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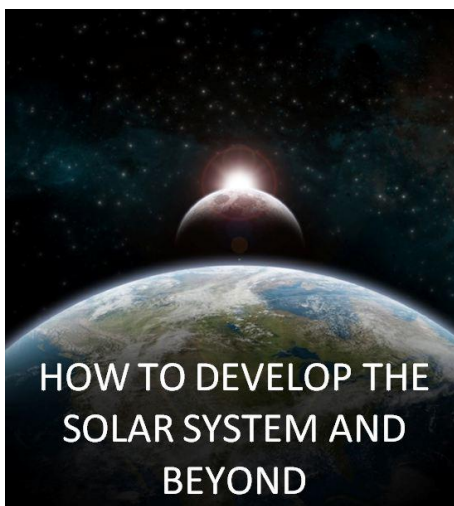


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Star Voyager and Leeward Space Foundation Announce the Publication of *How to Develop the Solar System and Beyond: A Roadmap to Interstellar Space*

October 29, 2012 – Star Voyager and Leeward Space Foundation announce the publication of *How to Develop the Solar System and Beyond: A Roadmap to Interstellar Space*.

Released on October 2, 2012, the *Star Voyager Roadmap to Interstellar Space* was a collaborative effort between Star Voyager members: Amalie Sinclair, Dirk Schulze-Makuch, Charles Radley, Armen Papazian, Joseph Miller, Pier Marzocca, John Lee, and Giorgio Gaviraghi.



Since its release, the *Star Voyager Roadmap* has consistently placed in the top ten Amazon best sellers in the field and on Oct. 22 was listed number one in the Amazon list of New Releases in Astrophysics & Space Science best sellers.

The *Star Voyager Roadmap* had its genesis in the enthusiasm created by the 100 Year Star Ship interstellar joint initiative of DARPA and NASA AMES (100yss.org). For the first time in history, the interstellar travel theme has been opened as a domain for serious scientific collaboration and public participation. The *Star Voyager* group came together to do just that, to do their part in making the next

step in space exploration a reality. As with previous advances in space-focused technologies, the development of interstellar travel technologies will have benefits that advance science and technologies throughout society here on Earth.

Among the first manned starship proposals, the *Star Voyager Roadmap* describes potential scenarios for our immediate space faring future. It also demonstrates how these will support and contribute to the overall goal of achieving interstellar travel. Focusing on the first 100 years as a reasonable timeframe to identify the plausible milestones necessary to attain a continuous and extensive space-faring capability, it addresses the human, technological, and financial challenges of interstellar travel.

Comments from some of the authors:

Armen Papazian: Financial Economist, founder and CEO of Keipr Ltd and Chief Executive of the International Space Development HUB (ISDHub), “We need to unleash our economic imagination in order to unlock the resources we need to finance deep space exploration.”

Giorgio Gaviraghi: CEO of Exponential Design Lab, “To make possible, what seems impossible, is up to you.”

John Lee: President and Executive Director of Leeward Space Foundation, “If you want to save the Earth, move to outer space and you save Humanity as well.”

Joseph D. Miller: Associate Professor Keck School of Medicine at USC, “Earth is the cradle of humanity. But learning to walk means developing the resources of the solar system. And learning to run means, as Samuel Clemens said ‘letting out for the territory’ – interstellar in this case.”

Star Voyager on Leeward

<http://www.leewardspacefoundation.org/id32.html>

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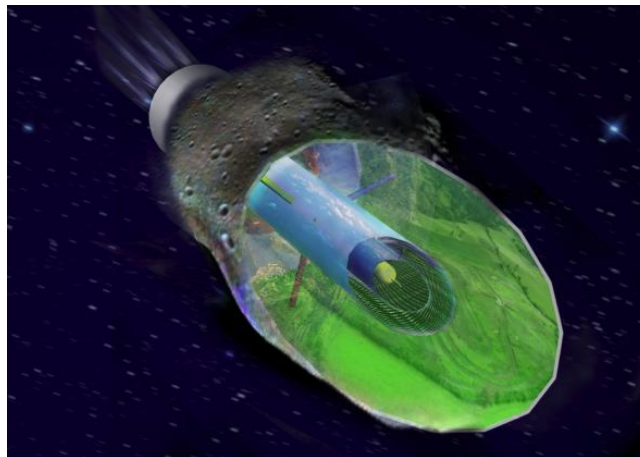
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Star Voyager is a unique space initiative that brings together a growing consortium of professionals, all determined to take a leap into space. Star Voyager has a twofold mission. The first is to develop a plan for opening up the solar system to exploration, development and eventual colonization. The second is to initiate, promote, and support the drive to technological innovation that will lead us to the endless frontier, to interstellar space. Star Voyager is a sponsored initiative of the Leeward Space Foundation, a non-profit organization registered in the state of Georgia, USA.



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