

SPACE EDUCATION AND OUTREACH SYMPOSIUM (E1)  
ON TRACK - UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE SPACE EDUCATION (2)

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C'SPACE, THE FRENCH SPACE CAMP

**Abstract**

Each year, the CNES (French Space Agency) organises the C'Space, in a fruitful partnership with Planete Science and the DGA (French army). This big meeting for space passionate students from high school and universities, takes place during one week, end of august, in the south-west of France (Biscarrosse) on a military area just on the border of the Atlantic ocean.

During one week, around 300 pupils and students will work hard in the integration hall, on the final qualification of their annual experimental projects, either rocket, stratospheric balloons, aero models, cansat , to get a ticket for the launch on the big area provided by the French army ! In addition to the experimental activities, workshop, round table, conferences are organized, such as the students can meet professional people of the aerospace domain.

The paper will present the general organisation of the C'Space, and also the way the experimental projects are prepared and coached by Planete Sciences and CNES during the year.