Patrizia Caraveo  INAF
Role model-a scientist
Role model—an astronaut
Role model - a professor
Learning by doing
Learning by doing
Learning to pursue a career...up to a point.
Space & women

European Space Agency

10% is a magic number
10% is the fraction of women astronaut
Space is a tough environment
Why Not Speak Out

Senator's Wife Hits

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Phillip A. Hart's blonde wife — mother of eight — is asking Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson to help break up the "men only" exclusiveness of the Americans-in-space program. She would like to be the first woman in space herself.

The wife of the Michigan Democrat wants the United States to launch a woman-in-space program. So far, she says, she has gotten the cold shoulder.

A program for female astronauts "could be gotten off the ground very quickly if we could just convince men it

...
not just in orbit
Back to 10%, but improving
MOM orbit insertion
Women in Italian astronomy

Francesca Matteucci, Università di Trieste, Chair of INAF Scientific Council
Raffaele Gratton, INAF-Osservatorio Astronomico di Padova

Figure 3. Fraction of women among IAU members of the ten most productive countries in astronomy