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POSITION

Professor in Scientific Computing at the Dept of IT, Uppsala University:

- Program Chair, [Applied Scientific Computing](#) (since April 1st, 2025)
- Director, [eSSENCE](#) (since Feb 20th, 2024)

Approved to the [SciLifeLab Group Leader program](#) (Feb 11, 2025).

Appointed to Distinguished university teacher at the [Faculty of Science and Technology, Uppsala University](#) (December 15th, 2017).

Appointed to Docent in *Scientific Computing with a specialization in Numerical Analysis* at the [Faculty of Science and Technology, Uppsala University](#) (April 18th, 2013).

SUPERVISION - Current PhD-students:

- Main supervisor of Vaishnavi Divya Shridar (Jan 2024–), *Towards model-based analysis in wastewater epidemiology: the specifics of antimicrobial resistance*
- Main supervisor of Gesina Menz (Jan 2022–), *Computational modeling of populations of cells*
- Main supervisor of Erik Blom (Sep 2021–), *Scalable computational modeling of living cells*
- Co-supervisor of Anna Frigge (2021–), Alfred Andersson (2020–), Helena Andersson (2020–)

- Previous PhD-students:

- Main supervisor of Robin Marin (2017–22), PhD thesis *Computational Modeling, Parameterization, and Evaluation of the spread of Diseases* (2022).
- Main supervisor of Jing Liu (2012–20), PhD thesis *Towards Fast and Robust Algorithms in Flash X-ray single particle Imaging* (2020).
- Main supervisor of Pavol Bauer (2012–17), PhD thesis *Parallelism in Event-Based Computations with Applications in Biology* (2017).

Licentiate thesis: *Parallelism and Efficiency in Discrete-Event Simulation* (2015).

- Co-supervisor of Stefan Widgren (2011–16), PhD thesis *Studies on verotoxigenic Escherichia coli O157 in Swedish cattle: from sampling to disease spread modelling* (2016).
- Co-supervisor of Lina Meinecke (2011–16), PhD thesis *Stochastic simulation of multiscale reaction-diffusion models via first exit times* (2016).
- Postdocs: Stefan Widgren (2017–18), Jonathan Bull (2016–2017), Doghonay Arjmand (2016–17), Emilie Blanc (2014–2015).
- MSc/BSc-theses:
 - MSc-thesis *Approximate Bayesian Computation for Data-Driven Epidemiological Models* by Christoph Nötzli (2023, Data Science)
 - MSc-thesis *Investigating the Estimation of the infection rate and the fraction of infections leading to death in epidemiological simulation* by Jakob Gölén (2023, Engineering Physics)
 - MSc-thesis *Cell-sorting in grid-based time-continuous cell population models* by Joel Olofsson (2022, Engineering Physics)
 - BSc-thesis *Computational modelling of quorum sensing using cascade delay* by Nils Axelsson and David Mårsäter (2022, Engineering Physics)
 - BSc-thesis *Tumörspridning med artificiell evolution: Warburgeffekten och cancercellers metabolism* by David Näsström and Marcus Medhage (2022, Engineering Physics)
 - MSc-thesis *Towards Hybrid Modeling of Avascular Tumours* by Erik Blom (2021, Computational Science)
 - MSc-thesis *Performance of Adaptive Fast Multipole Method in three dimensions for time-dependent problems* by Zain Nawas (2021, Computational Science)
 - BSc-thesis *Comparing priority queues with support for priority updates at arbitrary indexes* by Erik Granberg (2021, Computer Science)
 - BSc-thesis *Implementing multithreading for a fast multipole method using OpenMP* by Ludwig Ridderstolpe (2021, Computer Science)
 - MSc-thesis *Heterogeneous Multiscale Method in Markovian event-based models — With applications in tumor modeling* by An Khang Bui (2020, Numerische Mechanik, Technical University of Munich)
 - BSc-thesis *A parallel implementation of spatially distributed stochastic chemical kinetics* by Pontus Melin (2020, Computer Science)

TEACHING

- As the teacher responsible at the Department of Information technology, Uppsala University:
 - PhD-level course (module): *Foundations of probabilistic modeling* (2023). Developed by myself.
 - PhD-level course: *Numerical Functional Analysis* (2014, 2019, 2022). This course was developed by myself.

- PhD-level course: *Numerical methods in stochastic modeling and simulations* (2016, 2020). This course was developed by myself.
- Advanced-level course: *Project course in Computational Science* (2023, 2024).
- Advanced-level course: *Advanced Numerical Methods* (2016, 2017), co-developed this course.
- Advanced-level course: *Applied Finite Element Methods* (2016), co-developed this course.
- Advanced-level course: *Scientific computing III* (2021, 2022).
- Basic-level course: *Scientific computing I* (2020), *Scientific computing II* (every year 2015–2019, 2023).

TALKS

Bayesian Models for National-Scale Disease Spread: From Cattle to COVID-19 at the Upp-Upp conference in Statistics, Uppsala, Sweden, (2025).

Toward Bayesian models of growing tumors at the ENUMATH conference, Lisbon, Portugal (2023).

Key speaker at the Hausdorff School on *Inverse Problems for Multi-scale Models*, University of Bonn, Germany, Aug 22–26 (2022).

Bayesian prediction of COVID-19 spread for informed decision making: Practical experiences from Uppsala at the MIT IDSS workshop Paths from Research to Impact: A Year of Collaborative Research on COVID-19 (2021).

Computational Bayesian modeling for disease control invited lecture given online in the Applied Mathematics Seminars-series at the University of Warwick (2020).

Computational modeling of populations of cells: applications to tumor behavior invited guest-lecture in the course Advanced Cancer Biology, Uppsala, Sweden (2020, 2021, 2022).

- ORGANIZING
- Organizer of the minisymposium *The mathematics of pathology: quantitative methods* with Fred Vermolen at the ENUMATH conference September 1–5, 2025, Heidelberg, Germany.
 - Organizer of the DDLS Workshop *Infectious disease epidemiology: surveillance, forecasting and modelling* with Tove Fall, Tom Britton and Laura Carroll, at Stockholm university, May 5–6th, 2025.
 - Organizer of a mini workshop entitled *Computational Fusion and Plasma* with Murtazo Nazarov at Uppsala university, September 5th, 2024.
 - Organizer of the minisymposium *Mathematical and computational models of cells, cell-populations, and applications thereof* with Fred Vermolen at the ENUMATH conference September 4–8, 2023, Lisbon, Portugal.

- Organizer of the workshop *Surrounded by data, starved for insight*, August 18, 2022, Uppsala university.
- Co-organizer of the workshop *Spatially distributed stochastic dynamical systems in biology; numerical methods, mathematical analysis, and biological models*, June 20–24, 2016, Isaac Newton Institute for Mathematical Sciences, Cambridge, UK.

AFFILIATION Member of [SIAM](#).