

Collaboration in the field of Space Science

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Questions around the implementation of the UK's Science Programme

- How can we foster better industry-academic engagement in technology innovation & what are the respective roles as instruments become more complex?
- How can we be more effective at supporting early-stage technology development?
- Can we collectively learn from our experiences of flight instrument development to 'raise the bar' in terms of project performance across institutes?
- How can we better implement longer term planning of the Science Programme?
- Are current joint STFC-UKSA technology calls effective or enough?
- What bi-lateral opportunities is the sector looking for and should these be 'top-down' driven or responsive?
- Commercial approaches to science missions – buying data – is this viable?
- Dark & Quiet Skies – Are we doing enough in the era of mega-constellations to mitigate the impacts?