# **KCSE Graduate School**



KTH Computational Science and Engineering Centre



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### KCSE Graduate School: Curriculum

- Core courses: Numerics, Applications, Computer
- Project/Short courses: 1-2 weeks, hands-on experience
- Special topics courses / Tutorials: 1-2 days
- Summer schools: 1-2 weeks worshops, solving problems
- Complementary / Non-CSE courses: Language, mangement
- Seminar series / Colloquia: Senior people and students
- International / National exchange





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### Formalia

- Admission Requirements:
  - Admitted as PhD student (not necessarily KTH)
  - first or second year
  - compatibility with department rules

#### Formal Application:

- Study plan + description of research plan: computational profile
- Motivation (why, expectations)
- form on homepage
- see homepage: www.kcse.kth.se/graduateschool/admission.html
- interdisciplinary advisors

#### KCSE Requirement:

- Total of 30 ECTS Points
- one core course from each category (application course from other discipline than one's own research area)
- Active participation in seminar series
- Advisory Group
  - Oversees the course selection and feedback



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### **Core Courses**

### Numerical background

- Parallel computing for large-scale problems
- Advanced numerical analysis
- Numerical solution of differential equations I/II
- Finite Element Method

### Application background

- Computational Physics
- Computational Chemistry
- Computational Fluid Dynamics
- Computational Techniques in Materials Science
- Computational Aerodynamics
- Numerical Methods in Nuclear Engineering
- <u>Computer background</u>
  - PDC Summer School / PRACE Summer School
  - GPU Workshop
  - Visualisation



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# **Course Development**



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- Development of new (core) CSE courses
  - Computational content
  - Suitable for PhD students from several departments
  - Teachers from more than one department
  - Preferably no one-time courses
- Improvement and coordination of existing core courses
  - Summer schools / Project courses
- KCSE can support:
  - Development costs, external lecturers, (teaching costs), computer resources, hosting/travel etc.
- Contact us with proposals!

### New/Extended Courses 2008/2009

- PDC
  - \*PDC Summer School, NA/PDC,
    7.5 ECTS, annual
- Basic Core Courses
  - *Computational methods from micro to macro scale*, NA/TC/MSE, 7.5 ECTS, bi-annual
  - \*Computational electromagnetics and photonics, NA/EE,
    7.5 ECTS, annual
  - \*Computational fluid dynamics, MEK,
    7.5 ECTS, annual
  - *Numerical methods in nuclear engineering*, NPS, 6 ECTS
- Advanced Core Courses
  - Advanced simulation methods in statistical physics, TP, bi-annual





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## Summer School 2009

KCSE "Summer"/"Winter" School



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- Planned in connection with Nordita's program for multiscale modelling.
- Collaboration with Nordita and NGSSC
- Time: November 2009, Albanova
- Main leading department: TC (Hans Ågren)
- Multiscale Modeling with topics in Chemistry, Biology, Material Science, Numerical Analysis