

European Space Science Committee

Space Studies Board

**Committee on the Review of Planetary Protection Requirements
for Sample Return from Phobos and Deimos**

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

18 - 19 September 2018

***Holiday Inn London Bloomsbury
Coram Street,***

***Diploma Suit
London, WC1N 1HT***

Tuesday, 18 September

7:30 a.m. Breakfast Available in the Hotel's restaurant

CLOSED SESSION

OPEN SESSION

9:45 a.m. Break

10:00 a.m. Planetary Protection Basics,
Context for Study and ESA Expectations Gerhard Kminek
European Space Agency

10:30 a.m. JAXA's PP team, and MMX team K. Fujita and Akihiko Yamagishi
Institute for Space and Astronautical Science
Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency

11:00 a.m. Overview of MMX mission Y. Kawakatsu
JAXA

11:30 a.m.	MMX sampling system	Thomas Statler NASA
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	Lunch at hotel
1:00 p.m.	SterLimTeam Presentation	M. Patel, D. Summers and D. Evans Open University, TAS, Fluid Gravity Engineering
3:00 p.m.	Break	
3:15 p.m.	General Discussion of SterLim Results	Committee and Guests

CLOSED SESSION

OPEN SESSION

7:30 p.m.	Working Dinner	Hubbard & Bell 199-206 High Holborn WC1V 7BD 020-7661-3030
9:30 p.m.	Adjourn for the Day	

Wednesday, 19 September 2018

7:30 a.m.	Breakfast	Available in the Hotel's restaurant
OPEN SESSION		
8:30 a.m.	Assessment of Microbial Contamination Probability for Sample Return from Martian Moons	K. Kurosawa JAXA
10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:45 a.m.	General Discussion of JAXA Results	Committee and Guests
12:30 p.m.	Lunch	Lunch at hotel

NOTES

Dress Code: Business casual.

Note to Presenters: If your presentation contains unpublished data, ITAR controlled and/or other sensitive information, please be aware that any and all materials presented in open session and otherwise given to the committee may be posted on a publicly accessible website. Please edit your presentations accordingly.

Note to Observers: This meeting is being held to gather information to help the committee conduct its study. This committee will examine the information and material obtained during this, and other public meetings, in an effort to inform its work. Although opinions may be stated and lively discussion may ensue, no conclusions are being drawn at this time and no recommendations will be made. In fact, the committee will deliberate thoroughly before writing its draft report. Moreover, once the draft report is written, it must go through a rigorous review by experts who are anonymous to the committee, and the committee then must respond to this review with appropriate revisions that adequately satisfy the Academy's Report Review committee and the chair of the National Academies before it is considered a report of the National Academies. Therefore, observers who draw conclusions about the committee's work based on today's discussions will be doing so prematurely. Furthermore, individual committee members often engage in discussion and questioning for the specific purpose of probing an issue and sharpening an argument. The comments of any given committee member may not necessarily reflect the position he or she may actually hold on the subject under discussion, to say nothing of that person's future position as it may evolve in the course of the project. Any inference about an individual's position regarding findings or recommendations in the final report is therefore also premature.

Remote Access to Meeting: Skype/Webex connection will be set up for committee members to access only.

Working Dinner: There will be a working dinner, on the evening of 18th, at Hubbard & Bell, 199-206 High Holborn, London, WC1V 7BD. The telephone number for the restaurant is 020-7661-3030. More information can be found at the following website: <http://www.hubbardandbell.com/>. All meeting participants can attend.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Material Sciences

Megan Bruck Syal, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
Robin Putzar, Fraunhofer Institute for High-Speed Dynamics
Akiko M. Nakamura, University of Tokyo
Kaliat T. Ramesh, Johns Hopkins University

Life Sciences

David Pearce (Chair), Northumbria University (not present in the meeting)
Michael J. Daly, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences
[Andre Antunes](#), Edge Hill University (remote connection)
[Shino Suzuki](#), Japan Agency for Marine Earth Science and Technology

Planetary Sciences

Athena Coustenis, National Centre for Scientific Research of France (remote connection on the 19th)
Abigail A. Fraeman, NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory
Guy Libourel, Observatoire de la Côte d'Azur (not present)
[Francois Poulet](#), Universite Paris Sud
Norman H. Sleep, NAS, Stanford University

Martian Meteorites

[Angsar Greshake](#), Museum für Naturkunde
[Erin L. Walton](#), MacEwan University

Committee on the Planetary Protection Requirements for Sample-Return Missions from the Martian Moons

NEW MEMBER BIOS

Microbial Biology

ANDRÉ ANTUNES is a senior lecturer in microbial genetics and an environmental microbiology researcher at Edge Hill University. He also serves as a research consultant at the Computational Bioscience Research Center, at King Abdullah University of Science and Technology. Dr. Antunes researches biological diversity and ecology, with a specialization in microbial responses to deep sea and other extreme environments. He received his Ph.D. in biochemistry at the University of Coimbra in Portugal. He has not previously served on an Academies committee.

SHINO SUZUKI is a senior researcher at the Japan Agency for Marine Earth Science and Technology at the Kochi Institute for Core Sample Research in Japan. She has researched and published dozens of papers on microbial communities. Previously she worked at J. Craig Venter Institute through which she collaborated with the NASA Astrobiology Institute developing and employing field, laboratory, and genomic modeling approaches aimed at detecting and characterizing subsurface microbial life. She has earned her Ph.D. from the University of Tokyo for molecular microbiology. She has not previously served on an Academies committee.

Primitive Solar System Bodies

FRANÇOIS POULET is an astronomer at the Institute of Space Astrophysics (IAS), a joint research unit of the French National Center of Scientific Research (CNRS) and the Université Paris-Sud. Prior to his position at the IAS, Dr. Poulet worked as a research scientist at the NASA Ames Research Center. He studies Mars and small bodies, and his work includes research on the formation and evolution of planetary surfaces. As Deputy-PI of the MAJIS spectro-imager aboard the JUICE mission, Dr. Poulet also has experience in instrumental development. He received his Ph.D. in celestial mechanics and geodesy from the Department of Space Research at the Observatory of Paris. He has not previously served on an Academies committee.

Martian Meteorites

ANSGAR GRESHAKE is the curator of meteorite collections for the Museum für Naturkunde in Berlin where he is also the head of mineralogical preparation facilities. He studies the formation and classification of Martian meteorites, including their phases and metamorphoses, with specific research interest in carbonaceous chondrites. Greshake received his Ph.D. in planetology from Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität Münster. He has not previously served on an Academies committee.

ERIN L. WALTON is an associate professor at MacEwan University. She holds a Discovery Grant awarded by the Natural Science and Engineering Research Council of Canada. The focus of her research is shock metamorphism of astromaterials, with an emphasis on Martian meteorites. Dr. Walton's research interests also encompass the age and formation of terrestrial impact structures, such as the 91 million year old Steen

River Impact Crater in Alberta. She earned her Ph.D. from the University of New Brunswick for geology. She has not previously served on an Academies committee.

Committee Members from 2017

DAVID PEARCE is a professor of environmental microbiology in the Department of Applied Sciences at Northumbria University in the United Kingdom. The underlying theme of his research is the use of microbiology to understand polar ecosystem function and the potential for shifts in biogeochemical activity that may result from environmental change. He has worked with the British Antarctic Survey as a microbiologist, head of the Genomic Analysis Section of the Biological Sciences Division, and as an aquatic microbial ecologist. His research interests include microbial biodiversity, environmental microbiology, microbial ecology, molecular ecology, microbial physiology, environmental genomics, extremophiles, life in extreme environments, exploring and applying new technology, and the potential of unknown ecosystems. He is a member of the British Ecological Society and the International Society for Microbial Ecology. He earned his Ph.D. in microbiology from King's College, University of London. Dr. Pearce previously served on the joint National Academies-ESF Committee on the Review of MEPAG Report on Planetary Protection for Mars Special Regions.

ATHENA COUSTENIS is a director of research with the National Centre for Scientific Research of France and is currently based at Paris Observatory in Meudon. Dr. Coustenis works in the field of planetology. Her research focuses on the use of ground- and space-based observatories to study solar system bodies. Dr. Coustenis' current interests include planetary atmospheres and surfaces, with particular emphasis on the satellites of the giant planets. She is also interested in the characterization of the atmospheres of extrasolar planets. In recent years, she has been leading efforts to define and select future space missions to be undertaken by the European Space Agency (ESA) and its international partners. She is the chair of the European Science Foundation's European Space Science Committee—the nearest equivalent to the SSB in Europe. She has also chaired and served on numerous ESA and NASA advisory groups. She earned her Ph.D. in astrophysics and space techniques from the University of Paris. Dr. Coustenis previous served on the Academies' Committee on Survey of Surveys: Lessons Learned from the Decadal Survey Process.

MICHAEL J. DALY (chair) is a professor in the Department of Pathology at the Uniformed Services University in Washington, DC. He is an expert in the study of bacteria belonging to the family deinococcaceae, which are some of the most radiation-resistant organisms yet discovered. He received his Ph.D. at Queen Mary University of London. His Academies service includes membership on the Committee on Planetary Protection Standards for Icy Bodies in the Outer Solar System, Committee on Planetary Protection Requirements for Venus Missions, Committee on the Origins and Evolution of Life, Committee on the Astrophysical Context of Life, and Task Group on the Forward Contamination of Europa.

ABIGAIL A. FRAEMAN is a research scientist in the planetary science section at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory. Dr. Fraeman specializes in the use of infrared spectroscopy to study the surfaces of Mars, Phobos and Deimos. She is currently a participating scientist on the Mars Science Laboratory Curiosity rover, a co-investigator on the Compact Reconnaissance Imaging Spectrometer for Mars instrument on the Mars Reconnaissance Orbiter, and deputy project scientist for the Mars Exploration Rovers. Dr. Fraeman received her Ph.D. in Earth and planetary science from Washington University in St. Louis and her B.S. in physics and geology and geophysics from Yale University. She was selected as a participant in the CAS-NAS Forum for New Leaders in Space Science in 2015, but has not previously served on an Academies committee.

GUY LIBOUREL is a professor at the Observatoire de la Côte d'Azur in Nice, France. Prior to this he was at the Centre de Recherches Pétrographiques et Géochimiques in Nancy and is an affiliated professor at the Hawaii Institute of Geophysics and Planetology at the University of Hawaii, Honolulu. He is an experimental cosmochemist whose research focusses on understanding the formation of the first solid in the solar system using high temperature experimental approaches. His current research is centered on thermal and mechanical properties of the regolith on small solar system bodies. He is a co-investigator on NASA's OSIRIS-Rex and JAXA's Hayabusa 2 asteroid sample-return missions. He is also the OSIRIS-REx coordinating scientist for sample analysis for mission sample science in Europe. Dr. Libourel obtained his Ph.D. at the Université Paul Sabatier de Toulouse. He has not previously participated on an Academies' committee.

AKIKO M. NAKAMURA is an associate professor in Department of Planetology, Kobe University where she performs laboratory impact experiments to study the velocity distribution of fragments from ejecta and the ejecta from particulate layers. These experiments are designed to provide insights into the collisional evolution of small solar system bodies and regolith formation processes. She was a co-investigator on the camera system on the Institute of Space and Astronautical Science's Hayabusa I asteroid sample-return mission. Dr. Nakamura completed her B.S. in 1988, her M.S., and her Ph.D. in 1993, all at Kyoto University.

ROBIN PUTZAR is a senior scientist in the Space Technology Group at the Fraunhofer Institute for High-Speed Dynamics (also known as the Ernst-Mach Institute (EMI)) in Freiburg, Germany. Dr. Putzar has led several large studies investigating the effects of hypervelocity impacts on spacecraft components and geological material, including ballistic limit analyses. His research interests include hypervelocity accelerators, and he has led the design of such accelerators at EMI. He was delegate at the Inter-Agency Space Debris Coordination Committee and served on the Program Committee of the European Conference on Space Debris. He is currently chairman of the Aeroballistic Range Association. He has a baccalaureate degree in engineering, sciences from Technology University of Berlin. He has not previously served on an Academies committee.

KALIAT T. RAMESH is a professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering at Johns Hopkins University. He is also director of the Center for Advanced Metallic and Ceramic Systems, and director of the Hopkins Extreme Materials Institute. His research interests are in high strain-rate behavior and dynamic failure of materials, nanostructured materials, injury biomechanics and planetary-scale impact problems. He served as a visiting professor at the University of Cambridge. He has published one book, *Nanomaterials: Mechanics and Mechanisms*; Springer, 2009. After receiving a B.E. from Bangalore University, he continued to Brown University where he completed his M.S. in engineering. He was awarded his Ph.D. and an additional M.S. in applied mathematics from Brown University. Dr. Ramesh completed a postdoctoral fellowship with the Center of Excellence in Advanced Materials at the University of California, San Diego. Dr. Ramesh previously served on the NRC Committee on Opportunities in Protection Materials Science and Technology for Future Army Applications.

NORMAN H. SLEEP (NAS) is a professor of geophysics in the School of Earth, Energy, and Environmental Sciences at Stanford University. Dr. Sleep's research interests include studying convection at the base of the lithosphere and the interaction of the lithosphere with mantle plume material. He is also currently investigating the microphysics of friction and applying the results to nonlinear attenuation and ground damage by strong seismic waves. Dr. Sleep is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Sciences, the Geological Society of America, and the American Geophysical Union. He has received a number of awards for his work including the James B. Macelwane award, the George P. Woollard Award from the Geological Society of America, and the 2008 Wollaston Medal from the Geological Society of London. Dr. Sleep earned a B.S. in mathematics from Michigan State University and a M.S. and Ph.D. in geophysics from

the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He has previously served on the National Academies' Committee on Astrobiology and Planetary Science, the Committee on Survey of Surveys: Lessons Learned from the Decadal Survey Process, the Committee on Earth Resources, the Committee on Planetary Biology and Chemical Evolution, and currently serves as the NAS Section 15 liaison.

MEGAN BRUCK SYAL is a physicist in the Design Physics Division at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL). Dr. Bruck Syal specializes in experimental and numerical simulation of planetary impacts, including hypervelocity impact experiments (with an emphasis on porous and volatile-rich materials) and modeling of impact events in a variety of shock physics codes. Her published and ongoing research includes: impact delivery of carbon and volatiles to Mercury and the Moon, the excavation of Stickney Crater at Phobos, analysis of impactor- and target-derived vapor plumes using high-speed emission spectroscopy, and giant-impact formation of moons in exoplanetary systems. Additionally, Dr. Bruck Syal is very active in the field of planetary defense, supporting: NASA's DART mission with simulations of the planned 2022 spacecraft impact at Didymos B, NASA-FEMA Asteroid Impact Tabletop Exercises, and a NASA-NNSA interagency collaboration on hazardous asteroid mitigation case studies. Her planetary defense work focuses on numerical simulation of deflection and disruption techniques, with a particular emphasis on understanding sensitivities to asteroid initial conditions. Previously, Dr. Bruck Syal was a postdoctoral researcher at LLNL (2014-2016), a Ph.D. candidate in the Geosciences Department at Brown University (2009-2014), and a data specialist at the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory's Chandra X-ray Center (2007-2009). She is a recipient of a NASA Earth and Space Science Fellowship, a NASA Group Achievement Award (Deep Impact - EPOXI mission Science Team), and a Brown University Graduate Fellowship. Dr. Syal obtained her Ph.D. in planetary geosciences at Brown University. She has not previously served on an Academies' committee.

Other Meeting Participants

Thomas Statler, NASA, MMX program scientist

Gerhard Kminek, Planetary Protection Office, ESA ESTEC

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