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SPACE AS A DEVELOPMENT IMPERATIVE AND CATALYST OF GROWTH

As space rapidly evolves into a dynamic global marketplace, it is becoming a powerful driver of innovation, connectivity, and sustainable economic growth on Earth. We warmly invite you to a vibrant open discussion on how nations—regardless of where they stand in their space journey—can leverage space for socioeconomic development in pursuit of their own development path. Through the lens of the three Es—economy, ecosystem, and economics—we'll explore how nations from very different contexts harness space-based services for national priorities, overcome barriers to entry, and craft inclusive policies that unlock shared prosperity. We will also discuss the role of the State and space agencies in the New Space Economy and dive into the economics of market creation, competition, internationalization, space sustainability and more.

MONDAY, 30 JUNE | **14:10-15:00**
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Space Economy project



Opening remarks: **Lorant Czarán**, Acting Chief of Space Applications Section, UNOOSA
Akhil Rao, Chief Economist, Rational Futures (formerly Chief Economist at NASA)
Tiana Desker, Deputy Executive Director, Office of Space Technology and Industry Singapore (OSTIn)
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Moderator: Xing Yi Ang, Space Economy Lead, UNOOSA

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