



BHUTAN SPACE WEEK

17-23 FEB, 2020

In celebration of the 40th Birth
Anniversary of His Majesty the King



Program
Official Launch Ceremony of Bhutan Space Week
&
Space Seminar

17th February, 2020
Venue: RUB Hall, Thimphu

Time	Topic	Speaker
09:00 - 09:30	Registration of participants	
09:30 - 09:40	Opening ceremony	Jigme Tenzing Director Department of Information Technology and Telecom
09:40 - 10:00	Welcome address	Lyonpo Karma D. Wangdi Hon'ble Minister Ministry of Information and Communications
10:00 - 10:30	Launch of Bhutan Space Week	Lyonchen Dr. Lotay Tshering Hon'ble Prime Minister
10:30 - 11:00	Space Science and Technology	Dr. R. Umamaheshwaram Scientific Secretary Indian Space Research Organisation
11:00 - 11:30	<i>Photo session/ Coffee break</i>	

11:30 - 13:00	<i>Bhutan's Space Program</i>	
11:30 - 12:00	Overview of Bhutan's Space Initiative/Program	Karma Yonten Director Office of Performance Management
12:00 - 12:30	BHUTAN-1 - Development and Operation	Kiran Kumar Pradhan Dy. Ex. Engineer Department of Information Technology and Telecom



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12:30 - 13:00	Space Technology for Socio-Economic Development	Kinlay Paydon Dorji Planning Officer Gross National Happiness Commission
13:00 - 14:00	<i>Lunch break</i>	
14:00 - 17:00	<i>Space as a driver of STEM education</i>	
14:00 - 14:20	Spinoffs of Space	Dr. Cigay Tshering Dorji CEO Thimphu TechPark
14:20 - 14:40	The CANSAT concept	Tandin Wangchuk Lecturer College of Science and Technology
14:40 - 15:00	Panoptes Telescopes	Ugyen Jigme Rangdrel Student The Royal Academy
15:00 - 15:20	Space Break & Space Club Bhutan	Dipika Chhetri Royal Office for Media
15:20 - 15:40	<i>Coffee break</i>	
15:40 - 16:00	High Altitude Data Collection Device	BhutanTechForce Group of student
16:00 - 16:20	Hydro Rockets	Anuj Pradhan Aerospace Engineering student
16:20 - 16:40	Building a Moonbase	Sonam Tenzin Student
16:40 - 17:00	<i>Closing Remarks</i>	Cheki Dorji Engineer Department of Information Technology and Telecom