

# THE COSMIC DAWN CENTER NEWSLETTER

Date: June, July & August 2021

## FUNDINGS

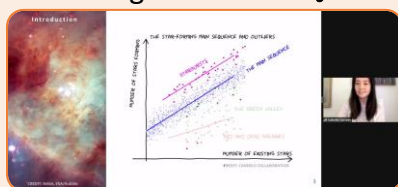
The Independent Research Fund Denmark (DFF) has awarded Johan Fynbo with a grant of 2.5 mio. DKK for [the work on a new way to detect quasars](#) - the extremely bright galactic nuclei caused by gas heated to millions of degrees as it plummets into a supermassive black hole.



## IDA Annual PhD Prize

Isabella Cortzen won the IDA Annual PhD Prize 2020 for the best thesis in Danish Astronomy! You can [read the thesis here](#) –

Congratulations! 🎵



*Isabella presenting her work at the Annual Danish Astronomy Meeting 2021*  
Credit: DAWN Facebook page

## COVID-19 UPDATE

**Winter Summer is here!**

UCPH and DTU are almost open again! The plan for returning to our workplace is still:

**14 June:** 50 % of staff are allowed back  
**01 August:** 100 % of staff are allowed back

→ Please [remember to write in the schedule](#), if you are planning to work in your office.

The only requirement now is that you must be **able to present a negative Covid-19 test (max. 72 hours old) or a Corona-pass of your vaccination.**

## Professor Gillian Wright appointed Honorary Doctor at DTU

Astrophysicist and Professor Gillian Wright has helped secure DTU Space and therefore DAWN a key role in the James Webb Space Telescope, which will soon be sent into space to explore the earliest galaxies.

→ Read the announcement [here](#).



The Campus test-centres will be scaled down. From 28 June - 30 July, the test facility at August Krogh near NBB will only be open on Tuesdays and Fridays between 07:00-15:00. The DTU Campus Testing Center at Oticon Salen is open Monday to Friday 7:30-15:30. The public free test-centres will still be available.

From 01 August students at KU and DTU are no longer required to provide a negative test → [Read more here](#)

NB! Work-travel abroad is still subject to **approval by a faculty director and head of administration at NBI** prior to departure.

## KUnet TWO-FACTOR!

To protect personal and research data on KUnet, you must log in to KUnet using multi-factor authentication **from week 32** → [Read more here](#).



## HOLIDAYS →

To see your vacation days etc. you still have to go [via Self Service on KUnet](#), from where you will be led to UCPH's new staff system KUPA.

Find [the overview/guide here](#).

NB! Technical errors in your balance can be caused by the new Danish holiday regulations.

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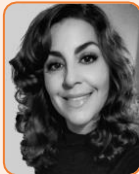
## CAKE TALK PRESENTERS ✨

Thanks to our Cake Talk Presenters!

- ❖ 10 June: Steven Gillman (Postdoc at DTU Space)  
*The Fundamental Properties of  $z=1-2$  Star-Forming Galaxies*
- ❖ 10 June: Kate Gould (PhD Student at DAWN)  
*Galaxy quenching: from local post-starbursts to the first dead giants at  $z\sim 4$*
- ❖ 17 June: Francesca Rizzo (DAWN Fellow)  
*High-resolution dynamical studies of star-forming galaxies across cosmic time*

## BIRTHDAYS 🎵

Upcoming birthdays to be celebrated this summer - Congratulations!



☒ Nina Bonaventura ❖ ☒ Peter Daniel Johannsen ❖ ☒ Anton Norup Sørensen  
☒ Francesca Rizzo ❖ ☒ Karina Caputi  
☒ Desika Narayannan ❖ 08 Aug: Pascal Oesch  
☒ Helena Baungaard ❖ ☒ Vasily Kokorev  
☒ Johan Fynbo ❖ ☒ Malte Brinch

## OPPORTUNITIES & CALLS ↗

- ★ L'Oréal-UNESCO for 'Women in Science-award'. [Link is here](#) and deadline is 30 June 2021
- ★ Webinar on funding opportunities ([sign-up and link here](#)): 20 August at 13:00-14:00.
- ★ EU Horizon Europe - ERC Advanced Grant 2021 (preliminary call ([link is here](#)) - deadline 31 August 2021
- ★ Independent Research Fund Denmark (DFF): [Natural Sciences Projects 1 & 2](#) – deadline 28 September 2021
- ★ EU H2020 - Marie Curie Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF) ([link is here](#)) - deadline 12 October 2021
- ★ Horizon Europe - Marie Skłodowska-Curie Doctoral Networks (DN). Supports cross-European PhD networks. [Link is here](#) and deadline is 16 November 2021



## UPCOMING EVENTS ✓

- ★ SURF@DAWN: **19 June – 04 September** (DTU and NBI) [Read more about SURF@DAWN here.](#)
- ★ DAWN IRES Summer Program: **07 June - 20 August** (Virtual) [Read more about the DAWN IRES Program here.](#)
- ★ Young Astronomers on Galactic Nuclei (YAGN) conference at NBI ([sign-up here](#)): **01 – 03 September**
- ★ DHL Relay Race (Run'n'Walk'): **03 September**
- ★ DAWN Summit: **Ultimo August/Primo September - TBD**

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## 'Stay-cation' in Copenhagen this summer? ☀️

**What to do?** Covid-19 is still around, but the sun and summer vibes in Denmark almost over shines it!

**Copenhagen Jazz Festival 🎵:** Every single summer since 1979 Copenhagen Jazz Festival has taken over Copenhagen as one of Europe's most important international musical events based on eminent artistic quality and a sharp focus on both the new Danish and international jazz scene.

This year **the festival will take place between 01 - 24 July 2021** and you can find different venues. Some are free outdoor concerts and some require tickets. [Find the program here.](#)



**Canal Tours or rent your own little boat and cruise the harbors in Copenhagen!** Canal Tours Copenhagen is a wonderful way of seeing Copenhagen. Many Copenhageners take the tour to get an opportunity to see their capital from a different perspective. Experience the idyllic harbors and canals of Copenhagen with a canal tour. The tours are conducted in both Danish and English, and some departures have a third language, varying between German, Italian, French, Portuguese and Spanish. A tour takes approximately one hour.

You can also rent your own boat e.g. from Go-Boat or Hey Captain and cruise on your own while having a picnic on the water. You can [read more about these culture events here.](#)

