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Opening Remarks IAA

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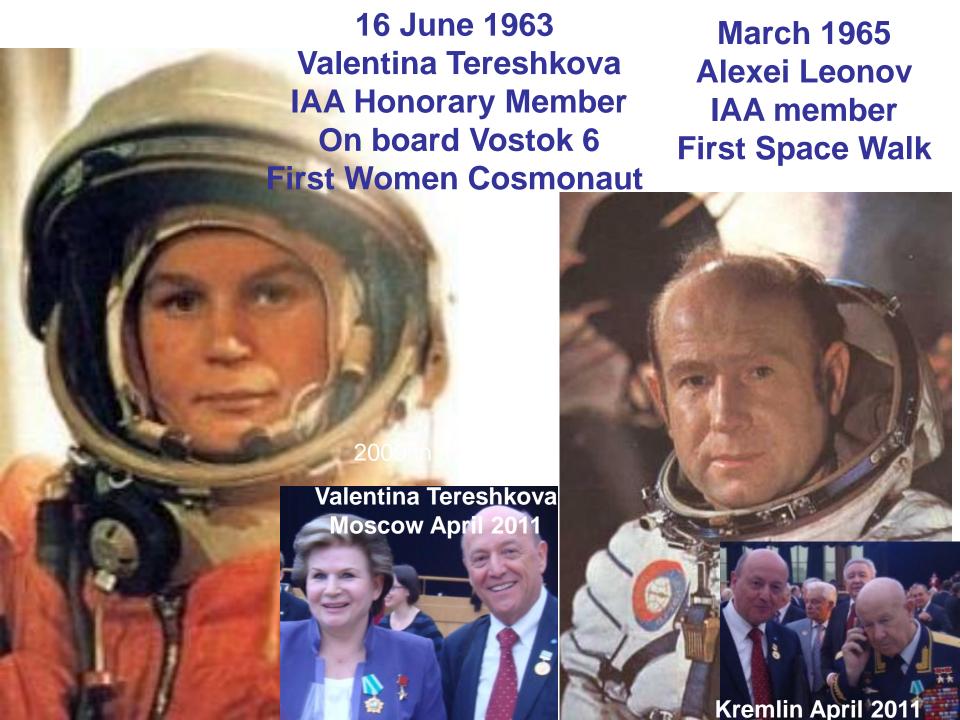
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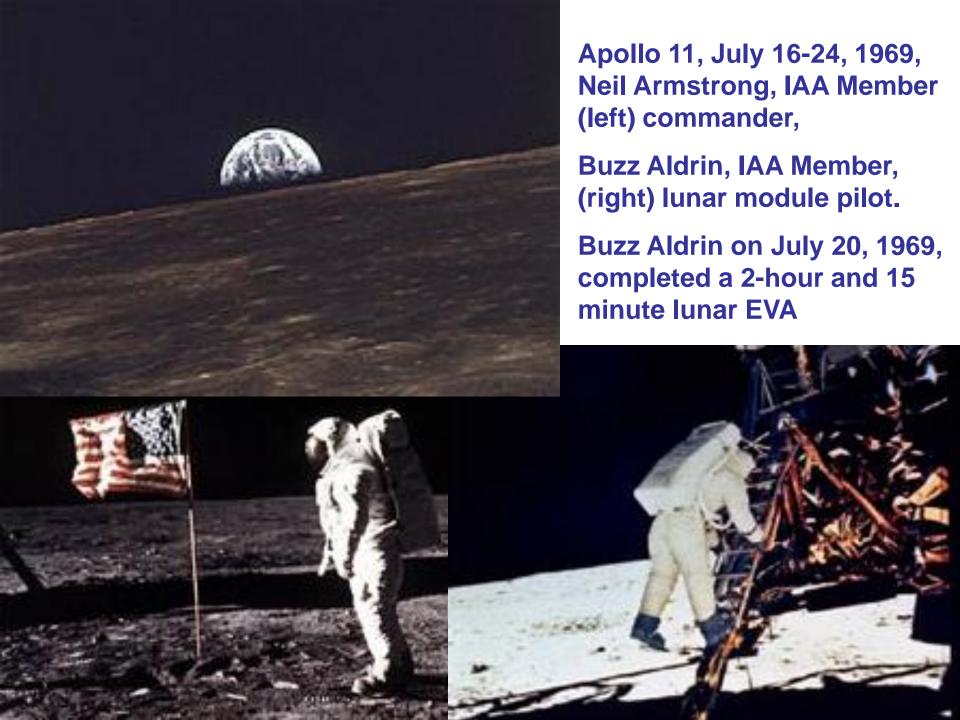
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high ranking Board of Trustees
(7 Heads of Space Agencies)
Six commissions covering all aspects of space activities,

Offers the missing forum where the best experts in all domains can meet, know each other and exchange their opinions.

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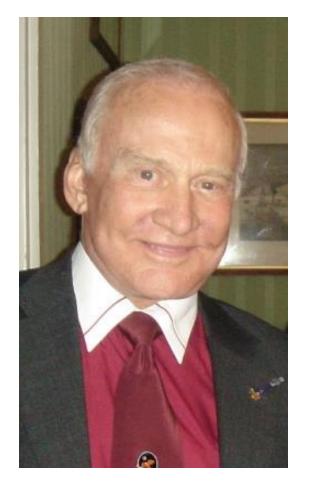




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India	35	3.0%
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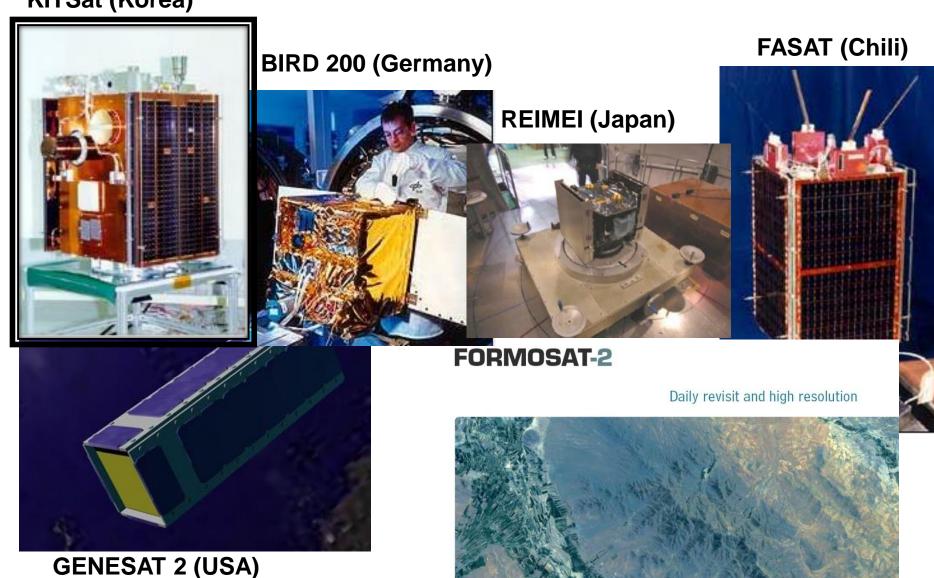
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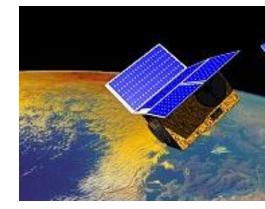
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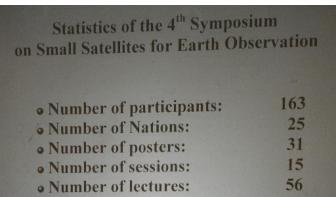








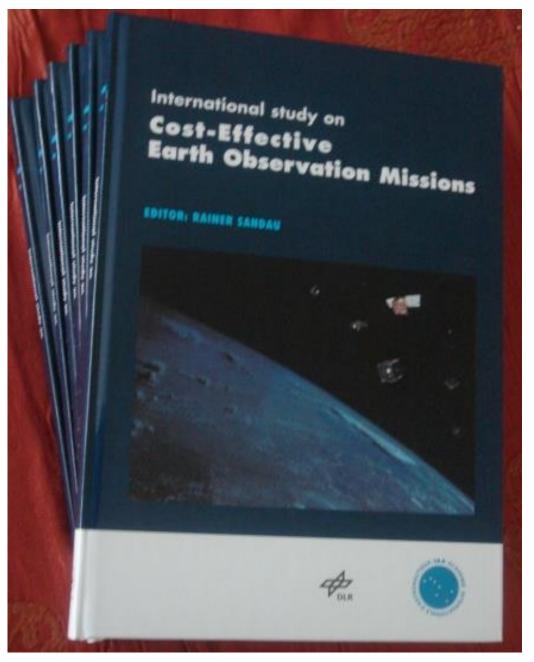






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