

2007 Triple Conjunction Conference: Program Agenda
(As of Sept. 9th: subject to change - please watch websites for possible updates)

Tuesday, October 9

3:00pm - Hotel check-in begins
3:00pm - Registration area opens (rear lobby of Wilson Lodge)
6:30 - 8:00pm - Opening reception in Glessner Auditorium
7:30 - 8:15pm - New member orientation (all 3 regions)
8:15pm - Jon Bell's "Astropardy" game contest.

Wednesday, October 10

6:30 - 8:00am - Breakfast
8:00 - 8:20am - Welcome and Opening Remarks
8:30 - 11:45am - Vendor Hall Open
8:30am - Paper Session #1 (concurrent)

Terrace Room

Tom Hamilton
Sheldon Schafer
Geoff Holt
Carolyn Sumners

Fort Henry Room

Richard Gamba
Ron Kaitchuck
Adam Thanz
John Scala

9:35 - 10:00am - Morning Break
10:00am - Paper Session #2 (concurrent)

Terrace Room

Rob Landis
Todd Slisher
Audra Baleisis
Mark Prusten & Michael Magee

Fort Henry Room

Brock Schroeder
Lucy Albert
Carolyn Sumners & Adam Barnes
David Hurd

10:45 - 11:30am - Workshop #1

Workshop #2

Meeting Room A

Ruberg & Watson - DAWN Activities

Meeting Room B

Dave Godman - "MoonStick"

11:45 - 1:00pm - Lunch w/speaker Chuck Wood

1:00 - 1:30pm - Group A travel to planetarium

1:30 - 5:30pm - Vendor Session #1 - Planetarium -- -- -- -- -- Group B - On your own

1:30 - 5:00pm - Vendor Hall Open

1:30 - 4:00pm - Portable Dome Workshops (8 workshops - see workshop list: contact presenter to sign-up)

5:30 - 7:45pm - Dinner on your own

8:00pm - Keynote Speaker - David Levy

9:15 - 10:30pm - Planetarium Programs Shown in Planetarium

- The Planets - The new SEPA production
- Nine Planets and Counting - Sudekum Planetarium Production

10:00pm - Hospitality Suite Opens - Chalet "B"

Thursday, October 11

6:30 - 8:00am - Breakfast

8:00 - 10:00am - Vendor Hall Open

8:30 - 9:45am - Paper Session # 3 (concurrent)

Fort Henry Room

Shawn Laatsch
April Whitt
Rob Landis
Sally Goff
Mark Prusten

David Weinrich
Fran Ratka
Gary Lazich
Jon Elvert
Bob Bonadurer

8:30 - 10:00am - Workshop #3

Amie Gallagher and Theresa Moody - Integrating Solar Experiences

10:05 - 10:40am - Pick up boxed lunches and board motorcoaches

10:45am - Travel to Pittsburgh - Carnegie Science Center/Buhl Digital Dome

12:00 - 5:00pm - Carnegie Science Center - James Hughes, Co-Host

12:30 - 3:00pm

Group A

Planetarium

Group B

Explore Science Center

3:00 - 3:30pm - Afternoon Break

3:30 - 5:00pm

Group B

Planetarium

Group A

Explore Science Center

5:15 - 5:45pm - Travel to Carnegie Museum of Natural History(CMNH)

5:45 - 7:45pm - dinner and explore CMNH

7:45 - 9:15pm - Speaker - James Kaler - Annual Astronomy Update - Carnegie Lecture Hall

9:20pm - Return to Oglebay

10:30pm - Hospitality Suite Opens - "Chalet B"

Friday, October 12

6:30 - 8:00am - Breakfast

8:00 - 11:00am - Vendor Hall Open

8:30 - 9:15am - Workshop #4

Jane Neuenschwander - Lunar Rock Certification and More

8:30am - Paper Session #4 (concurrent)

Terrace Room

Patty Seaton
Steven LJ Russo
Carolyn Summers
Wendy Ackerman

Fort Henry Room

Carolyn Summers and Patricia Reiff
Tony Butterfield
Dale Smith
Sharon Shanks

9:35 - 10:00am - Morning Break

10:00am - Paper Session #5 (concurrent)

Terrace Room

Mark Prusten
Dave Hostetter
Geoff Holt

Fort Henry Room

Adam Barnes and Shai Fishman
Bob Bonadurer
Amie Gallagher

11:00am - Group Photo

11:45 - 1:00pm - Lunch

1:00 - 1:30pm - Group B travel to planetarium

1:30 - 5:30pm - Vendor session #2 - planetarium

Group A - On your own

6:30pm - Banquet Reception

7:15pm - Banquet

8:30pm - Banquet Speaker - James Sweitzer

10:00pm - Hospitality Suite Opens - "Chalet B"

Saturday, October 13

8:00 - 10:00am - Breakfast (state meetings)

10:00 - 11:30am - Regional Business meetings

11:30am - Door prizes (winners must be present)

12:30pm - Conference closing