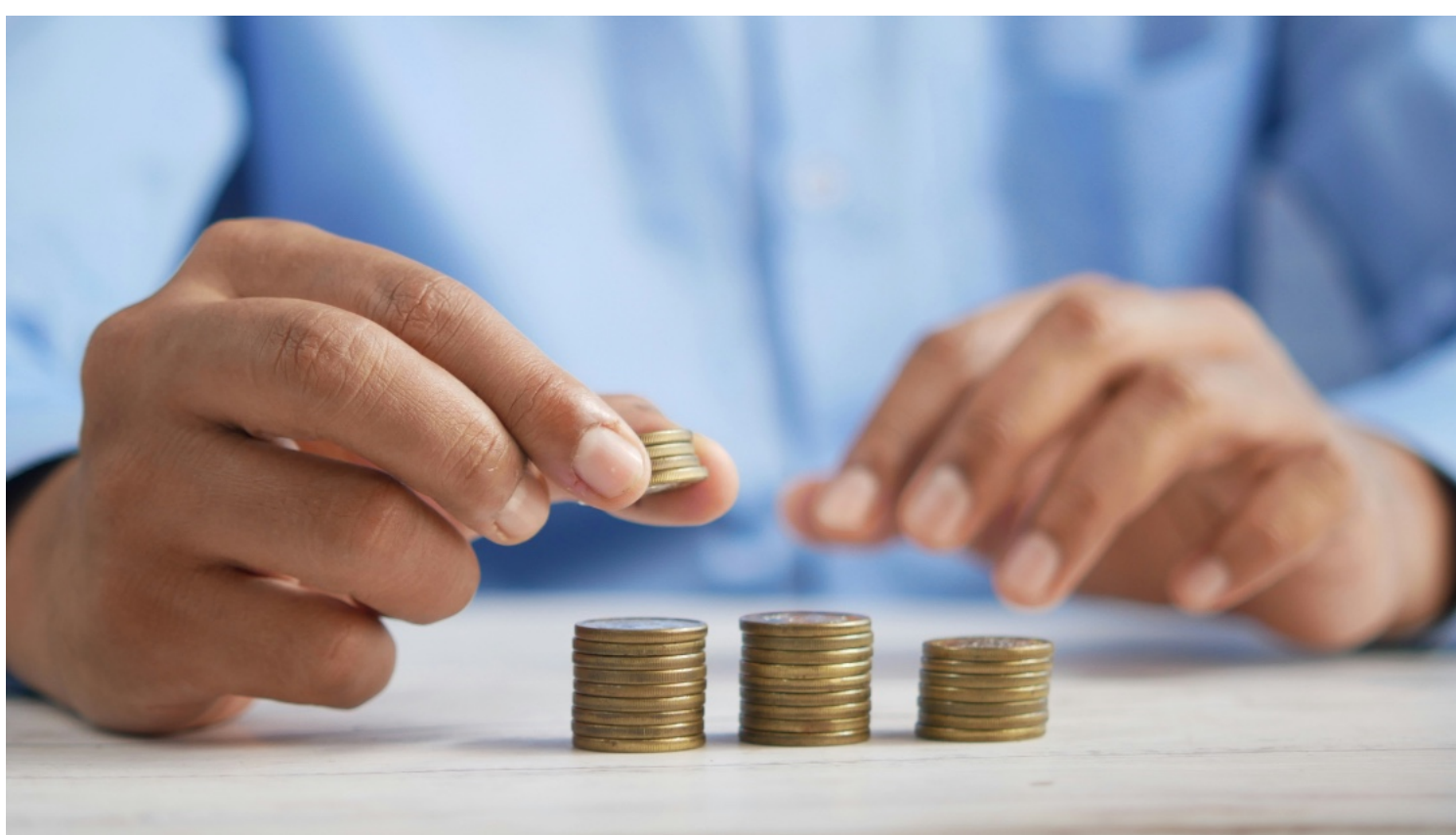
Digital Futures awards funding



Digital Futures researcher featured in Svenska Dagbladet on AI and data centres

Anna Furberg discusses how concerns about the rapid development of AI—particularly among younger generations—are linked to worries about the resource demands of data centres and their broader societal impact...

Anna Furberg interviewed by Svenska Dagbladet



Open calls

- Digital Futures Call for Support Funding for ERC grants - a recurring call
- ISPP Mobility Grants - applications are accepted on a rolling basis

All Open Calls announced by Digital Futures



Open calls for Mobility

Digital Futures fosters collaboration and innovation through dynamic programs and initiatives. Discover opportunities for academia-industry exchanges, fellowship programs, cross-disciplinary postdoc positions, and talent scouting efforts.

- **Open call:** Scholar-in-Residence programme. This is a recurring call with applications every three months. Next deadlines:
 - 15 September 2026
 - 17 November 2026

Open calls for mobility

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