

# ExoPAG 34 | June 14, 2026 Pasadena, California



## ExoPAG 34 Agenda - Hybrid Meeting June 14, 2026

All times PDT (MDT +1 hour, CDT +2 hour, EDT +3 hours, UTC -7 hours)

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<b>Session 1: Welcome &amp; the future of exoplanet detection methods (Chair: Ian Crossfield)</b>				
	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Time (PDT)</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>End</u>
Registration & Science Networking	N/A	8:00 AM	0:45	8:45 AM
Welcome	Ian Crossfield (Univ. of Kansas)	8:45 AM	0:15	9:00 AM
NASA HQ Update	Josh Pepper (NASA HQ)	9:00 AM	0:20	9:20 AM
The NASA ASTRA Initiative	Josh Pepper (NASA HQ)	9:20 AM	0:20	9:40 AM
Future of Astrometry	Eduardo Bendek (NASA Ames)	9:40 AM	0:25	10:05 AM
<b>Break (25 minutes)</b>			10:05 AM	10:30 AM
Future of Microlensing	Scott Gaudi (OSU / remote)	10:30 AM	0:25	10:55 AM
Future of RV	Jennifer Burt (JPL/Caltech)	10:55 AM	0:25	11:20 AM
Future of Transits	Tiffany Kataria (JPL/Caltech)	11:20 AM	0:25	11:45 AM
Future of Direct Imaging	Chas Beichman (NExSci)	11:45 AM	0:25	12:10 PM
<b>LUNCH BREAK (80 min)- GROUP PHOTO FIRST!</b>			12:10 PM	1:30 PM
<b>Session 2: Mission concept ideas (Chair: Thomas Beatty)</b>				
	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Time (PDT)</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>End</u>
Mission concept pitches	Order: Astrometry Probe, HOEE, MIRECLE, FARSIDE, High-res UV spec., FLUTE, AurorEx, Nautilus, UV/NIR Interferometer, mid-IR nulling interferometer, High-res MIR spec, SALTUS, Starshade, MegaWave Radio Surveyor	1:30 PM	1:15	2:45 PM
<b>BREAK (set up breakouts, 15 min)</b>			2:45 PM	3:00 PM
Break-outs			3:00 PM	4:00 PM
<b>BREAK (30 min)</b>			4:00 PM	4:30 PM
<b>Session 3: Advancing our ideas for this fall (Chair: Speaker)</b>				
	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Time (PDT)</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>End</u>
Break-out reports		4:30 PM	0:15	4:45 PM
Group discussion		4:45 PM	0:15	5:00 PM
Community Q&A - Open mic	Audience	5:00 PM	0:30	5:30 PM
<b>Adjourn</b>			5:30 PM	5:45 PM
<b>Executive Committee closed session</b>			5:45 PM	6:45 PM