



Report from ITM

CM#2
2025-06-05



Summary of latest tasks/events:

- 2 council meetings since last PhD chapter meeting
- Monthly FU meetings discussion focus
 - o on PhD survey evaluation and course work
 - o Program structure may change by cancelling/combining programs
- Faculty board meetings
 - o Discussion on courses that are divided between different departments. More focus on the faculty development plan
- ITM management group meetings focused on budget allocation
 - o Current discussion on how budget for GRU (BSc, MSc), FOFU (PhD) funding can be redistributed better between all KTH schools □ decision from the rector around September
- PhD survey evaluation at Management, Department level and FU meetings
 - o Biggest concern onboarding and work-life balance of PhDs
 - o 50% response rate at EGI created direct action from Management
- 2 PhDs from EGI department participated in SoYa jury meeting
- Participation at PhD chapter onboarding with Event manager
- 2 ASP updates postponed until after the summer (Materials, Production Engineering)

Events/Activities:

- Fika at Learning department to introduce council (12.06.)
- Board game night at EGI kitchen (07.05.)
 - o WhatsApp group chat for ITM PhDs created for faster response regarding event planning
- Workshop Seminar at EGI with Fika "Introduction to systematic evidence synthesis"
- BBQ and other outdoor activities in planning before the summer break

Promotion/Recruitment interviews:

- Promotion meeting to Professor in Technology Education – not awarded
- Docent promotion meeting at Learning– awarded
- 19.06. - Hatef Madani – Prof. Modeling of Buildings' Energy Systems
- 24.06. - Björn Glaser – Prof. experimental kinetic in Metallurgy