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 **Astronaut Appearances**

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## Welcome to Astronaut Appearances

This website allows individuals and organizations to submit an astronaut appearance request for an active NASA astronaut to speak at a sponsored event. In order to reach as many people as possible, NASA offers three options for astronaut appearances: in-person, virtual, or recorded greeting. First time users will need to create a free NASA guest account before submitting a request.

[Create a NASA Guest Account](#)

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### Paperwork Reduction Act Statement

This information collection meets the requirements of 44 U.S.C. § 3507, as amended by section 2 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. You do not need to answer these questions unless we display a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The OMB control number for this collection is 2700-0189 and expires on 8/31/2025. We estimate that it will take five (5) minutes to read the instructions, gather the facts, and answer the questions. Send only comments regarding the time estimate to: [Astronaut Appearances Office](#)

### Privacy Act Statement

**AUTHORITY:** 42 U.S.C. 2451, et seq., the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958, as amended  
**PURPOSE:** To collect information from persons requesting astronaut appearances.  
**ROUTINE USES:** Use and disclosure of your records within and outside of NASA may occur in accordance with the NASA Security Records System Privacy Act System of Record Notices published at <https://www.nasa.gov/content/nasa-privacy-act-system-of-records-notices-sons> and as permitted by the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended (5 U.S.C. 552a(b)).  
**DISCLOSURE:** Providing this information is voluntary; however, failure to provide the requested information may result in the denial of access.

Website Owner: John McBride/Aaron Goldenthal

Accessibility

Curator: Astronaut Appearances Office

## Request Progress

Select Request Type	Complete Request Form	Submit to Appearances Office	Appearance Office Processing	Request Processed
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### Please Select the Type of Appearance You're Requesting

The type of appearance you're requesting will help us gather the correct information to best service your request

☐ Virtual  
An appearance conducted virtually using a digital platform (i.e Microsoft Teams).

☒ In Person  
An appearance at a specific location whether local (Greater Houston area), domestic (continental US), or international.  
☒ As the representative of the organization submitting the request for an in-person appearance, I have the authority to offer payment for the astronaut's travel expenses on behalf of the organization. I acknowledge that the requesting organization will be responsible for all expenses incurred related to the appearance. I understand that if the organization is unable to provide payment to support an in-person appearance that a virtual appearance or recorded greetings may be available at no cost.

☐ Recorded Greeting  
An audio or video message recorded in advance to be played at your event.

# Request Progress

Select Request Type

Complete Request Form


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Complete Request Form

 You are filling out an In Person Request


[Change My Request Type](#)

## Please Tell Us About Yourself

We need to know who is making the request as well as who is sponsoring the appearance. Please fill out all the contact information below. AO to provide definitions of requester/sponsor for clarification to user.

### Requester Information

Salutation *	<input type="text"/>	Last Name *	<input type="text"/>
First Name *	<input type="text"/>	Title *	<input type="text"/>
Middle Initial	<input type="text"/>	Email Address *	<input type="text"/>
Organization *	<input type="text"/>	Cell Phone	<input type="text"/>
Work Phone *	<input type="text"/>	Address 2	<input type="text"/>
Home Phone	<input type="text"/>	Country *	<input type="text"/>
Address 1 *	<input type="text"/>		
City *	<input type="text"/>		
Zip/Postal Code	<input type="text"/>		

 If zip code is not applicable for your country, please enter "0"


☐ I am also the contact

### Contact Information

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### Contact Information

Salutation *	<input type="text"/>	Last Name *	<input type="text"/>
First Name *	<input type="text"/>	Title *	<input type="text"/>
Middle Initial	<input type="text"/>	Email Address *	<input type="text"/>
Organization *	<input type="text"/>	Cell Phone	<input type="text"/>
Work Phone *	<input type="text"/>	Address 2	<input type="text"/>
Home Phone	<input type="text"/>	Country *	<input type="text"/>
Address 1 *	<input type="text"/>		
City *	<input type="text"/>		
Zip/Postal Code	<input type="text"/>		

 If zip code is not applicable for your country, please enter "0"

☐ I am also the sponsor

#### Sponsor Information

Salutation *	Required	Last Name *	Required
First Name *	Required	Title *	Required
Middle Initial		Email Address *	Required
Organization *	Required	Cell Phone	( ) _-__
Work Phone *	( ) _-__	Address 2	
Home Phone	( ) _-__	Country *	
Address 1 *	Required		
City *	Required		
Zip/Postal Code	Required		

**i** If zip code is not applicable for your country, please enter "0"

#### Appearance Information

Please tell us about the details for the appearance you are requesting. The more specific the information you can provide us, the better we can process your request.

Title for the Appearance	<b>i</b> Type a short title for this appearance. We'll reference this title in any future correspondence.
Start Date	Date event starts
End Date	Date event ends
Drop Dead Date	
Are your dates tentative?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Comments about the event	<b>i</b> Please enter any comments you feel are useful for us to know about the event and/or your needs...
City	
Country	
Zip Code	

Topic and Audience

Please tell us about any special topics you would like the speaker to discuss, as well as the type of audience and audience size

Topic(s) Requested

Enter any special topics you would like discussed. This helps our astronauts prepare for your event.

Target Audience

Example: Engineers, Accademia, Medical, School aged, etc...

Audience Size

Approximate number of audience men

Organization Type

...

Web Site

URL of your organization's website

Fundraising

☐ Yes ☐ No

Fundraising Comments

Astronaut(s) Requested

Please indicate how many astronauts you are requesting, any specific astronaut(s) you would like to request, and any background traits you feel will make the appearance successful. Please note that due to scheduling and mission constraints any specific astronauts you request may be unavailable. Also note that **only active NASA astronauts** are available for named astronaut selection.

Number of Astronauts Requested

☒ I'll take any astronaut ☐ I'd like to request a specific astronaut(s) ☐ I'd like to request a specific astronaut(s) but will take any if unavailable

Astronaut has flown missions

☐ Yes ☒ No

Military Branch Background

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Continue

Cancel

## Request Progress

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Submit to Appearances Office

If you're satisfied with the data you've provided for this request, click the Submit button below to submit it to the Appearances Office for processing. If for any reason you wish to modify or edit the request, please click the Review/Edit My Request button to make any changes.

Please note that once your request is submitted, you cannot make any changes.

Submit to Appearances Office

Review/Edit My Request

# Request Progress

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Thank you. Your request titled EXTERNAL DEPLOY TEST 3/22/22 has been submitted to the Appearances Office. You will receive an email from .... with additional instructions once the Appearances Office begins processing your request.

OK