



NASA Town Hall

August 5, 2024

2024 Small Satellite Conference 3-8 August 2024 Utah State University

Bruce D. Yost Director, Small Spacecraft Systems Virtual Institute www.nasa.gov/smallsat-institute

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2024 NASA Town Hall Agenda



10:00-10:05AM - Welcome

Bruce Yost, Director, Small Spacecraft Systems Virtual Institute

10:05-10:15AM – Opening Remarks

Peg Luce, Deputy Associate Administrator for Programs (Acting) NASA Science Mission Directorate

10:15-10:20AM – Small Spacecraft Coordination Group

Florence Tan, Chair, Small Spacecraft Coordination Group Deputy Chief Technologist, NASA Science Mission Directorate

Science Mission Directorate

10:20-10:25AM – Earth Science Technology Office Sachidananda R. Babu, Program Manager, In-Space Validation of Earth Science Technologies Program

10:25-10:30AM – Astrophysics Division Rosa Avalos-Warren, Program Executive

10:30-10:35AM – Heliophysics Division David Cheney, Program Executive

10:35-10:40AM – Conjunction Assessment Lauri Newman, Conjunction Assessment Program Officer

Space Technology Mission Directorate

10:40-10:45AM – Space Technology Mission Directorate Christopher Baker, Program Executive, Small Spacecraft Technology Program and Flight Opportunities Program

10:45-10:50AM – Small Spacecraft Technology (SST) Program Roger Hunter, Program Manager

10:50-10:55AM – Flight Opportunities Program Danielle McCulloch, Program Manager

10:55-11:00AM – SmallSat Technology Development Opportunities: The Small Business Innovation Research Program and University Smallsat Technology Partnerships Samson Phan, Project Manager, SST

Space Operations Mission Directorate

11:00-11:05AM – CubeSat Launch Initiative Liam Cheney / Creg Raffington, CSLI Mission Managers, Launch Services Program

11:05-11:10AM – Trajectory Operations and Planning Office Ellery Bohrmann, ISS Flight Controller

11:10-11:45AM – Question & Answer Session

National Aeronautics and Space Administration



Small Spacecraft Systems Virtual Institute (S3VI)

Community of Practive Webinar Series



Small Spacecraft Reliability Initiative Knowledge Base

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Small Spacecraft Information Search



Building Community through:

Sharing Knowledge

- SmallSat LEARN Forum
- Community of Practice
- **Mission Accomplished Webinar Series**
- Access to Space Announcements
- S3VI Quarterly Newsletter
- Guidebook

S3VI Web Portal

- SmallSat/CubeSat Fleet Missions Database
- Adapting Mission Assurance

Identifying Emerging Technology Opportunities



S3VI Newsletter



Building Tools

- Small Spacecraft Reliability Initiative Knowledge Base Tool
- Small Spacecraft Information Search
- · State of the Art Report

 - Anomaly Alert Reporting System

Connecting People and Ideas

- University Nanosatellite Program Participation (AFRL)
- University SmallSat Technology Partnerships
- Cross-Agency Collaboration
- Interagency Collaboration
- Space Mission Design Tools Collection
 United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA) Systems Engineering Webinar Series



Promoting Innovative Concepts

Small Spacecraft Technology State of the Art Report



SmallSat / CubeSat Fleet Chart



NASA SmallSat LEARN Forum



LaunchPortal: Potential Rideshare Opportunities

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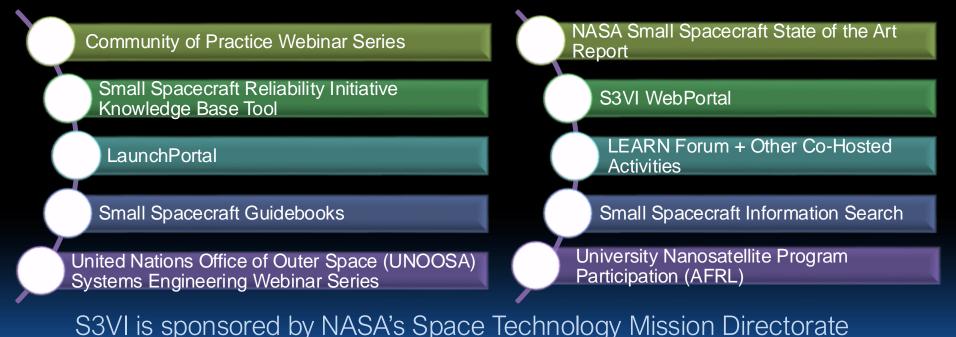
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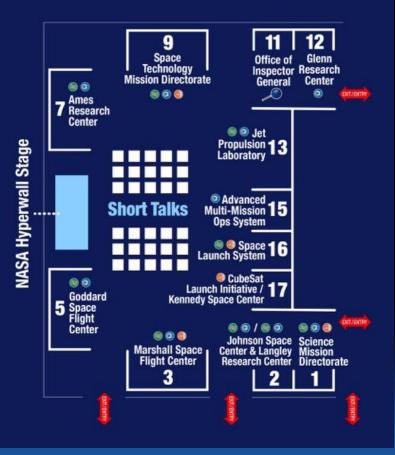
The S3VI provides the SmallSat research community with access to mission enabling information and maintains engagement with small spacecraft stakeholders in industry, government and academia. The S3VI resources listed below are available to all at: https://www.nasa.gov/smallsat-institute/



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Taggart Student Center Ballroom



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First time NASA exhibitors:

- Glenn Research Center
- Johnson Space Center
- Langley Research Center
- Office of the Inspector General

NASA Hyperwall is co-located in the NASA exhibit area this year and will host:

- NASA Short Talks
- NASA Programming

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NASA-Sponsored Activities at SmallSat – At a Glance



Activity	Date	Time (s) MT	Description / Title / Moderator	Location
NASA Town Hall	Aug 5	10AM-11:45AM	NASA mission directorate and program status, announcements	ESLC 130
NASA Exhibits	Aug 5-8	Open hours	NASA mission directorates, centers, and program exhibits	Taggart Student Center (TSC) Ballroom
NASA Short Talks	Aug 6	9:45-10:45AM	Session #1: NASA Leadership Panel – Opportunities for the SmallSat Community <i>Moderator: Florence Tan, NASA</i> HQ	NASA Hyperwall, TSC Ballroom
NASA Short Talks	Aug 6	3:30-4:30PM	Session #2: NASA Collaborations and Partnerships Moderator: Catherine Venturini, The Aerospace Corporation	NASA Hyperwall, TSC Ballroom
NASA Short Talks	Aug 7	9:45-10:45AM	Session #3: Infusion Stories – Utilizing NASA STMD Mechanisms to Develop Technology <i>Moderator: Les</i> Johnson, NASA MSFC	NASA Hyperwall, TSC Ballroom
NASA Short Talks	Aug 7	3:30-4:30PM	Session #4: SmallSat Development Roadmap from Education to Flight Moderator: Anh Nguyen, Bryce / NASA HQ	NASA Hyperwall, TSC Ballroom
NASA Short Talks	Aug 8	9:45-10:45AM	Session #5: University SmallSat Updates Moderator: Anh Nguyen, Bryce / NASA HQ	NASA Hyperwall, TSC Ballroom
NASA Hyperwall	Aug 5-8	Open hours	NASA Short Talks, NASA Programming	Taggart Student Center (TSC) Ballroom

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