



IAF IDEA 3G Diversity Day
devoted to
“Opportunity for and from people with alternative abilities”
Tuesday 20 September 2022

08:00 – 08:45 IAF IDEA “3G” Diversity Breakfast

Location: Terminal 7, Level 4, Hall 7, Paris Convention Centre

As an important element of the IAF “3G” Diversity Day the IAF welcomes all delegates to the IAF IDEA “3G” Diversity Breakfast sponsored by Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL).

To honour the motto of the IAC 2022 “*Space for @ll*” we are pleased to dedicate the Day to the inclusion of people with different abilities in the space workforce and the opportunities that their contribute can give to the advancement of the whole sector.

The event will be opened with a welcome by the IAF President, Pascale Ehrenfreund, followed by an introduction from Deganit Paikowsky, IAF VP for Diversity Initiatives and Science & Academic Relations, lecturer from the distinguished IAF Member Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

The event will close by the long-standing sponsor of the IDEA Platform, the NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory, represented here by Larry D. James, NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory Deputy Director.

To further deepen the topic discussed questions from the public are welcomed.

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Programme:

08:00 – 08:05	Welcome Remarks Pascale Ehrenfreund , President, International Astronautical Federation (IAF), Austria Deganit Paikowsky , IAF VP for Diversity Initiatives and Science & Academic Relations, International Astronautical Federation (IAF), Israel
08:05 – 08:10	Carlo Viberti , President, SpaceLand Africa
08:10 – 08:25	Larry D. James , Deputy Director, NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL), United States
08:25– 08:45	Networking

12:30 – 13:30 IAF Excellence in "3G" Diversity Award Luncheon

(Upon Invitation Only)

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The IAF Excellence in “3G” Diversity Awards recognize IAF member organizations (industry, government, academia) worldwide for outstanding contributions to the fostering of “3G” (Geography, Generation, Gender) Diversity within the space sector.

The highest standards in “3G” Diversity can be achieved both by organizations and within teams’ activities. To correctly represent this the IAF Honours and Awards Committee (HAC) decided to divide the IAF Excellence in “3G” Diversity Awards in two corresponding categories.

This Luncheon is dedicated to the award ceremony for the 2022 IAF Excellence in “3G” Diversity Awards, bestowed to the **National Space Science Agency (NSSA)** of Bahrain and the **UK Space Agency Education and Skills Team**

National Space Science Agency (NSSA)



“NSSA is nominated for their outstanding contribution and commitment to the 3G diversity in their workforce, leadership, promotion of their programs and for their exceptional drive and achievements in this short period of time due to their determination and diversity in the space community.”

UK Space Agency Education and Skills Team



“The UK Space Agency Education and Skills Team uses space to inspire an interest among young people in STEM, encouraging them to aspire to rewarding careers in the space sector and ensuring they have the skills and experience needed to become valuable members of the space workforce. During 2021, the combination of programmes they run engaged over a million young people with space activities for at least half an hour each and has supported 68 students with 2-month work placements or space studies at the International Space University”

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Programme:

12:30 – 12:31

Welcome

Pascale Ehrenfreund, President, International Astronautical Federation (IAF), France,

12:31 – 12:41

Presentation by Sponsor

Anne Carron, Chief Human Resources Officer, Eutelsat

12:41 – 12:51

The ESA Parastronaut Feasibility Project

David Parker, Director of Human and Robotic Exploration, European Space Agency (ESA), France

12:51 – 13:10

IAF Excellence in “3G” Diversity Award Ceremony

Anthony Tsougranis, IAF VP for Honours and Awards, International Astronautical Federation (IAF), United States

Award Ceremony and Photo

National Space Science Agency (NSSA) represented by:

Mohamed Al-Aseeri, Chief Executive Officer, National Space Science Agency (NSSA), Bahrain

UK Space Agency Education and Skills Team represented by:

Maria Cody, Head of ESA Policy, UK Space Agency, United Kingdom