



# International Summer University Aarhus University

## *IN DEFENCE OF CHRISTIANITY – EARLY CHRISTIAN APOLOGISTS*

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Second century A.D. was a formative period of major importance for Christianity. In this period the basic structures of Christian theology were formed. This formation of Christian doctrine, ethics, social organization etc. took place in a constant debate – positive and negative – with the surrounding society and its religious and philosophical beliefs and practices, its social structures, its legislation etc. In this process the so-called Christian Apologists were important players.

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**Dates:** 16 July – 10 august 2012

**Registration deadline:** 15 March 2012

**Location:** Faculty of Arts,  
Aarhus University

**Level of course:** Master

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Jakob Engberg, associate professor of  
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Nick Marshall, PhD student in religious  
studies, Aarhus University

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