

Thematic discussion of astronauts and cosmonauts on the historical aspects and prospects for the development of manned programs organized by the State Space Corporation "Roscosmos" on the margins of the 64th session of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space

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Humanity has always dreamed of conquering space. We proudly recall Yuri Gagarin's first space flight. In 2021 the entire global community celebrate the 60th anniversary of this significant event with which the era of practical space exploration began and totally forever changed the world. Then we also witnessed the first space flight by a woman, the first spacewalk and human landing on the Moon.

In order to underline the importance of the cosmonaut/astronaut profession ROSCOSMOS organizes a thematic discussion of astronauts and cosmonauts on the historical aspects and prospects for the development of manned programs.



Moderator:

Mr. Vasiliy Gudnov – Head of Multilateral Cooperation Division of International Cooperation Department of ROSCOSMOS



Speakers:

Mr. Dumitru-Dorin Prunariu – Romanian Association for Space Technology and Industry – ROMSPACE, Member, Board of the Romanian Space Agency Astronaut and Expert

Mr. Andreas Enevold Mogensen – ESA astronaut, Member of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA), Member of the American Astronautical Society (AAS), Member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), Member of the Association of Space Explorers (ASE)

Mr. Oleg Ivanovich Skripochka – Hero of the Russian Federation, pilot-cosmonaut of the Russian Federation

Mr. Yang Liwei – Deputy General Designer of the Chinese Manned Space Program, pilot-cosmonaut

Mr. Talgat Amangeldievich Musabayev – Deputy of the Senate of the Parliament of the Republic of Kazakhstan, pilot-cosmonaut of the Russian Federation, pilot-cosmonaut of the Republic of Kazakhstan (TBC)

Mr. Arnaldo Tamayo Méndez – Cuban pilot-cosmonaut (TBC)

Mr. Hazza Al Mansouri – UAE Astronaut (TBC)

NASA astronaut (TBC)