



ISDC 2026 Schedule

Space Solar Power Symposium

As of 5/14/26

Thursday, June 4	Amphitheater (lower level)
10:00 am	Symposium Goals. John C. Mankins (Mankins Space Technology) and Gary Barnhard (Xtraordinary Innovative Space Partnerships)
10:10 am	Space Solar Power Overview. Ken Ruffin (Didymos Consulting LLC)
10:30 am	Reverse Engineering the Path Forward for Space Solar Power. Gary Barnhard (Xtraordinary Innovative Space Partnerships)
10:50 am	Space Solar Power Economics. Kevin Barry (Xtraordinary Innovative Space Partnerships)
11:10 am	Go-to-Market Strategies for Space Solar Power. Daniel Faber (Bent Pipe)
11:30 am	Group Discussion: Strategic Policy Agenda for Space Power. Facilitators: John C. Mankins (Mankins Space Technology) and Gary Barnhard (Xtraordinary Innovative Space Partnerships)
12:00 noon	END
2:00 pm	Virtus Solis and Space Solar Power. John Bucknell (Virtus Solis)
2:20 pm	Progress in Space Solar Power. Paul Jaffe (Overview Energy)
2:40 pm	Terawatt Power for the Moon. Jim Keravala (OffWorld)
3:00 pm	Global and Affordable Power on the Moon. Paul Damphousse (Volta Space Technologies)
3:20 pm	Lunar Science & Infrastructure Power Requirements. Anastasia Ford (NASA)
3:40 pm	Realizing the Lunar Power & Light Company. Gary Barnhard (Xtraordinary Innovative Space Partnerships)
4:00 pm	Space Solar Power Legal and Regulatory Matters. Michelle Hanlon (Air and Space Law at Ole Miss)
4:20 pm	Air Force Operational Energy in Cislunar Space. Nikolai Joseph (AFRL)
4:40 pm	Space Habitats and Space Solar Power. Dale Skran (National Space Society)
5:00 pm	Space Solar Power and Space Transportation. Edgar Zapata (NASA, retired)
5:20 pm	Group Discussion: Space Solar Power: Infrastructure and Customer Requirements. Facilitators: John C. Mankins (Mankins Space Technology) and Gary Barnhard (Xtraordinary Innovative Space Partnerships)
6:00 pm	END



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Friday, June 5	Amphitheater (lower level)
10:00 am	SPACE Canada 2026 International Space Solar Power Student Competition. Haroon Oqab (SPACE Canada)
10:15 am	Space Solar Power Student Competition Competitor #1
10:30 am	Space Solar Power Student Competition Competitor #2
10:45 am	Space Solar Power Student Competition Competitor #3
11:00 am	Space Solar Power Student Competition Competitor #4
11:15 am	Space Solar Power Student Competition Competitor #5
11:30 am	Space Solar Power Student Competition Competitor #6
11:40 am	Multi-domain Operations Using Rapidly-responsive Phased Energy Universally Synchronized (MORPHEUS). Haroon Oqab (Metasat)
12:00 noon	END
2:00 pm	Japanese Space Solar Power. Koji Tanaka (JAXA)
2:20 pm	Topics in Space Solar Power. Massimiliano Vasile (University of Strathclyde)
2:40 pm	Space Solar Power in Australia. Serdar Baycan (Solar Space Technologies)
3:00 pm	Two Decades of China's Space Solar Power Development. Xinbin Hou (CAST)
3:20 pm	Space Solar Power at TerraSpark. Sanjay Vijendran (TerraSpark)
3:40 pm	Results of the 2024-2026 Space Solar Power Study. John C. Mankins (Mankins Space Technology)
5:45 pm	Closing Remarks. John C. Mankins (Mankins Space Technology) and Gary Barnhard (Xtraordinary Innovative Space Partnerships)
6:00 pm	END