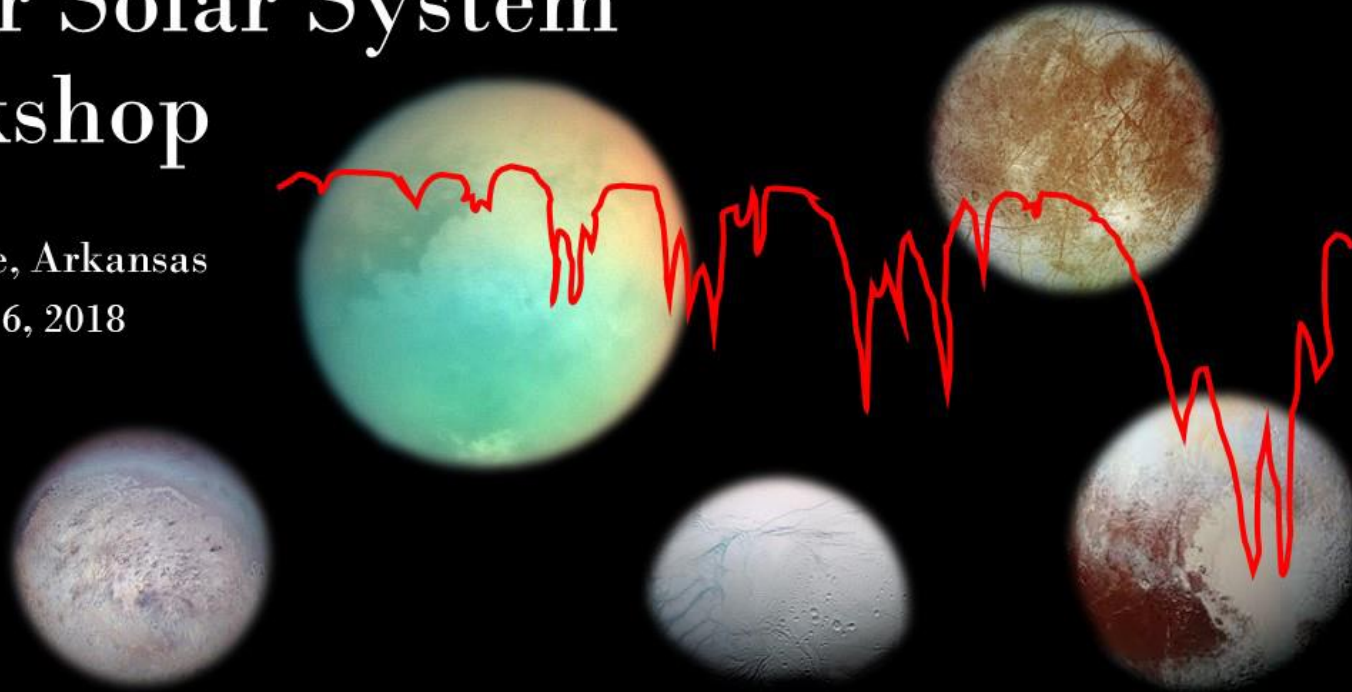


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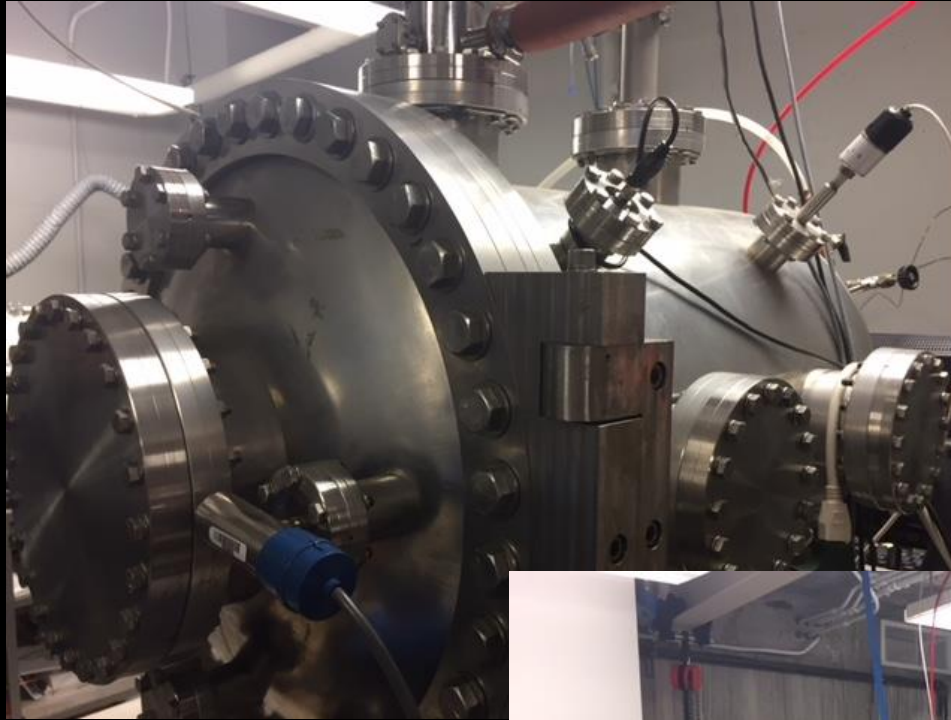
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- Geophysics
- Atmospheric chemistry
- Irradiation
- Spectroscopy
- Laboratory facilities/instrumentation



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Future workshop

- Add more atmospheric experimental research in program
- Add more mission or instrumentation-testing facilities
- Open topic area to comets and asteroids, including Ceres/Vesta
- Open to modelers who would benefit from experimental work

- Mid-August ideal time, every 2 years. Next workshop: 2020!

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