Community Initiatives
Science with the Hubble and the James Webb Space Telescopes

- March 20-24, 2017 in Venice
- Co-organized by Antonella Nota & Pierre Ferruit
- will include one day of hands-on demonstrations with ETCs, etc.....
AND.... MAYBE..
JWST in Venice !!!
A science & art exhibit curated by Antonella Nota & Anna Caterina Bellati

with Executive Committee: Ken Carpenter (NASA), Lars Christensen (ESO), Carol Christian (STScI), Roger Davies (Oxford), Hussein Jirdeh (STScI)

Based on two ideas:

- use Hubble stunning imagery to describe humanity’s presence in the Universe, and its relentless quest to explore:

- by connecting with the local art community, showcase the impact that Hubble has made on culture and society.
Venues:

- 1 February - 17 April 2017
- Palazzo Cavalli Franchetti, Venice
• Fall 2017 - Supernova, ESO (confirmed)
• Fall 2017 - IAF, Adelaide
• Summer 2018 - IAU Vienna (confirmed)
• 2020 - RAS/ RA UK
The Supernova Planetarium @ ESO
March issue of ESA/Hubble Science Newsletter now available

Technical and operational news from the Hubble Space Telescope

9 March 2016

The March issue of the *ESA/Hubble Science Newsletter* is now available. It presents the results of the latest Space Telescope User Committee meeting and upcoming news from the European Hubble archive eHST. The newsletter also features an interview with Ken Sembach, the new director of STScI.

The ESA/Hubble Science Newsletter provides technical and operational news about the Hubble Space Telescope to European users and the scientific community. It is also intended to create a communication channel between the European Hubble user community and the staff scientists at ESA who support Hubble science operations. You can subscribe to the ESA/Hubble Science Newsletter [here](#), or get in touch at hubblenewseurope@stsci.edu.
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Your representatives on the Space Telescope Users Committee

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Three members of the Space Telescope User Committee (STUC) are currently appointed by ESA: Stephane Charlot (France), Søren Larsen (The Netherlands) and David Sing (UK). They each bring unique scientific expertise and they all want to hear from you.
ESA Senior Review
Relevant dates

- Review is for:
  - Confirmation 2017-2018
  - Extension 2019-2020

- Process Milestones:
  - Proposal Submission: August 1
Mission Extensions – Summary Process

- Technical outlook
- Scientific performance
- User Group/Science Team views
- National funding status

MEOR

Mission Extension Proposal

Advisory Structure (AWG, SSEWG and SSAC) for scientific assessment, recommendations and commented ranking

ESA Executive for proposal to SPC including affordability

SPC for Decision
Mission Extension: the process

- October 13-14: presentation to AWG
- November 2-3: SSAC - recommendations
- November 22-23: SPC meeting
STUC help required

- A letter in support of continued ESA’s involvement through 2020
- Participation of one of ESA appointed representatives at AWG meeting on October 13/14
- Reading and providing feedback on the science case
Thank you!