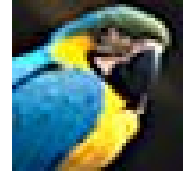


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- 1 - Planetary Atmospheres - Abstracts Due!

Abstract deadline for the Planetary Atmospheres workshop (Greenbelt, MD, November 6-7, 2007) has been extended to Tuesday, September 11, 8 a.m. CDT.

(Convener: Phil Crane, NASA Headquarters)

This professional workshop will highlight scientific research that falls under the traditional purview of the NASA Planetary Atmospheres Program. The main goals of the workshop are to facilitate communication between atmospheres researchers; to provide opportunity for cross-discipline interaction; to identify particular fields of interest in planetary atmospheres research for the next decade; and to stimulate theoretical, laboratory, and data-gathering activities in those critical fields.

For more details, including the call for abstracts and accompanying forms, visit the workshop website at

<http://www.lpi.usra.edu/meetings/patm2007/>

The advertised abstract deadline is Monday 8:00 a.m. CDT, but the website managers at LPI have been asked to keep the submission form open for an extra day to accommodate late abstracts.

Abstracts received by Tuesday, September 11, 8:00 a.m. CDT, if accepted by the review committee, will be included in the printed abstract volume that will be distributed at the meeting. Late abstracts will still be considered for available poster space but will not be included in the printed volume.

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## 2 - November OPAG Meeting

November 8–November 9, 2007  
Greenbelt Marriott Hotel  
Greenbelt, MA

The main agenda items are the flagship studies and their review. We will also discuss the New Opportunities in Solar System Exploration (NOSSE) and gather findings to pass to the committee. If you have specific items you would like to see on the agenda, please contact me - bagenal"at" colorado.edu.

In conjunction with NASA sponsored Planetary Atmospheres Workshop on Tuesday–Wednesday and Venus Analysis Group on Monday-Tuesday

For making travel arrangements see

[http://www.lpi.usra.edu/vexag/nov\\_2007/travel.pdf](http://www.lpi.usra.edu/vexag/nov_2007/travel.pdf)

Driving instructions to meeting

[http://www.lpi.usra.edu/vexag/nov\\_2007/driving\\_directions.pdf](http://www.lpi.usra.edu/vexag/nov_2007/driving_directions.pdf)

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