

Hubble Space Telescope - ESA

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- Full complement of ESA/Hubble (13) people at STScI/ESA
 - Kevin Stevenson left at the end of September
 - Travis Fischer will join in January 2020
- Working on a new contract between ESA and AURA/STScI to start in January 2021
 - To cover Hubble, JWST, future collaborative missions
- NASA/ESA MOU being renewed



The Hubble Catalog of Variables

- Released September 19

The Hubble Catalog of Variables (HCV)*

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The Hubble Catalog of Variables is the first full, homogeneous catalogue of variable sources based on archival HST data. The HCV was developed over four years by a team of astronomers at the National Observatory of Athens, sponsored by ESA in collaboration with STScI.

<http://hst.esac.esa.int/hcv-explorer/>

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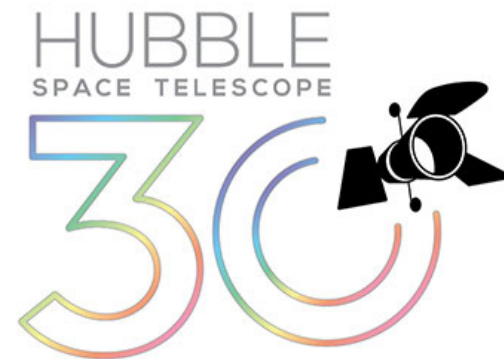


- We continue reaching out to and engaging the European community disseminating information, advertising scientific results
 - Science releases, photo releases, Pictures of the Week
 - Hubblecasts
 - Science Newsletters

Recently started: Hubble 30 initiatives!

Hubble 30: social media competition

- From 30 September to 10 November 2019, 30 special #Hubble30 images have been shared on ESA/Hubble's [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) accounts. The 12 images that receive the most likes counted from both platforms will be compiled to produce a special 30th Anniversary Calendar for 2020.
- We will select 12 winners to receive one copy of the calendar.



Hubble 30: social media competition



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#Hubble30 Vote your favourite image for a Hubble Space Telescope anniversary calendar! Check what you have to do at the end of this post

👉 #Hubble30 Image Number 30 👉

Scattered stars in Sagittarius

This colourful and star-studded view of the Milky Way galaxy was captured when Hubble pointed its cameras towards the constellation of Sagittarius (The Archer). Blue stars can be seen scattered across the frame, set against a distant backdrop of red-hued cosmic companions. The colour of a star can reveal many of its secrets. Shades of red indicate a star much cooler than the Sun, so either at the end of its life, or much less massive. These lower-mass stars are called red dwarfs and are thought to be the most common type of star within the Milky Way. Similarly, brilliant blue hues indicate hot, young, or massive stars, many times the mass of the Sun.

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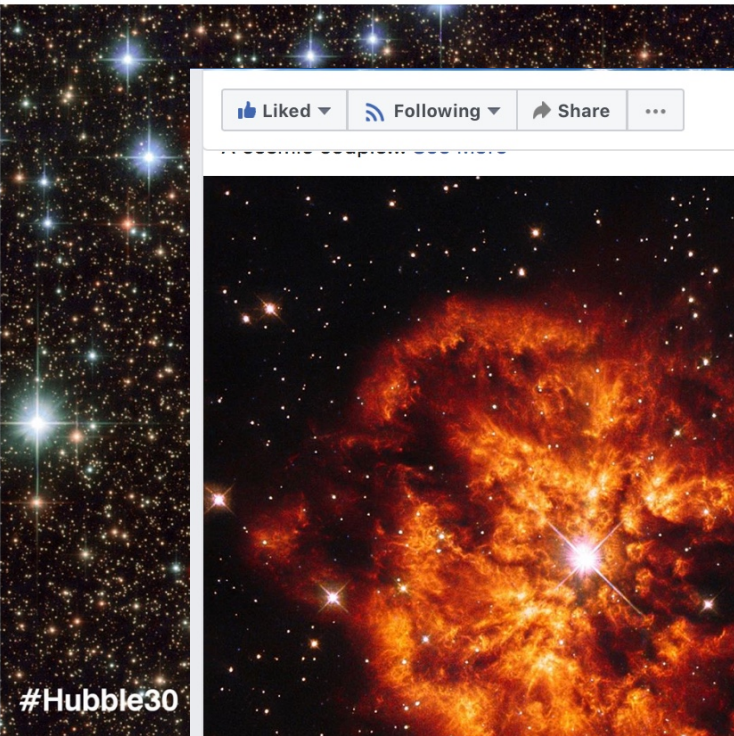
👉 To celebrate three decades of success in science, engineering and culture, we at ESA/Hubble are sharing 30 hidden gems on Facebook and Instagram. The 12 images that receive the most likes will be used to produce a special Hubble 30th Anniversary Calendar for 2020.

What do you have to do?

- ★ Like & Follow our page
- ★ Hit 🍷 or ❤️ on your favourite image(s) from the #Hubble30 series we are posting here
- ★ Leave us a comment on your favourite image(s) so we can easily contact you if you are the winner of one of the calendars.

More info on the competition can be found here: socsi.in/mjcKs
More info on the image: socsi.in/AqILV

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Eric Trowbridge and 5K others

149 Comments 470 Shares

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Hubble 30: Anniversary image synchronized unveiling

To celebrate Hubble's 30 incredible years in orbit, ESA/Hubble will deliver high-quality large-format prints of Hubble's anniversary image for display at informal education venues across Europe (and in the US, coordinated by STScI/OPO).

Applications being received now.



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Hubble 30: Anniversary image synchronized unveiling

- Institutions will hold an image unveiling event on or after the date provided.
- They will ensure a strong media presence at the event and encourage press coverage, including social media coverage.
- The event must be free and open to the public.
- Engage with social media by tweeting or uploading pictures of their event on Facebook.
- Identify a long-term plan for displaying the Hubble anniversary image
- Honour the ESA/NASA press embargo.



Hubble 30 Anniversary: THE conference



Science with the Hubble and James Webb Space Telescopes VI

Entering a golden age for UV – Optical - IR space astronomy



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