SPACE EDUCATION AND OUTREACH SYMPOSIUM (E1) Water From Space: Societal, Educational and Cultural Aspects (6)

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THE INTERACTION BETWEEN (CHINESE) SPACE ACTIVITIES AND SOCIAL CULTURE

Abstract

"One nation needs some people who have the desire to discover the universe." That is what Chinese Prisident Hu said. But why we want to discover the universe? We find some new star far far away. We sent the rockets and satillites to space. We sent the human on the Moon and will do it again... But why we did it? What is the most important impetus behind space activities? Those will be discussed in the paper. Some interesting stories will be shown and the relationship between space activities and social culture will be discussed in the paper. We will find the space exploration drive, which will be validate by current space activities. The space future which is influenced by culture will also be discussed in the paper. China will be the great example in the paper.