



Division Leadership

Officers

Role	Name	Institution	Email address	Start of Term	End of Term
Chair	Gongjie Li	Georgia Tech	gongjie.li@physics.gatech.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2026
Vice-Chair	Matthew Clement	John Hopkins University	Matt.Clement@jhuapl.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2026
Secretary	Matija Cuk	SETI Institute	mcuk@seti.org	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2028
Treasurer	Curtis Struck	Iowa State University	curt@iastate.edu	July 1, 2024	June 30, 2027
Past Chair	Smadar Naoz	UCLA	snaoz@astro.ucla.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2026

Division Committee Members

Role	Name	Institution	Email address	Start of Term	End of Term	IDEA Action
Regular Member	Malena Rice	Yale University	malena.rice@yale.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2028	Vice Coordinator
Regular Member	Arpit Arora	University of Washington	arora125@uw.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2028	
Regular Member	Santiago Torres	Institute of Science and Technology, Austria	santiago.torres@ist.ac.at	July 1, 2024	June 30, 2027	Coordinator
Regular Member	Heidi Newberg	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	newbeh@rpi.edu	July 1, 2024	June 30, 2027	
Regular Member	John Jacob Zanazzi	UC Berkeley	jjzanazzi@berkeley.edu	July 1, 2023	June 30, 2026	Past Coordinator
Regular Member	Frank van den Bosch	Yale U.	frank.vandenbosch@yale.edu	July 1, 2023	June 30, 2026	

Nominating Committee

Role	Name	Institution	Email address	Start of Term	End of Term
Chair	David Minton	Purdue University	daminton@purdue.edu	July 1, 2023	June 30, 2026
Regular Member	Dan Tamayo	Harvey Mudd College	dtamayo@hmc.edu	July 1, 2024	June 30, 2027
Regular Member	Fred Rasio	Northwestern University	rasio@northwestern.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2028

Brouwer Career Award Selection Committee

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Chair	Smadar Naoz	UCLA	snaoz<at>astro.ucla.edu	July 1, 2025 June 30, 2026
Regular Member	Samantha Lawler	University of Regina	Samantha.Lawler<at>uregina.ca	July 1, 2024 June 30, 2027
Regular Member	Elena Rossi	Leiden University	emr<at>strw.leidenuniv.nl	July 1, 2025 June 30, 2028
Past Recipient Member	Dong Lai	Cornell University	dl57<at>cornell.edu	July 1, 2025 June 30, 2026
Ex officio Member	Gongjie Li	Georgia Tech	gongjie.li<at>physics.gatech.edu	July 1, 2025 June 30, 2026

Rubin Early Career Prize Selection Committee

Role	Name	Institution	Email address	Start of Term	End of Term
Chair	Elena D'Onghia	University of Wisconsin, Madison	edonghia<at>astro.wisc.edu	July 1, 2023	June 30, 2026
Regular Member	Matija Cuk	SETI Institute	mcuk<at>seti.org	July 1, 2024	June 30, 2027
Regular Member	Ann-Marie Madigan	University of Colorado Boulder	annmarie.madigan<at>>colorado.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2028
Past Recipient Member	Sarah Millholland	MIT	sarah.millholland<at>mit.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2026
Ex officio member	Matt Clement	John Hopkins University	Matt.Clement<at>jhuapl.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2026

Duncombe Student Research Prize Selection Committee

Role	Name	Institution	Email address	Start of Term	End of Term
Chair	Raluca Rufu	Southwest Research Institute	raluca<at>boulder.swri.edu	July 1, 2023	June 30, 2026
Regular Member	Sanaea Rose	Northwestern University	sanaea.rose<at>northwestern.edu	July 1, 2024	June 30, 2027
Regular Member	David Martin	Tufts University	david.martin<at>tufts.edu	July 1, 2025	June 30, 2028

Mentoring Program Committee

Role	Name	Institution	Email address	Start of Term	End of Term
Chair	Juliette Becker	Caltech	jbecker<at>caltech.edu	July 1, 2021	June 30, 2023
Regular Member	Will Oldroyd	Northern Arizona University	woldroyd<at>nau.edu	July 1, 2021	June 30, 2023
Regular Member	Darin Ragozzine	Brigham Young University	darin_ragozzine<at>byu.edu	July 1, 2021	June 30, 2023
Regular Member	Dimitri Veras	University of Warwick	dimitri.veras<at>>colorado.edu	July 1, 2022	June 30, 2023
Regular Member	Santiago Torres	UCLA	storres<at>astr.ucla.edu	July 1, 2022	June 30, 2023



Slack/Membership Communication Committee (special committee to be renewed annually)

Role	Name	Institution	Email address	Start of Term	End of Term
Co-chair	Tim Holt	University of Southern Queensland	timothy.holt<at>>usq.edu.au	July 1, 2021	June 30, 2022
Co-Chair	Matija Cuk	SETI Institute	mcuk<at>seti.org	July 1, 2021	June 30, 2022
Ex Officio	Daniel Tamayo	Harvey Mudd College	dtamayo<at>hmc.edu	July 1, 2021	June 30, 2022
Ex Officio	Althea Moorhead	NASA Marshall Spaceflight Center	althea.moorhead<at>nasa.gov	July 1, 2021	June 30, 2022

Archives Committee

Chair	James L. Hilton	US Naval Observatory	jhilton<at>aa.usno.navy.mil
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