

digital futures

NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2021

Information, innovation and inspiration!

DIGITALIZE IN STHLM 2021 - the most exciting event of the year!

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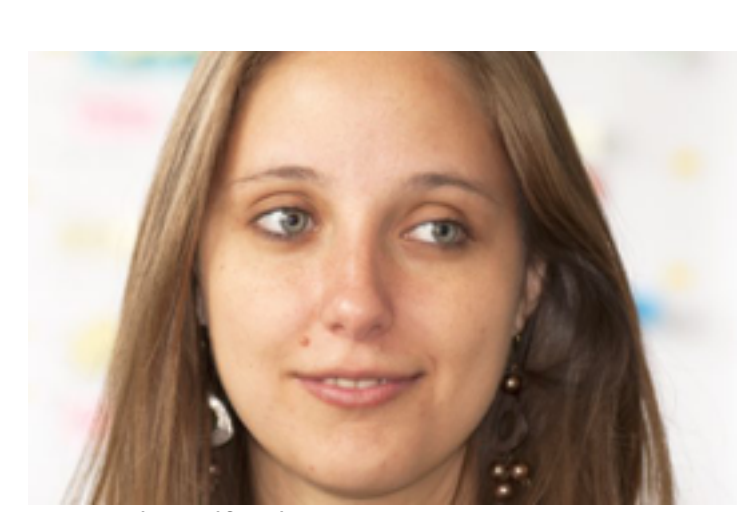
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Marianela Cioffi Felice

Call for Participation: Future Digileaders 2021

Future Digileaders is an event for selected early career researchers interested in the broad area of digitalization who identify as women or are non-binary. The event consists of a career workshop with talks, panels, and sincere discussions. The event will be held online on 19 October 2021.

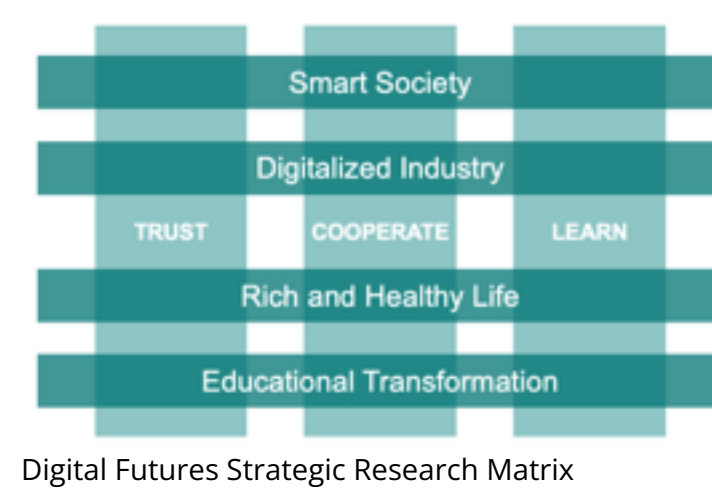
APPLICATION IS OPEN UNTIL 30 SEPTEMBER 2021 – APPLY NOW!

[Read about Future Digileaders and how to apply here](#)

We hope to inspire participants to question current trends in academia and embark into meaningful and healthy careers.

We talked to **Marianela Cioffi Felice**, Assistant Professor in Interaction Design at KTH and Supervisor for one of the Postdoc projects at Digital Futures.

[More on Marianela Cioffi Felice...](#)



OPEN CALL: Demonstrator projects

The call for Demonstrator projects that can demonstrate and disseminate technologies for digital transformation and its impact on society is now open.

Call opens: 2021-11-01

Call closes: 2021-12-01

[More information and How to apply can be found here](#)



Mikael Skoglund

As a researcher, I am very much curiosity-driven! September 9, 2021

Mikael Skoglund Professor at KTH and a Member of the Executive Committee at Digital Futures. He is also part of the Working group Cooperate and a Co-PI of research project HISS at Digital Futures...

[Meet Mikael Skoglund](#)



Johan Karlsson

Most of my work relates to optimization or systems theory...

Johan Karlsson, Associate Professor at KTH and Associate Director Executive Research at Digital Futures. He is also a Member of the Executive Committee and a Co-PI of research project DEMOCRITUS...

[Meet Johan Karlsson](#)



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DIGITAL FUTURES FÖR ÄLDRELIVET – seminarium under Digitalidag

Note that this seminar is in Swedish. Den **15 oktober** medverkar Digital Futures på Digitalidag med seminarier "Digital Futures för äldrelevet". Digitalidag är en årlig och nationell temadag om digitaliseringsens möjligheter och utmaningar...

[More on Digitalidag](#)

Digital Futures Fellowships – here are the first honourees



Emil Björnsson

Digital Futures Fellowships – here are the first honourees

In 2021 Digital Futures launched a fellowship program with two kinds of fellowships to support leading researchers. The regular fellowship program is targeted to regular faculty members at KTH or at Stockholm University.

[Here are the first honourees...](#)

Emil gets Fellowship for strategic strategy recruitment

Emil Björnsson, who is a regular faculty member at LiU and a guest professor at KTH, is the first recipient of the Digital Futures Fellowship for strategic strategy recruitment.

[Find out more...](#)

Upcoming lectures and seminars

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September
15:00 - 16:00 CEST (UTC +2)

FLY-HIGH FIKA SEMINAR

Speaker: Christina Pöpper, NYU Abu Dhabi

Title: Crowdsourcing and Wireless Witnessing for Air-Traffic Communication Security

[Read more](#)

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September
12:00 - 13:00 CEST (UTC +2)

DIVE-DEEP LUNCH SEMINAR

Speaker: Lichao Mou, TUM & DLR

Title: Visual Learning and Reasoning in Earth Observation

[Read more](#)

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October
15:00 - 16:00 CEST (UTC +2)

FLY-HIGH FIKA SEMINAR

Speaker: Airi Lampinen, Stockholm University

Title: The Trouble With Sharing: Interpersonal Challenges in Peer-to-Peer Exchange

[Read more](#)

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October
12:00 - 13:00 CEST (UTC +2)

DIVE-DEEP LUNCH SEMINAR

Speaker: Georganos Stefanos, KTH Digital Futures Post-Doc

Title: Filling the gaps: AI and Earth Observation in support of urban sustainability in sub-Saharan Africa

[Read more](#)

12
October
15:00 - 16:00 CEST (UTC +2)

FLY-HIGH FIKA SEMINAR

Speaker: Jean-Christophe Plantin, LSE

Title: The Programmable Infrastructure of Tech Giants

[Read more](#)

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October
12:00 - 13:00 CEST (UTC +2)

DIVE-DEEP LUNCH SEMINAR

Speaker: Xi-Lillian Pang, KTH Royal Institute of Technology

Title: Ecological impact of forest wild-fires vs clear-cuts—Digitalization on forest habitat networks and virtual species

[Read more](#)

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Recorded talks

Archive – recorded talks

Did you miss any of all the great lectures, curtain talks, Fly-high Fika or Dive-deep lunch seminars?

Not to worry. In **Archive - recorded talks**, you can watch most of our talks again.

[Archive - recorded talks](#)

2021
stay tuned...

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Distinguished lectures, Curtain talks, Fly High and Dive Deep lunch seminars...

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