



## SAVE THE DATE: INTERNATIONAL ASTRONAUTICAL CONGRESS

**#IAC2019 Washington, D.C. United States, 21 – 25 October 2019**

The International Astronautical Federation (IAF) is pleased to invite you to Save the Date for the **70<sup>th</sup> International Astronautical Congress (IAC)** to take place in **Washington D.C., United States** from **21 – 25 October 2019**. The IAC 2019 will be hosted by the **American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA)**, an IAF Member since 1952.

With the theme **“Space: The Power of the Past, the Promise of the Future”**, the IAC 2019 provides a focus for the international space community to reflect on its accomplishments since the landmark Apollo Moon landing and to imagine the future of this global enterprise. The capital of the United States will be the place to be to properly celebrate the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of this extraordinary engineering, scientific, and political achievement as well as the international accomplishments and partnerships that have become the hallmarks of space exploration.

The IAC 2019 will also be a unique occasion to celebrate the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of this congress, a one-of-a-kind event which, since its creation, not only gathers year after year an exceptional amount of space professionals to dig deeper into what can be done in space, but also continuously draws the general public’s attention to space and its undeniable benefits for humankind.

The IAC is a professional event that supports the International Astronautical Federation in its mission to advance knowledge about space and to foster the development of space assets by facilitating global cooperation.

More information on the IAC 2019 programme will soon be available [here](#).

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