Overview
PRACE OpenACC Course 2022

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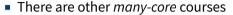Forschungszentrum | JÜLICH SUPERCOMPUTING CENTRE

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OpenACC Course

About

- Since 2014
- Usually a course in meat-space
- Interactive course – many hands-ons 👐

- There are other *many-core* courses
  - CUDA: 2023
  - → See JSC training program

Tutors

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Timetable

- Every day from 9:00 until 13:00
- 30 minute break around 10:45

Day 1 Basics
- Welcome
- GPU Introduction
- OpenACC Introduction

Day 2 Tools, Interoperability
- Debugging
- Profiling, Performance Optimization
- Interoperability

Day 3 Interoperability, Multi-GPU

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More Technicalities

- Supercomputer for this course: **JURECA DC**
- Infrastructure for tasks
    - Already done for *Poem*
    - Jupyter-JSC: https://jupyter-jsc.fz-juelich.de
    - Project: `training2231`
    - Remember to source the environment (tasks rely on environment variables):
      `source $PROJECT_training2231/env.sh`
- Tasks
    - Sorted by session
    - Solutions are always given, you decide how long you tinker before peaking into solutions
      (Hint: The longer, the more benefit you will get from this course!)
    - Re-sync once might be needed now, call `jsc-material-sync`

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My favorite programming language is:

C	C++	Fortran	Python
Java	JavaScript	Julia	Haskell
Go	Rust	Bash	Assembly

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I've used OpenMP before

Yes	No

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I've used MPI before

Yes	No

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I've used a GPU before

Yes	No

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I programmed a GPU before

Yes	No

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Other SYCL, HIP, OpenGL, …	OpenACC	No
OpenCL	CUDA	

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I currently work from home

Yes	No

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