8<sup>th</sup> ATNF Synthesis Imaging School 29 September - 3 October 2008 at the Compact Array in Narrabri, Australia Key Topics:

- Fundamentals of a radio interferometer
- Synthesis imaging
- The Australia Telescope Compact Array
- Specialised observing modes
- Atmospheric effects and data calibration
- Millimetre wavelength observations
- Practical sessions: observing and data reduction
- Future ATCA developments
- The next generation of interferometers: SKA and ALMA

The intended audience is postgraduate students and other interested researchers. No prior experience with radio astronomy is required.

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