Welcome to the research computing training and support pages - a place for sharing information on courses, events and other sources of support for research or high performance computing.

If you wish to advertise a course or publicise other news, or have spare places on a course which could be offered to research staff or students in other departments, or just know of a resource that might be useful to others, please enter a Blog Post or email details to Andrew Smith or Lorraine Moor.

News

Support

Research Computing Support Centre
The Research Computing Support Centre offers support on advanced computing topics for research postgraduates and staff. This operates on an appointments system. For full details, please see:

- Research Computing Support Centre

Training resources
Where to look for training
- University of York training resources
- External training resources
- Online training resources

Computing facilities
What’s available?
- Research Computing Facilities
- Advanced Research Computing at York
Blog Posts

- Spring term courses created by Lorraine Moor 23, Jan, 2020 Research Computing Training and Support

- Introduction to COMSOL Multiphysics® 5.4 created by Lorraine Moor 25, Nov, 2019 Research Computing Training and Support

- HPC Carpentry Workshop for Women in HPC created by Lorraine Moor 11, Nov, 2019 Research Computing Training and Support

- N8 CIR - Digital Humanities and Digital Health created by Lorraine Moor 04, Nov, 2019 Research Computing Training and Support

Other types of support

- Coding Club - an informal group for people who write or develop research software. Runs a drop-in session once a month; subscribe to the mailing list (details on the website) for dates and times.

- R User Group. Every third Friday of the month, researchers from across the University will present on applied statistics in R, based on their own research as well as introducing tools that helped them make better use of this software. For more details, contact Tom Patton: thomas.patton@york.ac.uk.

Further information

Contacts

- For advice on any aspect of high performance or research computing, please contact the Head of Technical Research Support, Andrew Smith

- For general IT enquiries, please contact the IT Support Office

Other links

- Research Computing Working Group
- Research - information for staff
- Research - information for students

Having your say!
To enter a Blog Post, click on the '...' symbol next to Create at the top of this page, then Blog Post. Give your post a name in the title box, type in the contents, Preview if you wish, then press Publish.

Qualitative data analysis tools survey:

IT Services conducted a survey during 2016 to discover the extent of use of qualitative data analysis tools across the University. We will use the data collected to improve our support for these tools by providing training, user support, and possibly more cost-effective licensing.

Reports from previous surveys:

- Report on survey on the provision of training and support for research computing software (May 2014)
- Report on survey on research computing infrastructure (December 2014)

If you have any suggestions for information to add to these pages, please contact Lorraine Moor, Administration Co-ordinator, IT Services.