



**HEP 2013
Stockholm
18-24 July 2013**



The 2013 Europhysics Conference on High Energy Physics Stockholm, Sweden, 18-24 July, 2013

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The 2013 Europhysics conference on High Energy Physics is a biennial conference organized by the High Energy and Particle Physics Division of the European Physical Society. It will take place in Stockholm, Sweden 18 to 24 July 2013. Parallel and plenary sessions will be held at the Royal Institute of Technology (KTH) and the Aula Magna at Stockholm University, respectively. There will also be poster sessions throughout the conference.

The conference is jointly organised by the Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm University, Chalmers University of Technology, Lund University, Uppsala University, Nordita and the Oskar Klein Centre.

Programme

- Standard Model and Beyond
- Electroweak Symmetry Breaking
- Neutrino Physics
- Flavour Physics
- CP Violation
- QCD and Hadronic Physics
- Heavy Ions
- Astroparticle Physics
- High Energy Astrophysics
- Cosmology
- Non-perturbative Field Theory
- String Theory
- Detectors and Data-handling
- Accelerator R&D
- Future Facilities

There will also be a joint ECFA-EPS session on *Particle Physics after the European Strategy Update* on the 20th July.

Conference venues

KTH Campus Valhallavägen, where the parallel sessions will be held, is situated only 2 km from the city centre and within walking distance from a number of hotels. The plenary sessions will be held in Aula Magna at the Stockholm University Campus, which is one underground stop (several km) further away from the centre. Stockholm has an excellent local transport network based on buses and underground trains, making it easy to reach the conference venues.

Abstract Submission

Abstracts may be submitted between 20 February and 8 April via the conference web pages:
<http://eps-hep2013.eu>

Social Programme and Excursions

A welcome reception in connection with the on-site registration (17 July), a reception offered by the City of Stockholm at the City Hall (18 July) and a conference dinner at the Vasa Museum (23 July) are included in the conference fee.

Stockholm itself offers a number of tourist attractions such as the Old Town and the Skansen open air museum. The archipelago offers several possibilities for excursions by boat to beautiful islands or small towns like Vaxholm and Mariefred. Uppsala is only 70 km north of Stockholm and is well worth a visit. Excursions will be available for the Sunday 20th July, tickets for which can be purchased on site during the conference. Extra excursions for accompanying persons will also be available.

Registration and Conference Fee

The registration will open on 20 February, 2013, and close on 4 July. The conference fee will cover conference material, web-published conference proceedings, coffee breaks, reception and conference dinner. It does not include accommodation, lunches or excursions.

Early payment, before 15 May 2013:

EPS member 3000 SEK (about 345 EUR) (Note: the exchange rate may vary)

Non-member 3500 SEK (about 400 EUR)

Late payment, after 15 May 2013:

EPS member 3600 SEK (about 415 EUR)

Non-member 4200 SEK (about 470 EUR)

Accommodation

Preliminary bookings have been made for a number of rooms in hotels near to the conference venues. Details on how to book are given on the conference webpage. Stockholm attracts a large number of tourists in the summer so early booking is advised.

Accompanying persons

Accompanying persons may participate in the receptions and the conference dinner for a fee of 1200 SEK.

Travel

Stockholm Arlanda airport is conveniently located about 40 km north of the city centre and can be reached easily by train or bus. Arlanda is serviced by almost all major airlines as well as several low budget airlines e.g. Norwegian and EasyJet. A few low cost airlines like Ryanair fly to the smaller Skavsta and Västerås airports, which have bus connections (about 90 min) to the city centre linked to the flights.

VISA information

Sweden is part of the Schengen zone. Conference participants from non-Schengen states or without and valid Schengen visa are requested to verify the visa requirements from the web pages of the Swedish Migration Board http://www.migrationsverket.se/info/besoka_en.html

Further information

More information can be found at the conference website: <http://eps-hep2013.eu>

The conference secretariat can be reached at: info@eps-hep2013.eu