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Los Angeles - Las Vegas Section

The 3rd International AIAA LA-LV Space Architecture Gathering

Saturday March 27th, 2021, 10:00am-3:30pm ([Add to Calendar](#))

Pacific Daylight Time PDT (GMT -0700)(Los Angeles, US, and Canada)

Welcome and Opening by

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led and moderated by

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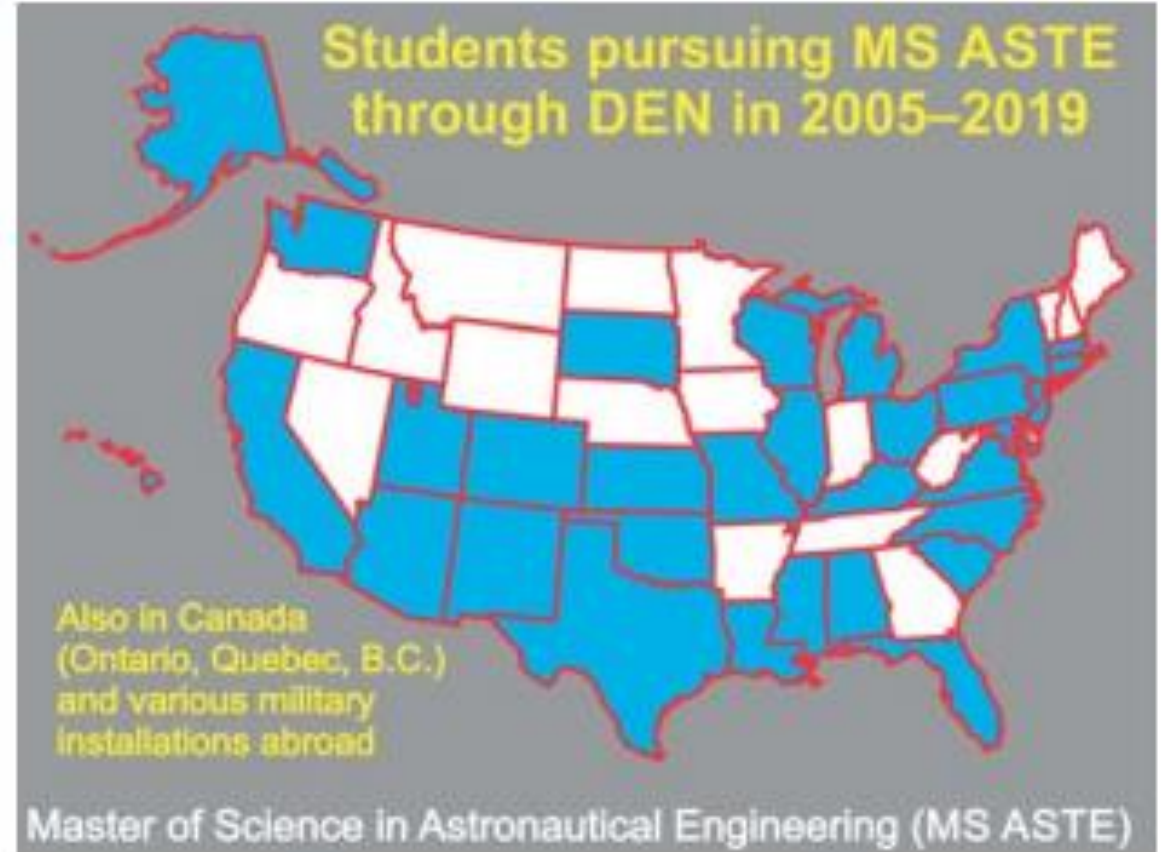
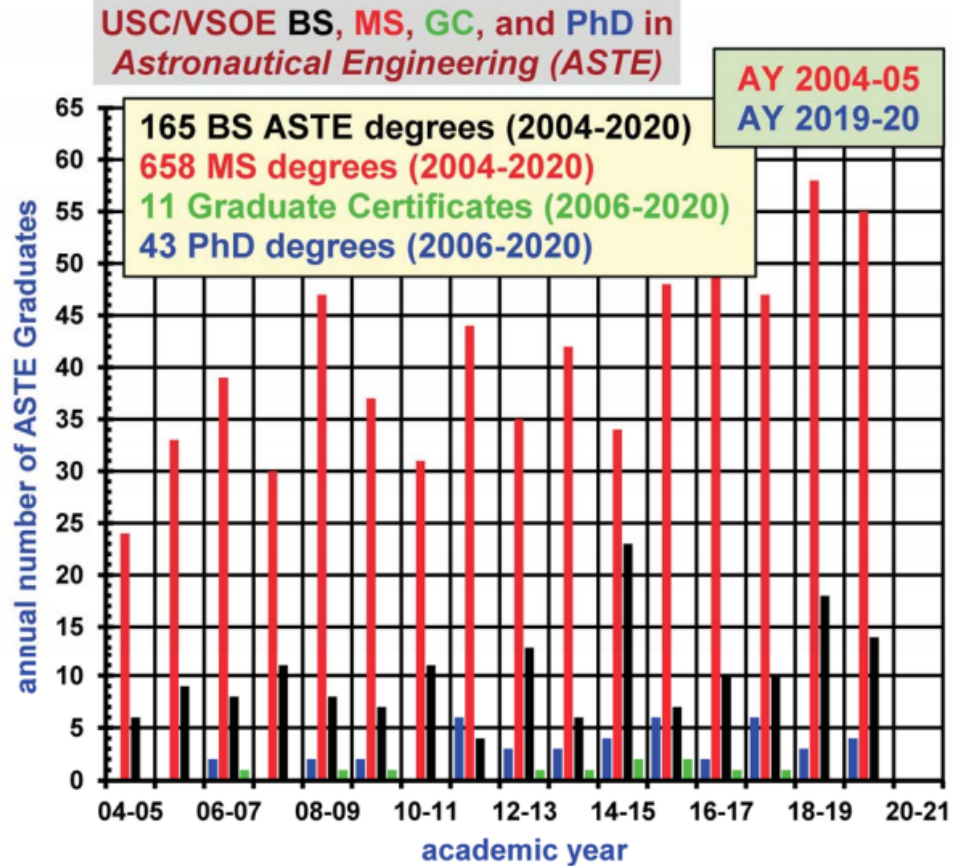
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Moon & Mars – Waiting for Architects



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USC Astronautical Engineering



USC ASTE527 Studio

- 3-Unit graduate class
- Focus on Imagination & Creativity
- Concept Creation - Rapid Visual Representation
- Originality
- Academia – Independent of Agency or Industry

ASTE527 Graduate Space Concepts Studio



USC Architecture School Extreme Environments Seminar



Pondering...

- Setting – Our World in 2050
- Planet Moon
- Implications for Future City
- Philosophy for A Space Faring Civilization ?
- Space Architecture

WILEY

WILEY-PRAXIS Series in
Space Science and Technology

PRAXIS

THE MOON

**Resources, Future Development
and Colonization**

David Schrunk, Burton Sharpe,
Bonnie Cooper and Madhu Thangavelu



David Schrunk • Burton Sharpe • Bonnie Cooper • Madhu Thangavelu

THE MOON

Resources, Future Development, and Settlement

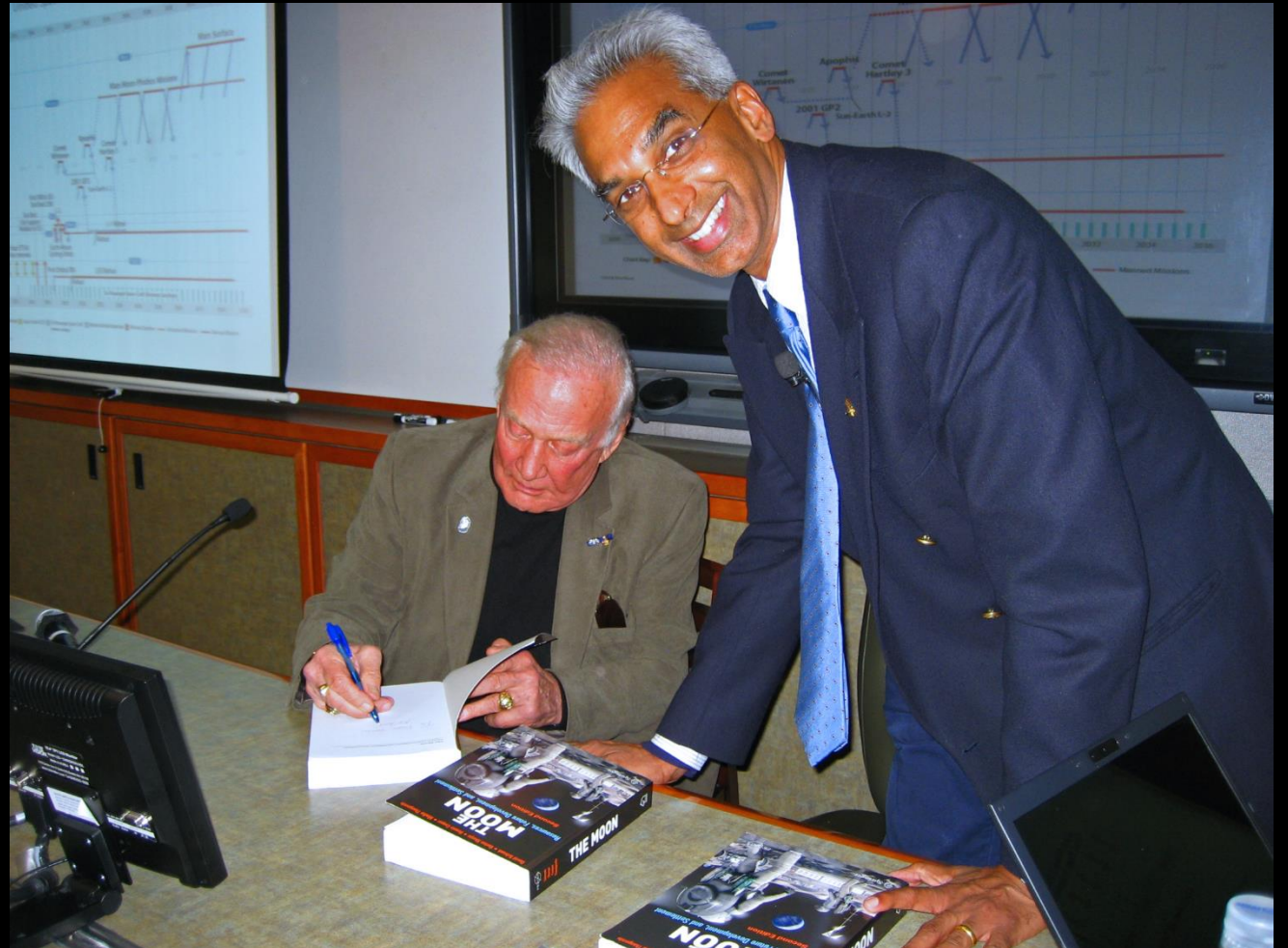
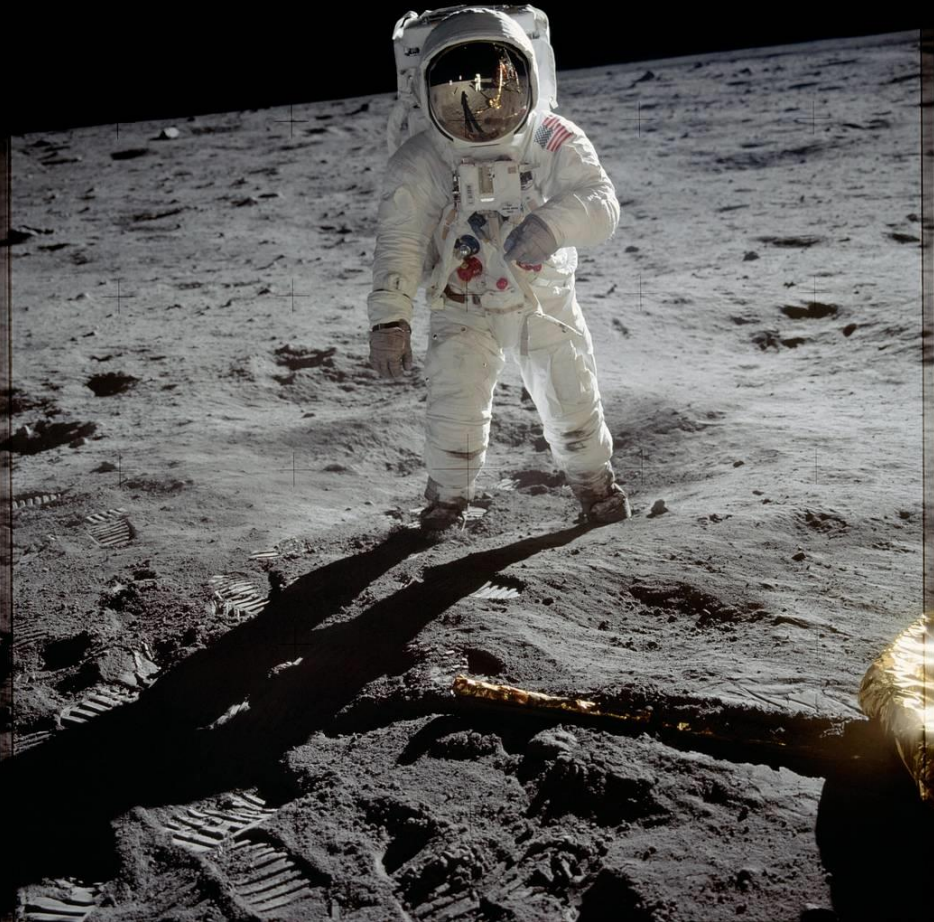
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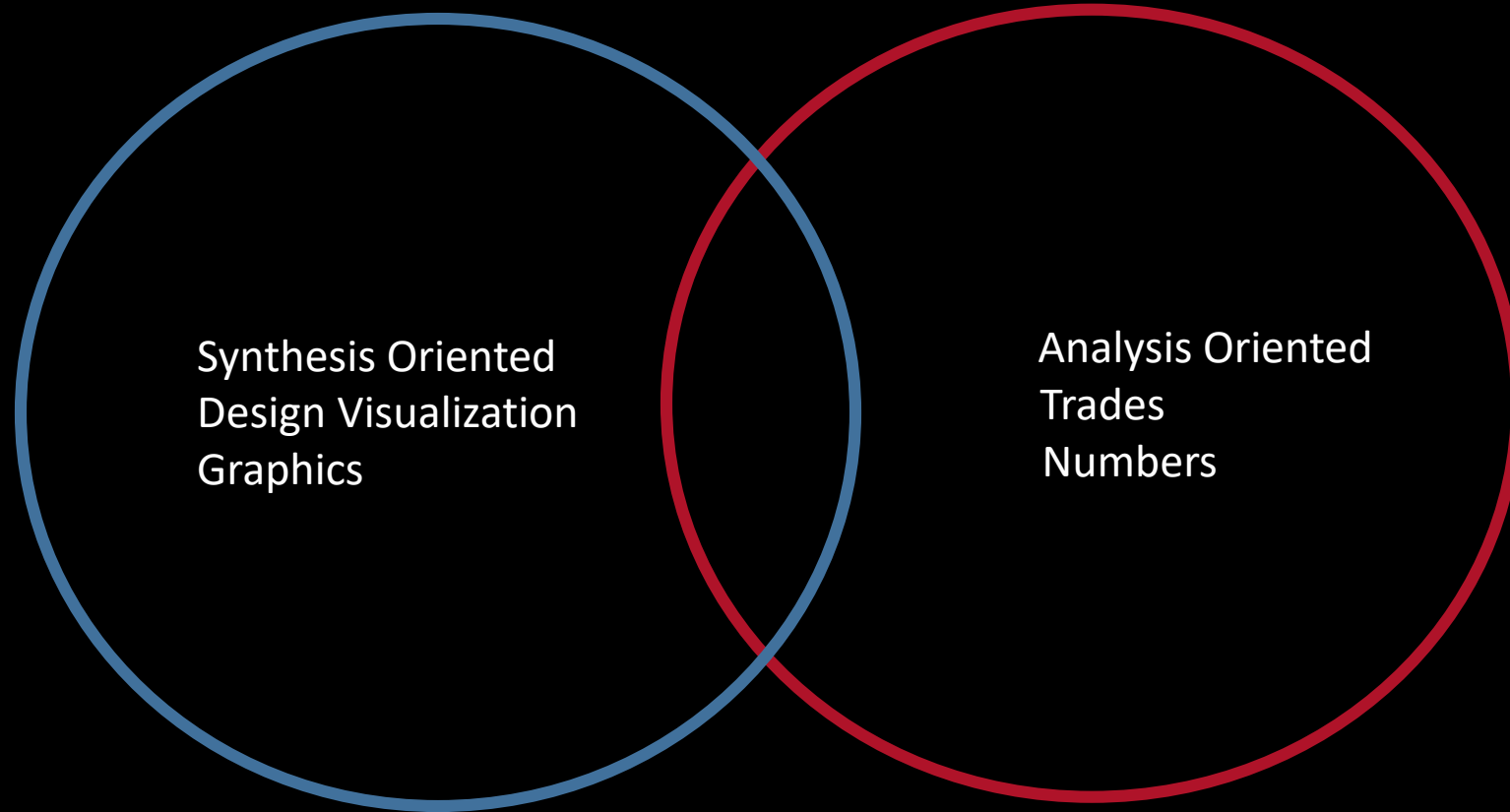
Springer

PRAXIS

Buzz Aldrin – Human Spaceflight Institute



Architecture & Engineering



Space Architecture

- Space Habitats
- Alien Environment – Orbital, Transit and Extraterrestrial
- Habitability – Providing Safety, Shelter and Crew Comfort
- Interdisciplinary
- All of Applied Sciences and Professions involved
- **Archives** :<https://sites.google.com/a/usc.edu/aste527/home>





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[1999 - The Exploration of Mars: Crew Surface Activities](#)

[2004 - Hercules - Human Earth Moon Rover Competition To Upgrade Lunar Exploration Vehicles](#)

[2008 - Return to the Moon - Looking Glass 204](#)

[2009 - Evolution of ISS Part 1](#)

[2010 - Evolution of ISS Part 2](#)

[2011 - The US Department of Space](#)

[2012 - Cosmic Synergy - Administration-Enterprise Alliance](#)

[2012 - ASTE 527 Midterm Presentations](#)

[2013 - Eden Shield - Concept and Strategies for Planetary Defense](#)

[2014 - Tipping Point - The Future of Astronaut Activity and Human Spaceflight](#)

[2015 - LunaRevolution - Role of the Moon in the Future of Human Space Activity](#)

[2016 - SeleneOption : High Fidelity Simulations and Analogs on the Moon](#)

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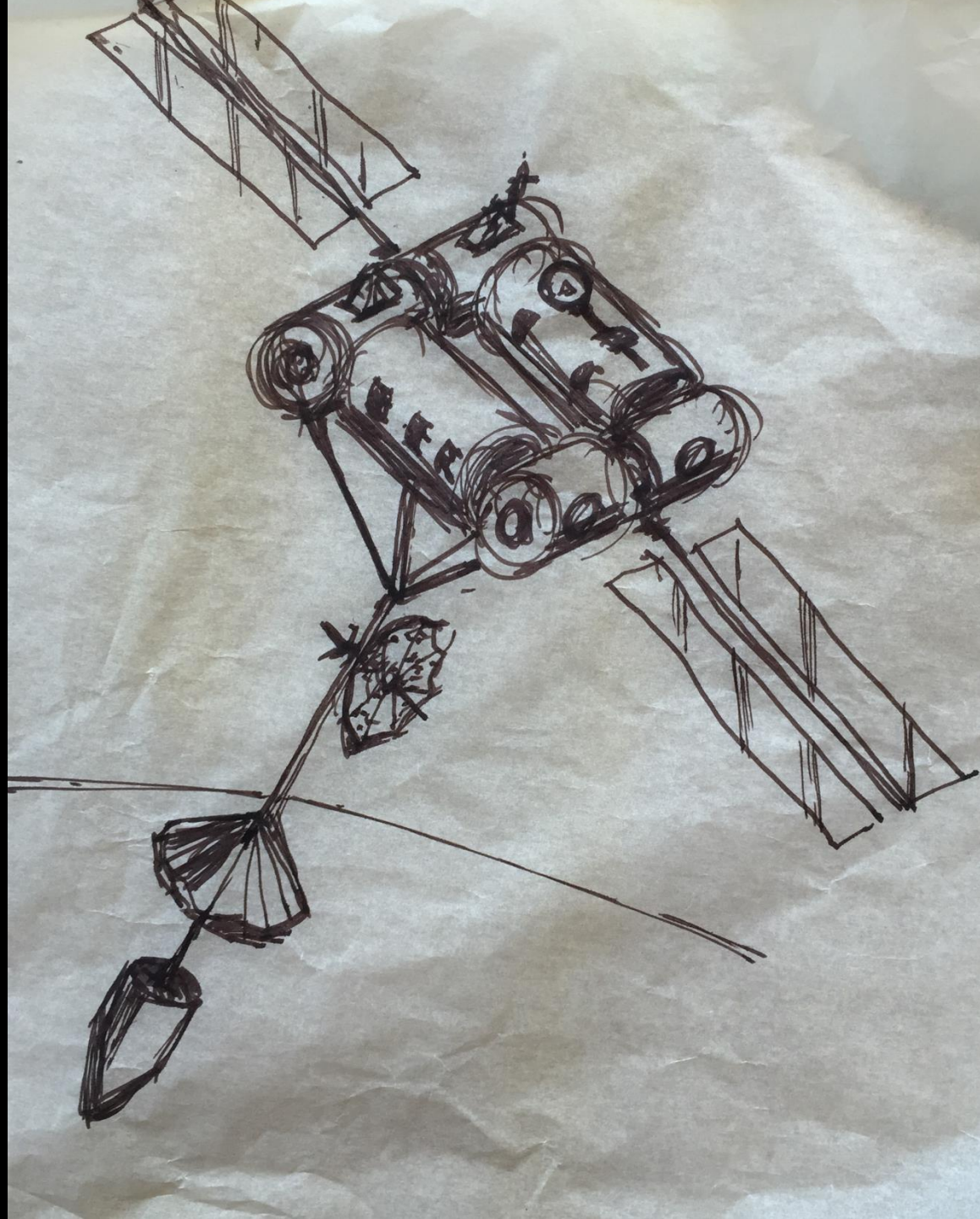
[2018 - ADAM](#)

[2019 - USC ARTEMIS: MAXIM](#)

[2020 - ARTEMIS: TWINS](#)

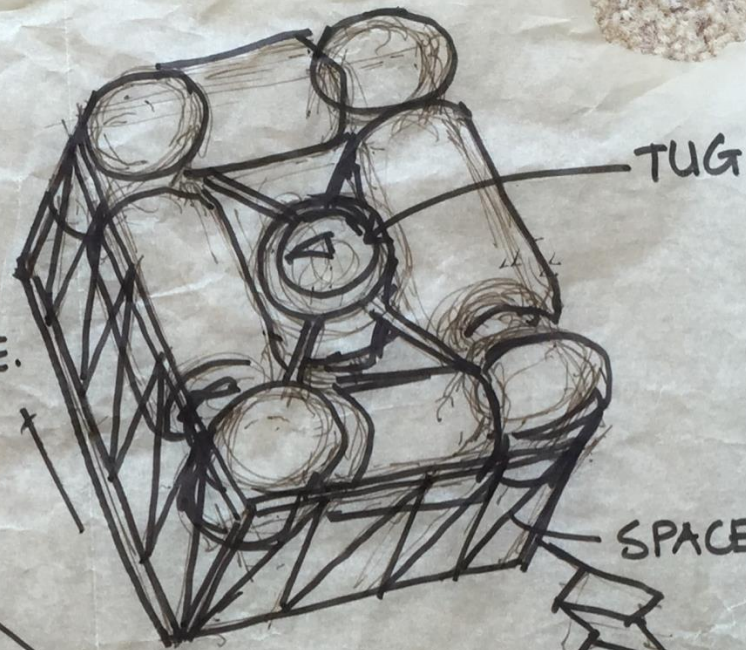
[PLANET MOON](#)

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ON-ORBIT ASSEMBLY

- MODULES LINKED IN LEO
- SPACE STRUCTURE PLATFORM CUSHION ADDED.
- TUG LANDS BASE DOUBLES AS COMMAND CTR. & RESCUE VEHICLE.



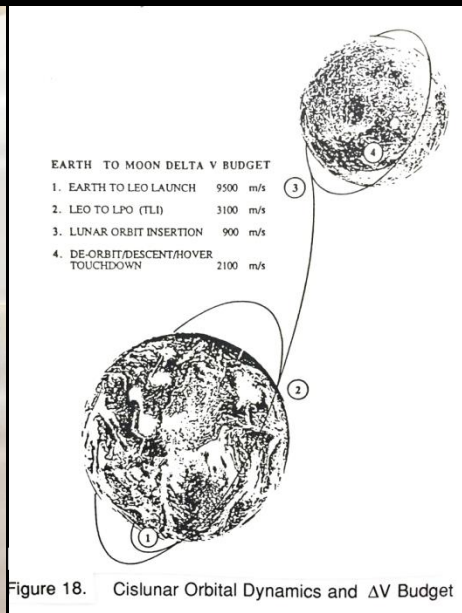
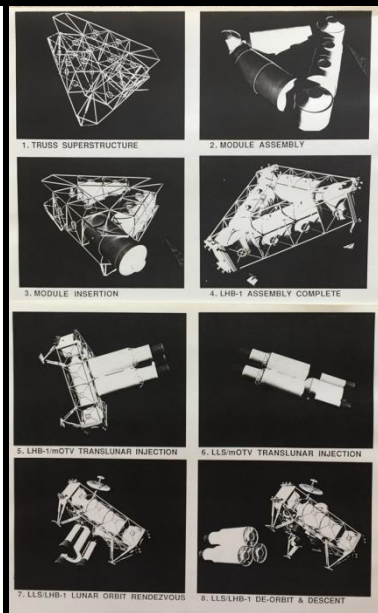
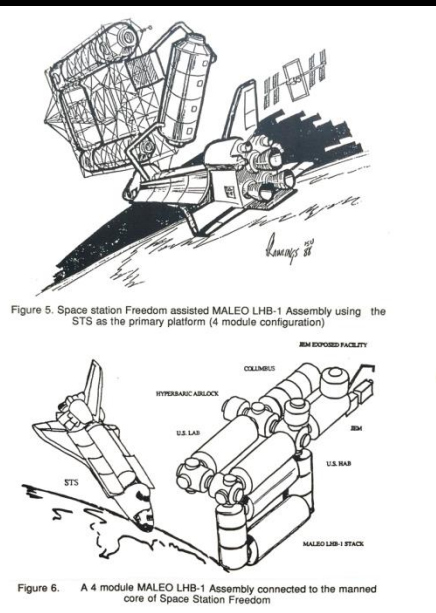
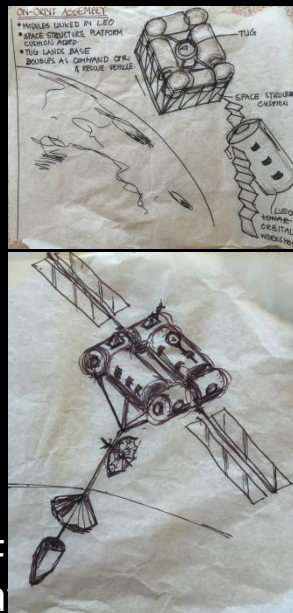
SPACE STRUCTURE CUSHION



LEO LUNAR ORBITAL WORKSHOP

MALEO : Module Assembly in low Earth Orbit

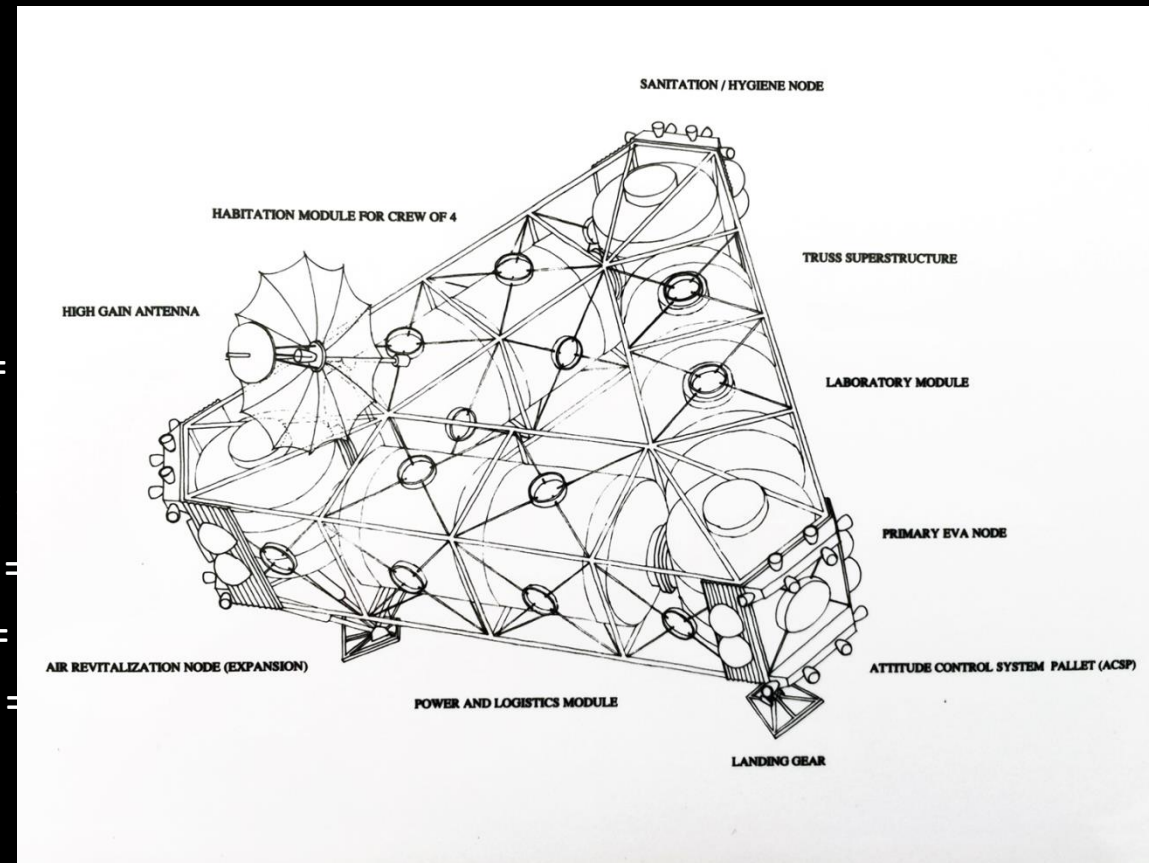
- A strategy to build and commission a lunar surface habitat complex by integrating several modules in LEO using the ISS and her crew, and ship it to the lunar surface using custom propulsion systems, thereby avoiding the infrastructure otherwise needed to construct one piece by piece, and eliminating the clingy dust nuisance that hampers lunar surface activity.



- First presented and published at the 1988 IAC in Bangalore, India
- Several subsequent publications including USC 1988, IAC Dresden 1990, ASCE 1992, JBIS 1993

MALEO - Salient Features

- **Payload Summary [MT]**
- Habitat Module = 15
- Lab Module = 15
- Power/Logistics = 15
- ECLSS Node = 5
- Sanitation/Hygiene =
- Airlock/EVA = 10
- Truss/Landing gear =
- 100kWSolar Arrays/Comm =
- Unpress.Electric Rover X2 =
- Attitude Control Pallet X3 =
- **Touchdown Mass**
- + lander propulsion stack

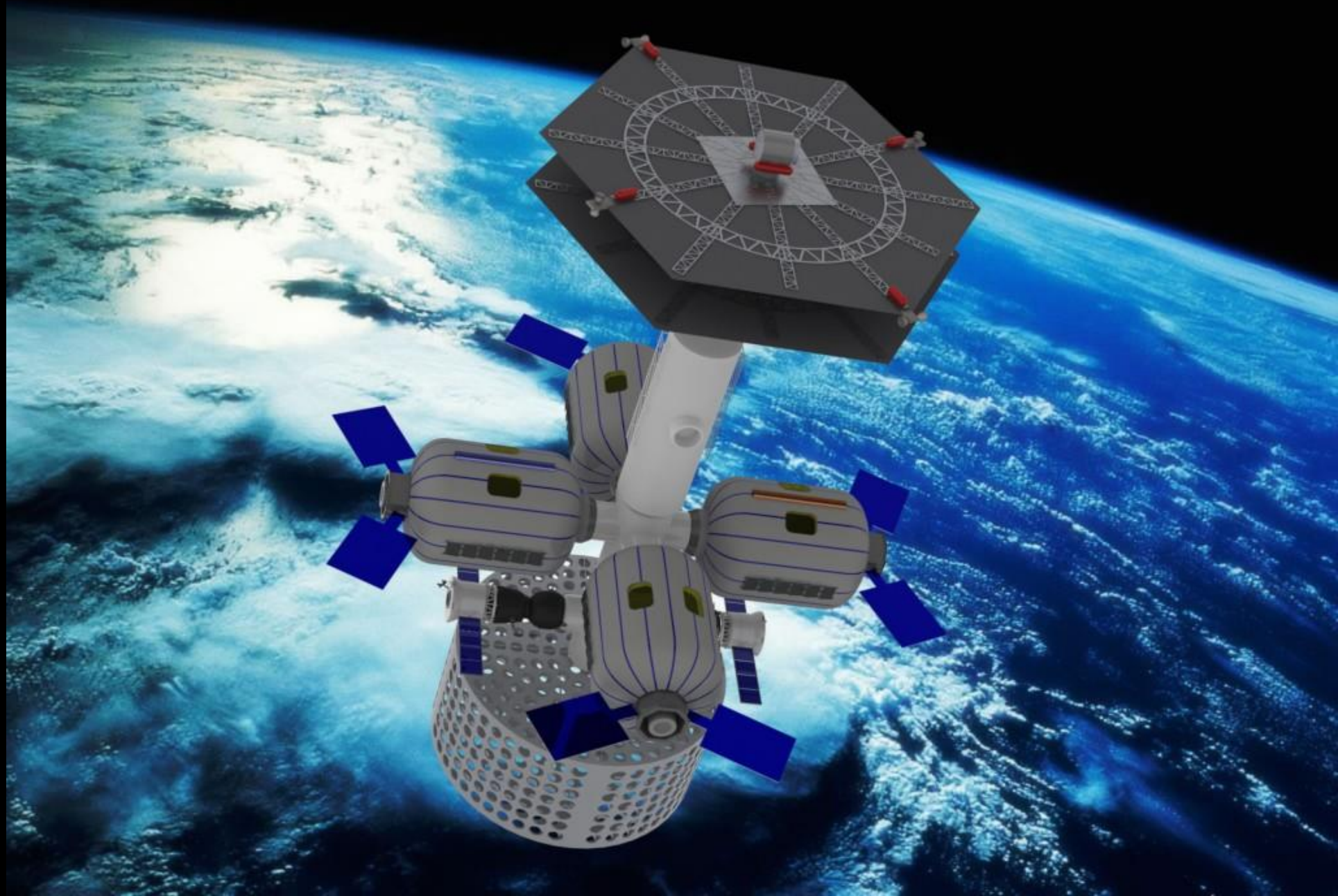


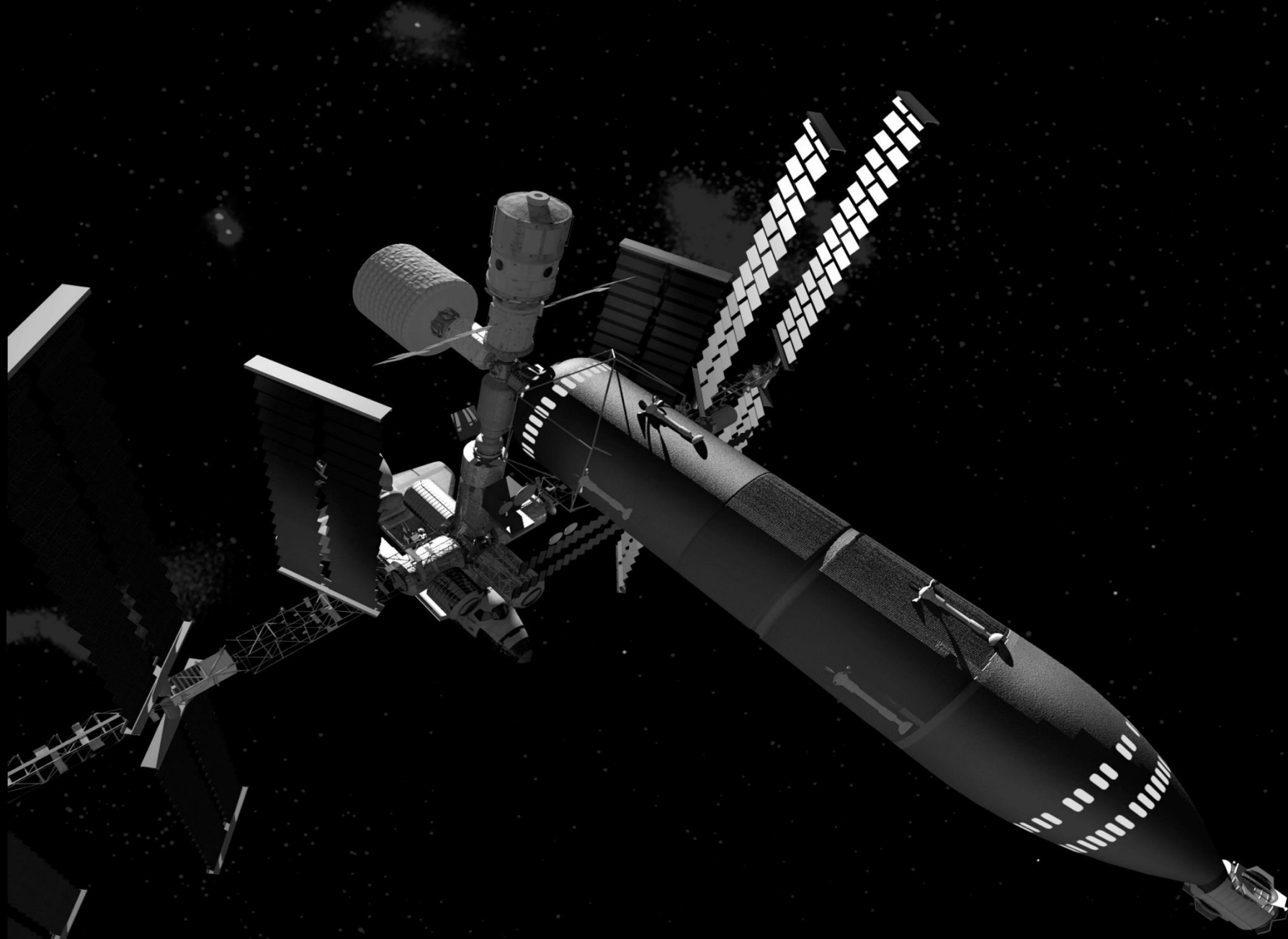
MALEO Assembly with ISS Crew – Note SpaceX Dragon

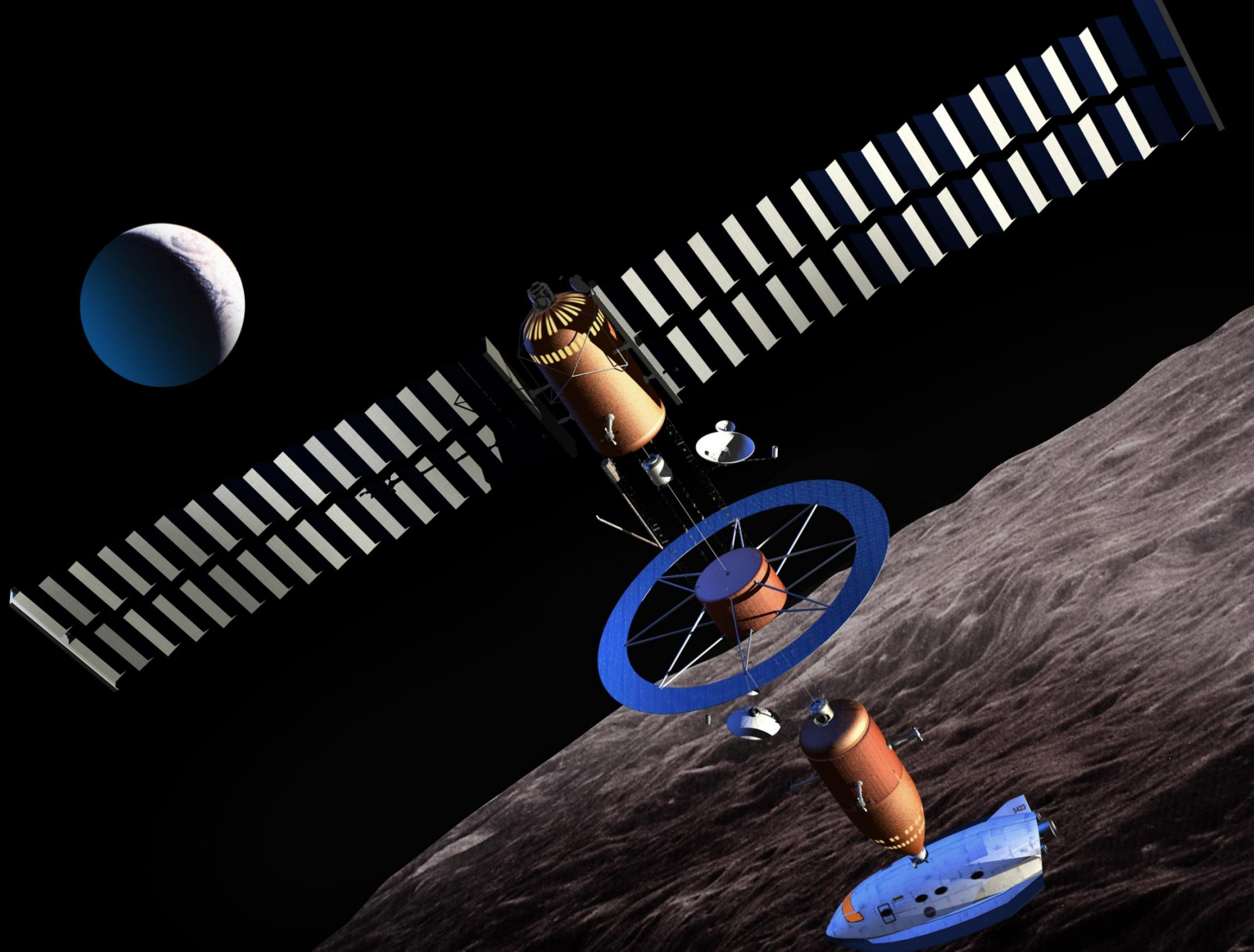


MALEO Lunar Deorbit & Landing

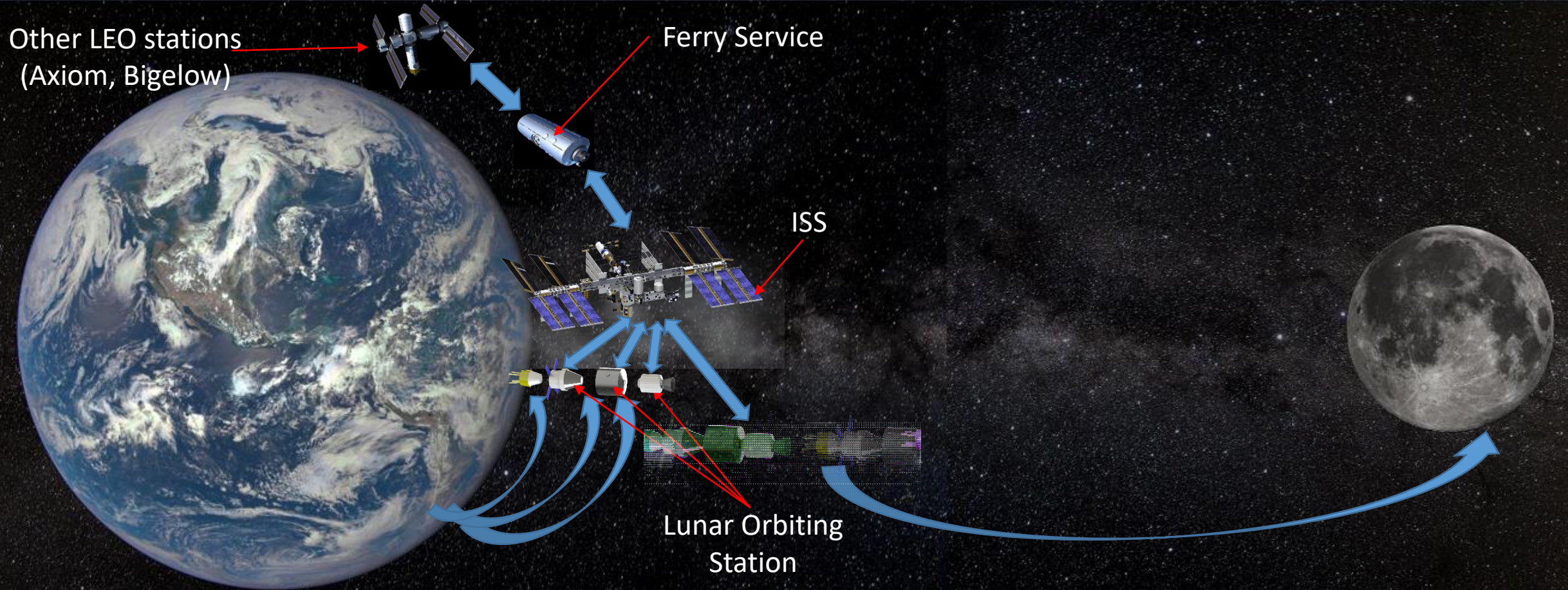


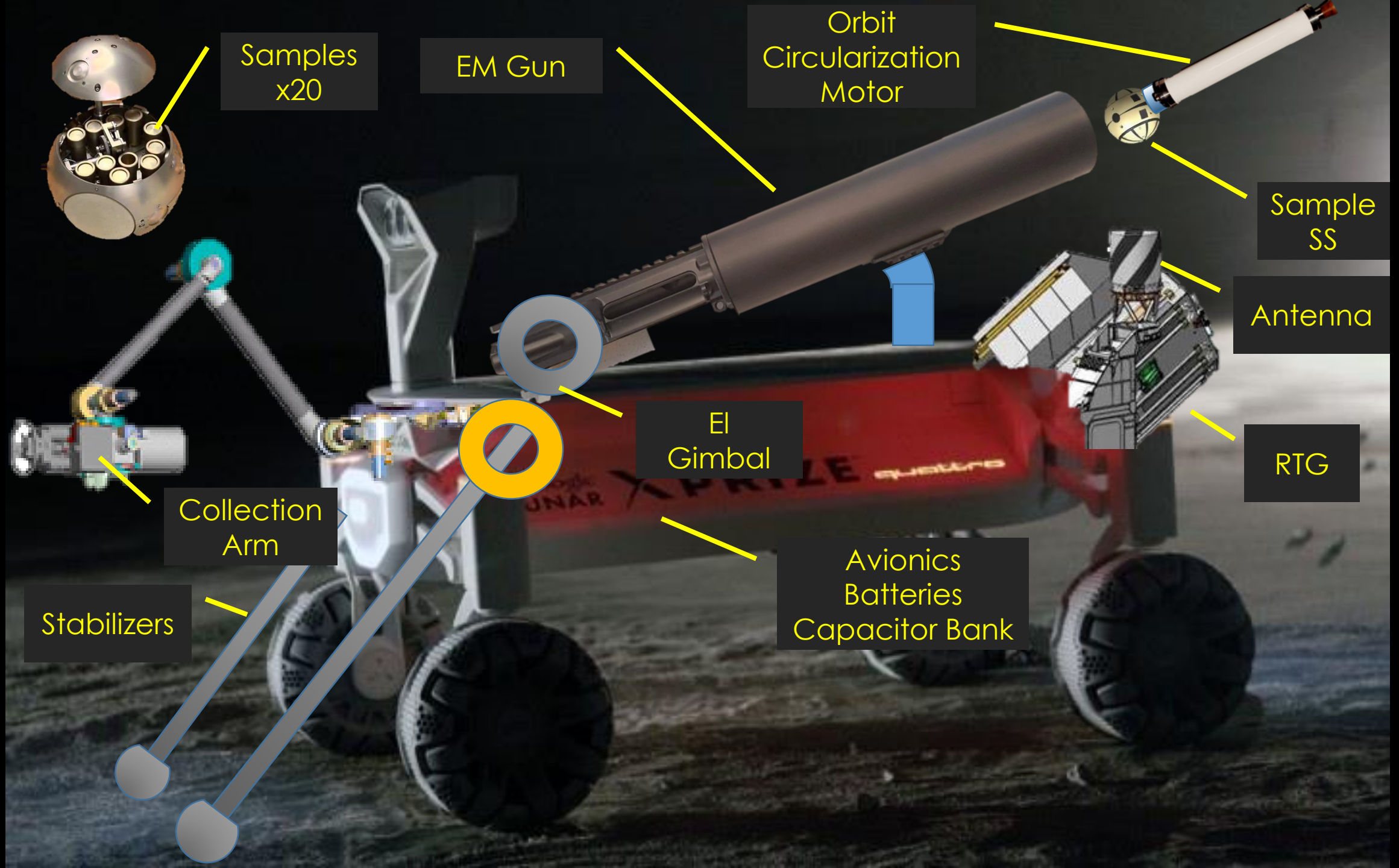




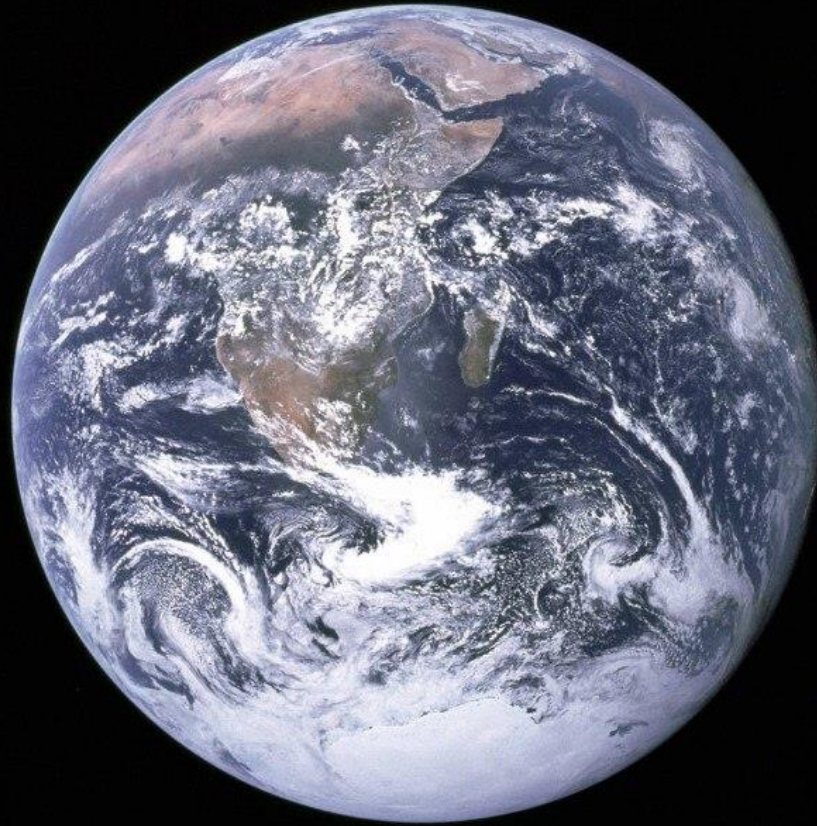


Concept of Operation

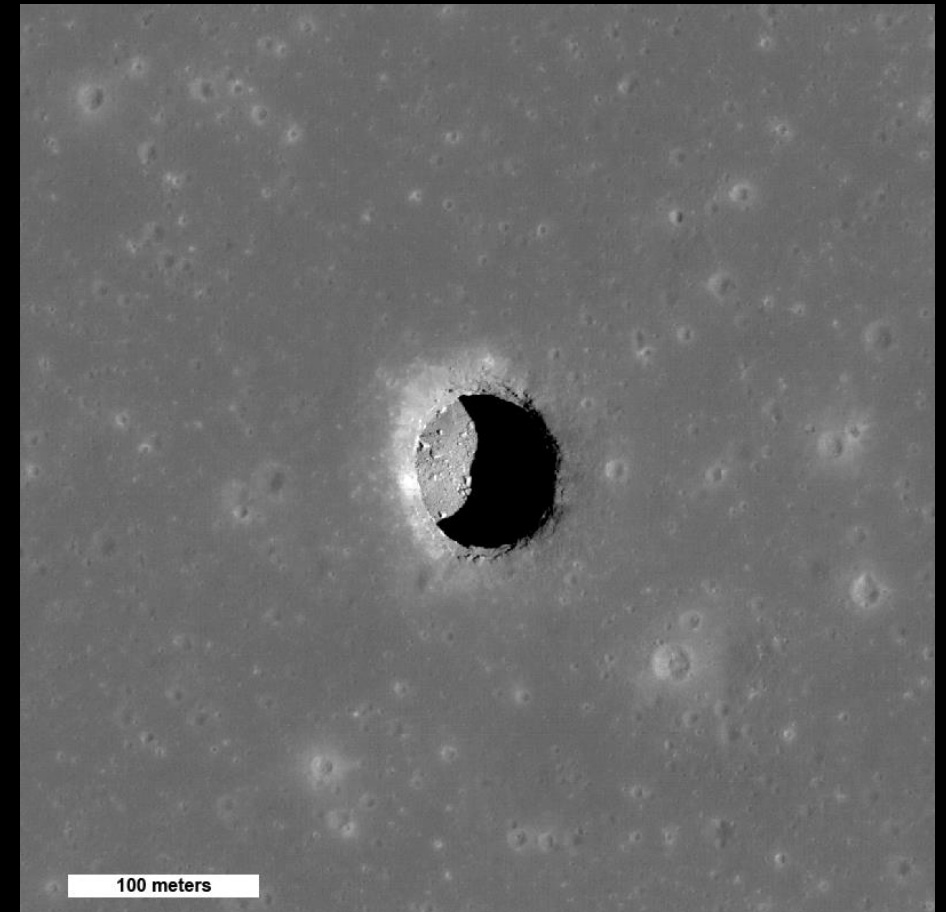




Deploy Telescopes, High Resolution Cameras for Apollo 11 Site and Earth Observation – Selene Eyes

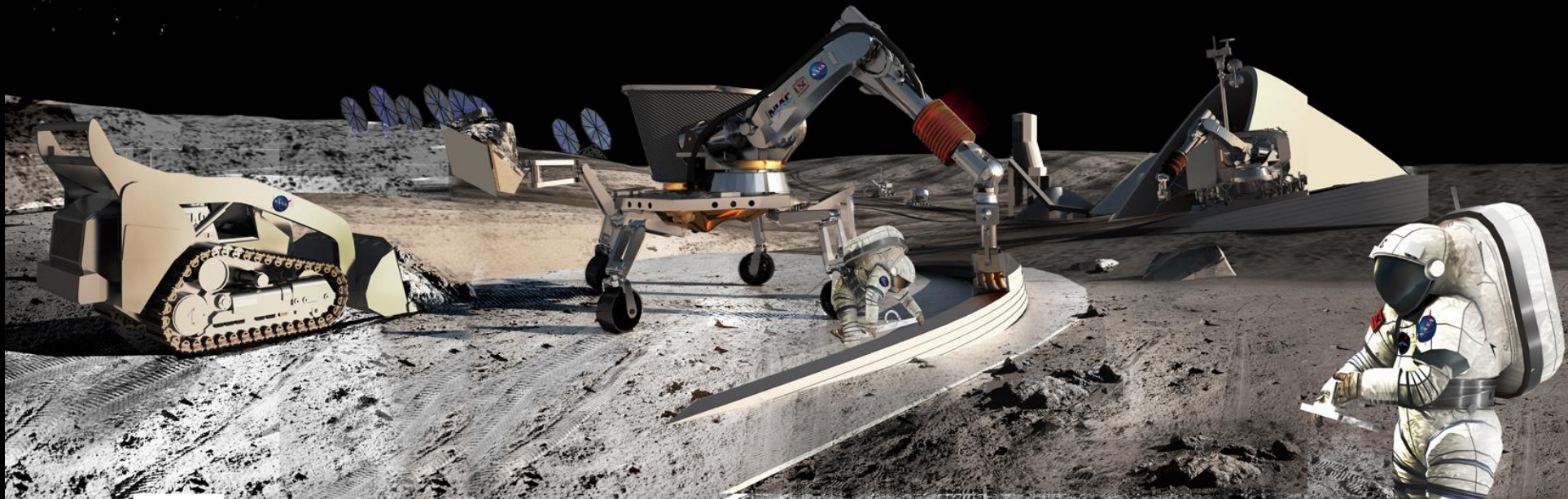


Mission2022: Astronaut-Assisted Telerobotic Exploration of Mare Tranquillitatis Pits





Robotic Construction



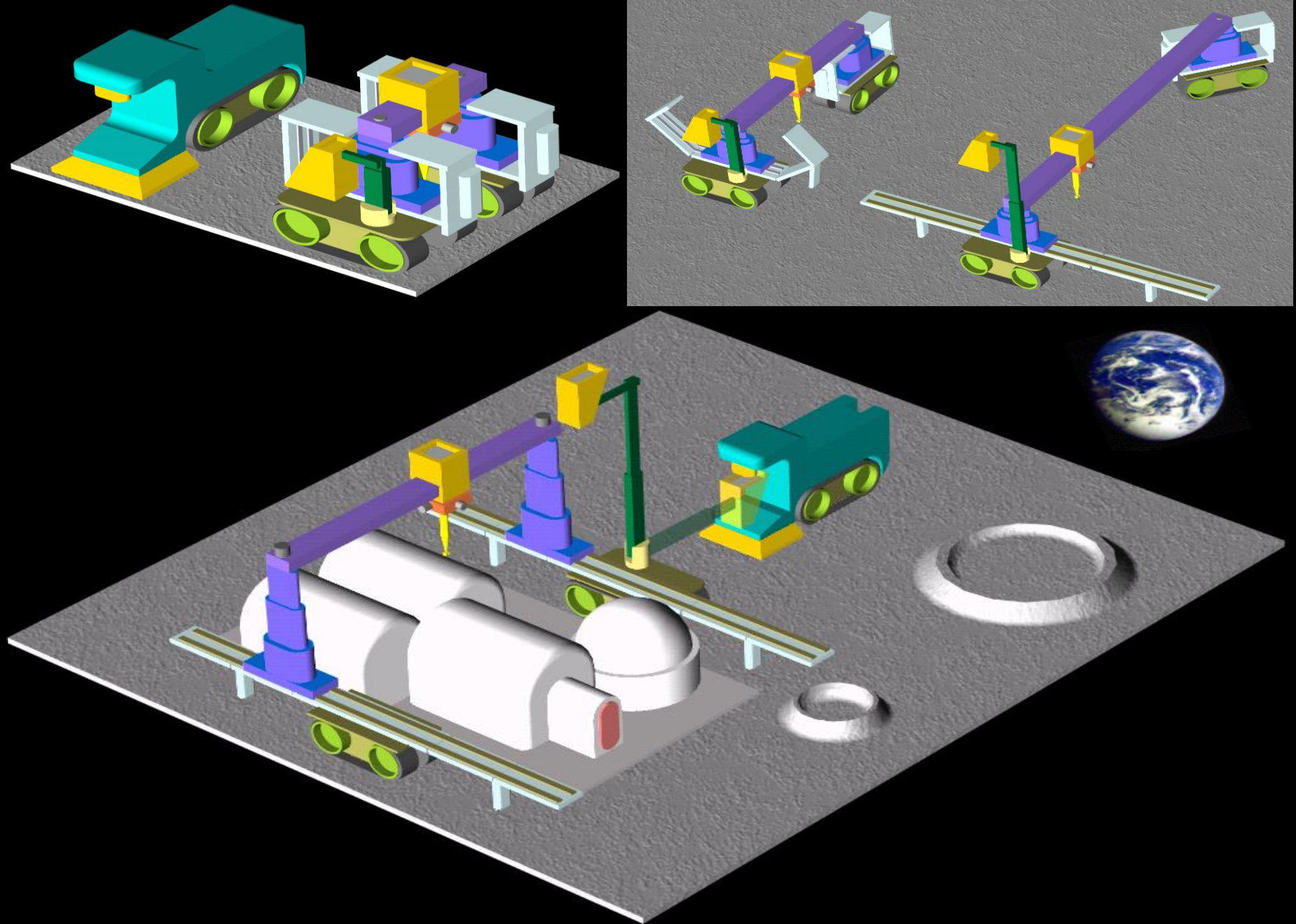
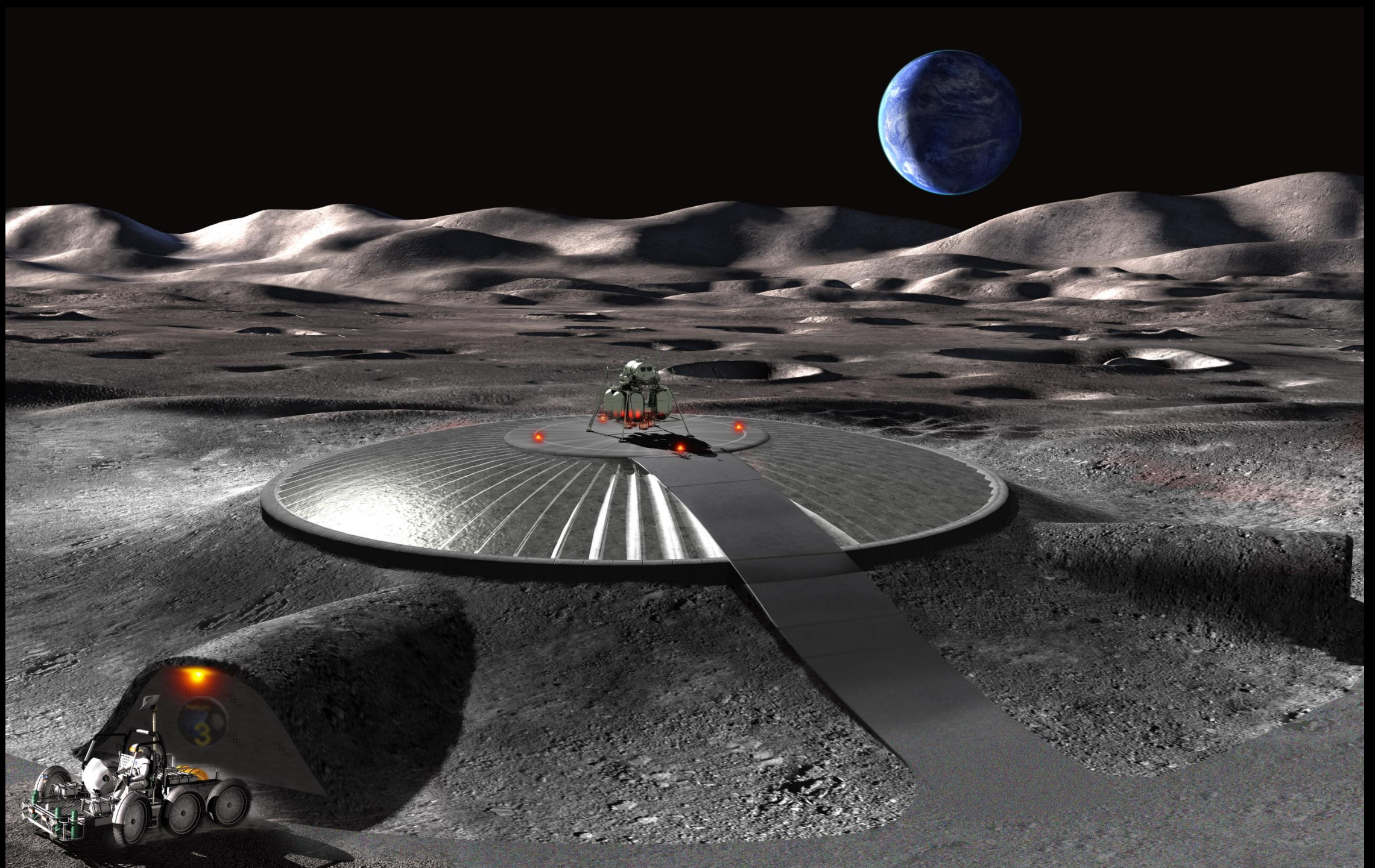
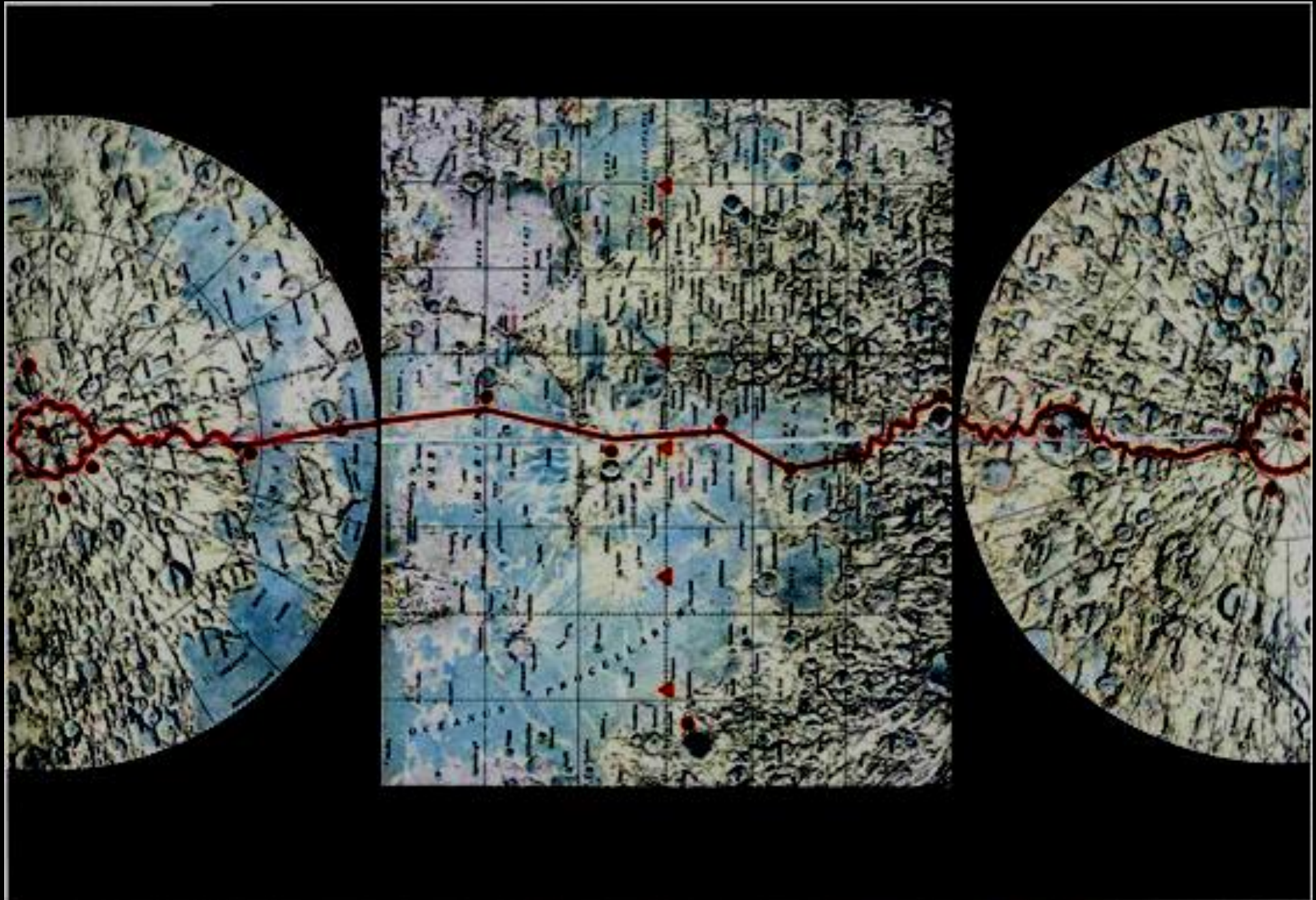
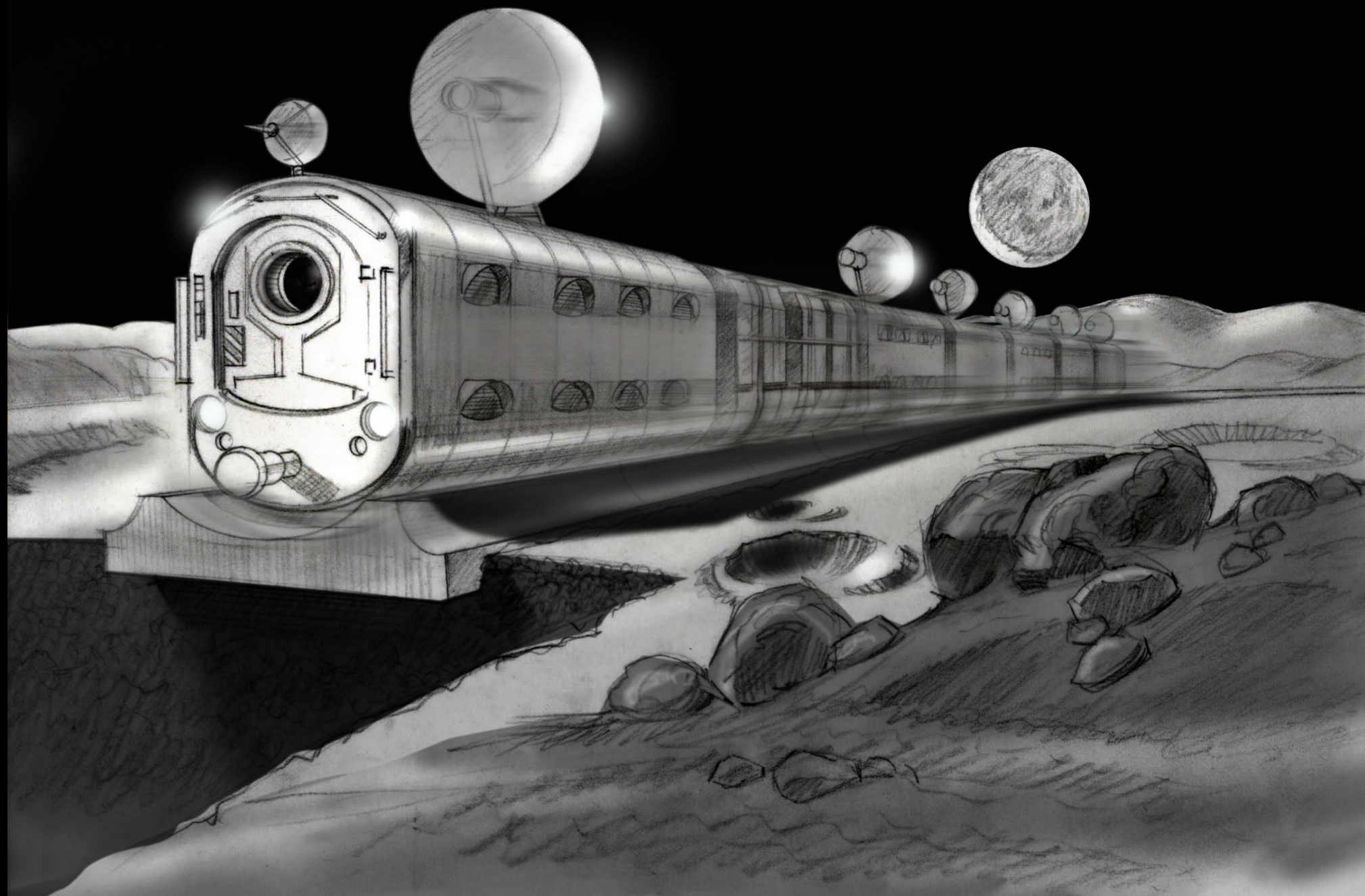


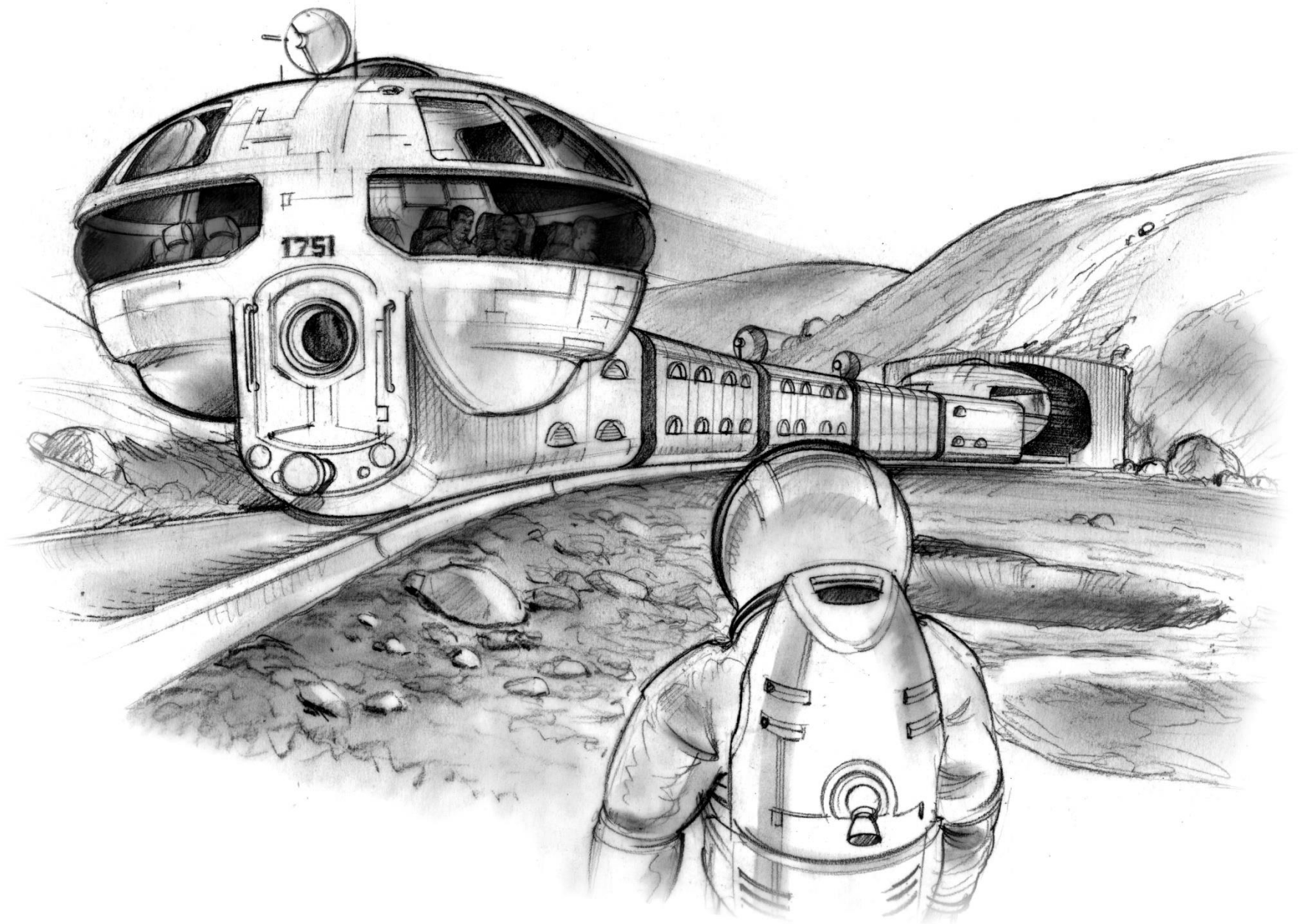
Figure 4. Deployable Contour Crafting Machines could create unpressurized structures and allied building infrastructure for lunar settlements and also in other hostile environments here on Earth



The Ultimate Train Ride – The 345 Pole to Pole Lunar MagLev



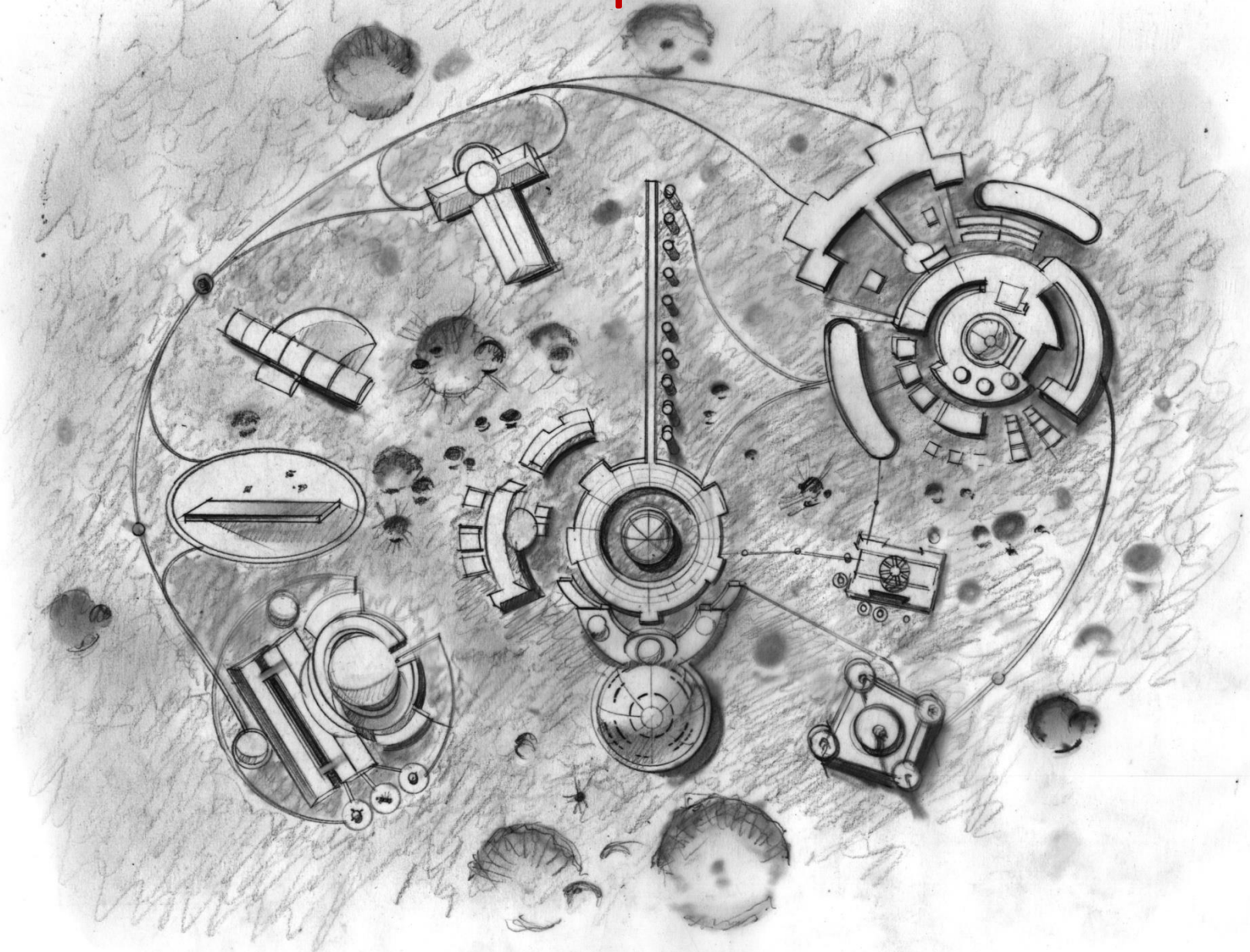


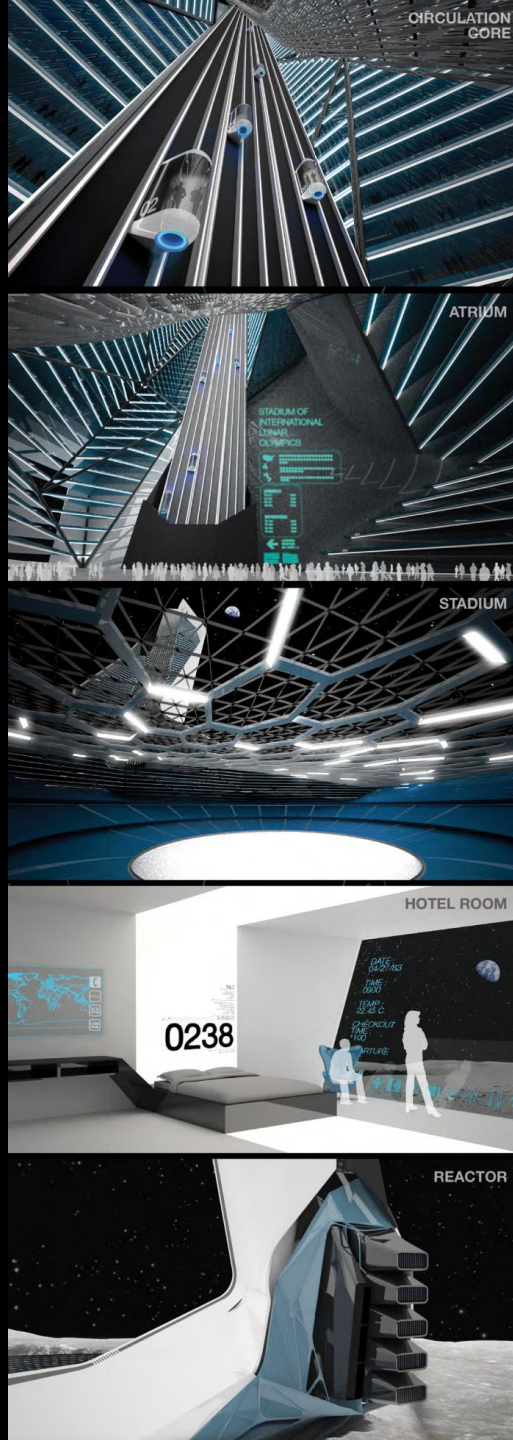


Planetary Defense from the Moon



Lunar UN Summit Hq. & Humanities Nexus





COMMUNICATIONS
TOWER
/ CONTROL ROOMS
/ BEACON

06

HOTELS
/ STAFF AREAS
/ COMMERCIAL AREA
/ RESTAURANTS

05

ANODIZED ALLOY
PROTECTIVE
STRUCTURE WITH
FUSED SILICA GLASS

04

SOLAR-EMBEDDED
ORBITAL DEBRIS
ARMOR

03

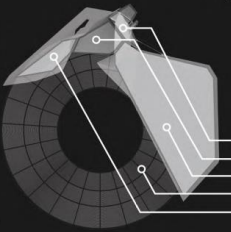
SOLAR ASSISTED
FUEL CELL REACTOR

02

INTRA-CRATER
SPORTS ARENA

01

500 METERS



FUEL CELL GENERATORS
ATRIUM / TOWER
HOTEL / GREENHOUSE
OLYMPIC STADIUM SEATING
COMMENTATOR AREA / EMERGENCY SERVICES

STADIUM OF INTERNATIONAL LUNAR OLYMPICS

SILO

CONCEPT

WITHIN THE LUNAR COLONIES OF THE FUTURE, RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES WILL ARISE AND EVOLVE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE MOON'S MICRO-GRAVITY. THE SPORTS WE KNOW TODAY WILL BE MODIFIED, AND BRAND NEW SPORTS WILL BE INVENTED. LUNAR SPORTS ASSOCIATIONS WILL BE CREATED, TEAMS WILL BE SPONSORED, GAMES WILL BE TELEVISED, AND PEOPLE FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE WILL WATCH AS THE BEST OF THE BEST COMPETE IN AN ARENA IN WHICH ALL THE RULES HAVE CHANGED. WELCOME TO THE SILO.

THIS COLONIZATION IS A SYMBOL OF MANKIND'S GREAT AMBITION AND ACHIEVEMENT - THE PERFECT LANDSCAPE FOR A STRUCTURE WHOSE PURPOSE IS TO PROVIDE A STAGE FOR MANKIND TO DISPLAY ITS GREAT STRENGTH AND SPIRIT. THE MOON PROVIDES A NEUTRAL PLAYING GROUND ON WHICH NO COUNTRY HAS THE HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE.

PROGRAM

THIS STADIUM, RESTING WITHIN A CRATER HALF A KILOMETER IN DIAMETER, CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING: A LARGE, RECONFIGURABLE PLAYING FIELD UTILIZING DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY TO PROJECT VARIOUS BOUNDARY LINES AND FIELD MARKERS DEPENDING ON THE SPORT, SEATING FOR OVER 100,000 SPECTATORS, A LARGE HOTEL FOR GUESTS, VARIOUS RESTAURANTS, A SOLAR-ASSISTED FUEL CELL POWER PLANT, AND COMMUNICATIONS TOWER.

ENERGY

THE MAJORITY OF NECESSITIES FOR OCCUPANTS ARE HARVESTED AND RECYCLED ON SITE. OXYGEN WILL BE HARVESTED FROM MOON ROCKS THAT ARE HEATED BY HYDROGEN FUEL CELLS OR LOW CURRENTS FROM THE SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEM, AND HYDROGEN WILL BE IMPORTED FROM EARTH WITH REGULAR LUNAR SHUTTLE TRANSPORTS. THESE TWO ELEMENTS WILL POWER THE FUEL CELL REACTION CREATING BOTH ENERGY AND WATER AS A BYPRODUCT.

ENVIRONMENT

THE EXPELLED CARBON DIOXIDE FROM INHABITANTS WILL BE CHANNELLED INTO THE GREEN HOUSES LOCATED BELOW THE HOTEL. A COMBINATION OF EDIBLE FOLIAGE AND VIRILE OXYGEN PRODUCING ALGAE MANAGE CARBON DIOXIDE AND SUSTAIN MUCH OF THE REQUIRED SUPPORT SYSTEMS. ON EARTH, IT IS BELIEVED THAT ABOUT 75% OF OXYGEN IN THE ATMOSPHERE IS PRODUCED BY MARINE PLANTS, AN UNRIVALED EFFICIENCY. THE GREENHOUSE WOULD ALSO PLAY A SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN THE PROCESSING OF GRAY WATER FOR THE STATION. THE ALGAE WOULD FLOURISH WITH THE ADDED NITROGEN AND PHOSPHATE CONTENTS OF THE USED WATER.

PROTECTIVE STRUCTURE

ARMOR

COMMUNICATIONS TOWER

CIRCULATION CORE

HYDROGEN REACTOR

HOTEL / GREENHOUSE

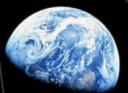
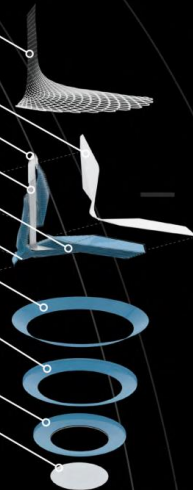
COMMENTATOR AREA

TIER 3

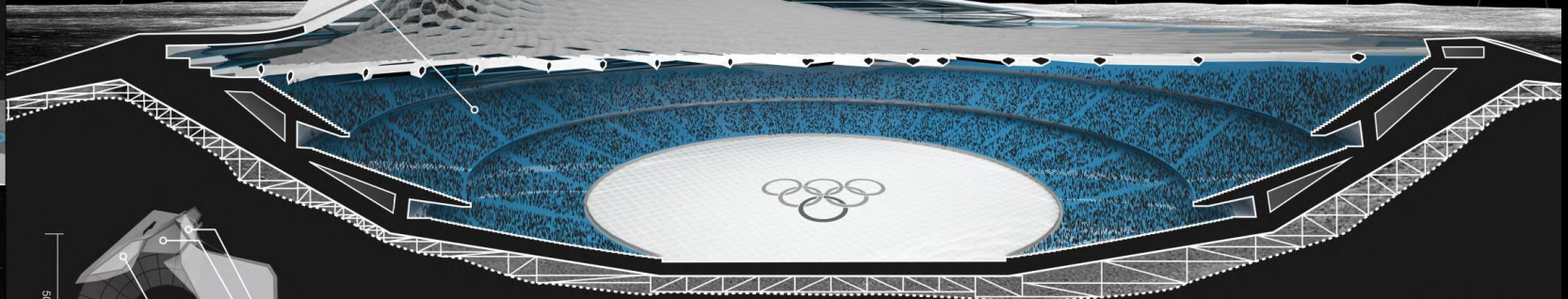
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MAIN EVENT FIELD



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THE FIVE INTERLOCKING RINGS OF THE OLYMPIC LOGO, DESIGNED IN 1912, REPRESENT THE FIVE CONTINENTS INVOLVED IN THE OLYMPICS AT THAT TIME. THE MOON WILL BE REPRESENTED BY AN ADDITIONAL RING.



Site of the Humanity Archives

Tentative Agenda Space Architecture Gathering for Saturday March 27th, 2021

(Note: Pacific Daylight Time=PDT (GMT-0700))

Let us go from Earth orbit to Moon to Mars and then Simulators!

10:00 AM PDT – Welcome (*Dr. Dan Dumbacher, AIAA Executive Director*)

10:15 AM PDT: Prof. Madhu Thangavelu (USC) (Moderator, Welcome, Keynote)

10:30 AM PDT: Prof. Sandra Haeuplik-Meusburger - **Space Habitats and Habitability**, Vienna University of Technology, Austria

10:45 AM PDT: Mr. Vittorio Netti - **Human-Robot Collaboration as an Enabler of Scalable Human Presence in Space**, SICSA and Politecnico di Milano, Italy

11:00 AM PDT: Prof. Behrokh (Berok) Khoshnevis - **Planetary Construction and In-Space Fabrication using Large-Scale 3D printing**, Contour Crafting Corporation, CA

11:15 AM PDT: Mr. John Mankins - (TBD), Mankins Space Technology, Inc.

11:30 AM PDT: Ms. R. Pailles-Friedman, Mr. M. Morris, and Ms. Christina Ciardullo - **Lunar Lantern & Landing Pad**, SEArch+ Architects

11:45 AM PDT: Mr. Rodrigo Romo, **Basalt Sintering for ISRU Applications**, Pacific International Space Center for Exploration Systems (PISCES), Hawaii

12:00 PM PDT: Mr. Daniel Inocente, **Advancing Architecture, Integrated Tectonics**, Senior Designer, Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, New York

12:15 PM PDT: Mr. Giuseppe Calabrese, **Urban farming for extreme environment on Mars**, Sydney, Australia

12:30 PM PDT: Mr. Jim Rhoné, **Building Bioregenerative Worlds**, Interstellar Lab, Paris

12:45 PM PDT: Ms. Mahsa Moghimi Esfandabadi – **Greenhouse for Partial Gravity: Architecture and Systems Approaches**, Independent Space Habitats and Greenhouses Designer, Houston

01:00 PM PDT: Mr. Philip Sadler, **Lunar/Mars Greenhouse**, Sadler Machine Co. & University of Arizona

01:15 PM PDT: Ms. Mirha Vlahovljak, **HiveMars: Design of a Hybrid-class, scalable Settlement on the Martian Surface**, Polytechnic University of Bari, Italy

01:30 PM PDT: Prof. Michael Fox, **A Brief Overview of the CPP NASA X-Hab**, CalPoly Pomona, CA.

01:45 PM PDT: Mr. Xavier de Kesteller, **The Value of Design: Mars Habitat**, Hassell Architects, FL

02:00 PM PDT: Mr. Sebastian Frederiksen, **LUNARK - 100 days Lunar analog in an unfolding habitat in the arctic**, SAGA Space Architects, Denmark

02:15 PM PDT: Prof. Pablo de Leon, **Planetary Habitat Analogs at the University of North Dakota**, University of North Dakota

02:30 PM PDT: Mr. Kriss J. Kennedy, Architect. **A Vision of the Future: Built-in-Place Architectures**, USS, Inc / TECHNE' Architects LLC., Houston

02:45 PM PDT: Discussion

03:30 PM PDT: Adjourn



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