

DAY ONE

9:30-11:00 Introduction to GPU computing

- = GPU architecture basics

- = Introduction to the concept of warps, threads and blocks

- = The memory hierarchy

11:00-12:30 Introduction to OpenACC

- = OpenACC programming model, execution model, memory model

- = The advantages of OpenACC in comparison with CUDA C/Fortran

- = OpenACC directive syntax

- = Main directives: parallel, region, kernels, loop, data and combinations; examples

12:30-13:00 Lunch Break

13:00-14:45 Hands-on: Implement a vector addition function with OpenACC:

- = Add OpenACC directives into existing serial implementation, build and execute the program (C directives).

- = Compare the complexity and performance with the given CUDA implementation.

14:45-15:00 Coffee Break

15:00-17:00 Hands-on: Jacobi iterative solver with OpenACC.

DAY TWO

09:30-11:00 Advanced programming with OpenACC

- = Other directives: host_data, cache, update, wait, declare; examples

- = Runtime library routines

- = Environment and conditional compilation

- = Constraints

- = Interoperability with GPU-enabled math libraries

11:00-12:30 Porting applications for NVIDIA GPUs with OpenACC

- = Example of using OpenACC in real applications: WRF numerical model

- = Exercises with profiling and performance analysis

12:30-13:00 Lunch Break

13:00-14:45 Hands-on: A set of examples for step-by-step optimization study with OpenACC

14:45-15:00 Coffee Break

15:00-17:00 Hands-on (continued)