

NASA PUBLIC LECTURE

THE ARTEMIS MOON EXPLORATION PROGRAM AS A KEY TO UNLOCKING DEEP SPACE



Amit Kshatriya is the Deputy Associate Administrator for the Moon to Mars Program in the Exploration Systems Development Mission Directorate at NASA Headquarters. In this role, Kshatriya is responsible for program planning and implementation for human missions to the Moon and Mars. He directs and leads the programs to ensure Artemis and Mars planning, development, and operations are consistent with NASA requirements, and serves as the single point of focus for risk management.

THE ARTEMIS MOON EXPLORATION PROGRAM AS A KEY TO UNLOCKING DEEP SPACE

Humans have not walked on the Moon since Apollo 17 in 1972. With NASA's Artemis campaign, humanity is exploring the Moon for scientific discovery, technology advancement, and to learn how to live and work on another world to prepare for human missions to Mars. NASA is collaborating with commercial and international partners to establish the first long-term presence on the Moon. Using innovative technologies to explore more of the lunar surface than ever before, NASA will illuminate our bright future among the stars. Mr. Kshatriya will discuss the upcoming Artemis missions and how together, as one team united, we are making it possible.

PROGRAM

WELCOME

Christian Köberl | Chair, Commission for Geosciences, OeAW, Chair, Department of Lithospheric Research, University of Vienna

Amy Steinmann | Public Affairs Officer, U.S. Mission to International Organizations in Vienna

LECTURE

Amit Kshatriya | Deputy Associate Administrator, NASA The Artemis Moon Exploration Program as a Key to Unlocking Deep Space

DISCUSSION

DRINKS RECEPTION

ORGANIZER

Commission for Geosciences (GEOK) Austrian Academy of Sciences (OeAW)

CONTACT

Dr. Viktor Bruckman Commission for Geosciences Austrian Academy of Sciences (OeAW) Dr. Ignaz Seipel-Platz 2, 1010 Vienna T: +43 1 51581-3200 viktor.bruckman@oeaw.ac.at

REGISTRATION

Registration is suggested (to provide you with more information per E-mail): https://www.oeaw.ac.at/geok/detail/event/the-artemis-moon-exploration-program-1 The event will be held in English.

INFORMATION

Please note that photographs may be taken throughout the event. These will be used by the organizing institution in publications, online and in social media. Please contact the event organizer if you have any concerns or if you wish to be exempted from this activity.

Title photo: NASA Orion spacecraft on November 28, 2022 (c) NASA