## Instruments Division Staffing For HST

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# Strategy for Increasing Support for SM4

- Recruited 3 new DAs for HST support.
- We have recruited 7 Term-hire Scientists (3-yr terms).
  - ◆ 19 term-hire and 4 Visiting Scientist applicants were vetted by the Science Recruitment Committee.
  - 11 individuals were interviewed.
  - ♦ 8 offers were made; 7 accepted.
- Our subcontract with JHU provides up to 3.0 FTE.
  - Currently comprised of 3 ~half-time scientists with FUSE, STIS, and WFPC2 experience.
  - All personnel in place and contributing.
- Recruiting 4 ESA positions, 3 for instrument support.
  - 2 new instrument scientists have started.
  - ◆ 1 offer is still open.



#### New Staff Added in FY08

- Data Analysts:
  - Michael Wolf (STIS)
  - Alex Vaiana (NICMOS)
  - Pey Lian Lim (WFPC2)
- Term-Hire Scientists:
  - ◆ Tom Ake (COS)
  - Parviz Ghavamian (COS)
  - Dave Golimowski (ACS, WFPC2, NICMOS)
  - Norm Grogin (ACS)
  - Aparna Maybhate (ACS)
  - Susana Deustua (WFC3)
  - Andre Martel (WFC3)
- ESA Scientists:
  - ◆ Elena Sabbi (WFC3)
  - Danny Lennon (STIS)

- JHU Scientists:
  - Mary Beth Kaiser (STIS)
  - Cristina Oliviera (COS)
  - Van Dixon (WFPC2)



### Expected Staffing in August 2008

| Team               | Instrument<br>Scientists &<br>Engineers <sup>1</sup> | Data Analysts <sup>1</sup> | Total <sup>1</sup> |
|--------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------------|
| COS <sup>2</sup>   | 5.3  | 2.2                        | 7.5                |
| STIS <sup>2</sup>  | 2.1  | 0.4                        | 2.5                |
| WFC3               | 7.0  | 5.0                        | 12.0               |
| ACS <sup>3</sup>   | 4.9  | 4.4                        | 9.3                |
| WFPC2 <sup>3</sup> | 2.3  | 2.3                        | 4.6                |
| NICMOS             | 3.5  | 3.1                        | 6.6                |
| HST Observatory    | 3.7  | 0.7                        | 4.4                |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Entries are FTEs, and do not include research time.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>The COS+STIS team shares personnel that work on both instruments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>The ACS+WFPC2 team shares personnel that work on both instruments.



### Staffing after SM4

- A full complement of ESA scientists should be in place.
- We expect close-out work on WFPC2 to be complete by the end of CY2008. These staff will migrate to WFC3, COS, and ACS support.
- We expect decreased demand for NICMOS in Cycle 17 and beyond (coronagraphic, high-res, or long-λ obs). Many of these staff will migrate to WFC3.
- Required staffing for STIS and ACS will be adjusted based on Cycle 17 proposal selection and the outcome of SM4.



#### Possible Staffing in January 2009

| Team               | Instrument<br>Scientists &<br>Engineers <sup>1</sup> | Data Analysts <sup>1</sup> | Total <sup>1</sup> |
|--------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------------|
| COS <sup>2</sup>   | 6.5  | 3.0                        | 9.5                |
| STIS <sup>2</sup>  | 2.5  | 1.4                        | 3.9                |
| WFC3               | 9.0  | 6.0                        | 15.0               |
| ACS <sup>3</sup>   | 5.0  | 4.5                        | 9.5                |
| WFPC2 <sup>3</sup> | 0.5  | 1.0                        | 1.5                |
| NICMOS             | 1.6  | 1.5                        | 3.1                |
| HST Observatory    | 3.7  | 0.7                        | 4.4                |

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