









BEYOND EARTH: INDO-US HUMAN SPACE EXPLORATION WORKSHOP

WORKSHOP TENTATIVE SCHEDULE: 04-03-2025

Time	Agenda	Venue		
09:30 -10:00	Assemble and settle	RRI Auditorum		
SESSION - I: Inauguration				
10:00 - 11:00 11:00 - 11:10	 Program Inauguration 10:00 - 10:10: Welcome Address Dr. Nisha Mendiratta, Executive Director, IUSSTF 10:10 - 10:20: Special Address by Prof. Tarun Souradeep, Director, Raman Research Institute 10:20-10:50: Keynote address by Dr. Umamaheshwaran R, Former Director, Human Space Flight Center, Indian Space Research Organisation 10:50-10:55: Vote of Thanks by Vikas Sood, American Center New Delhi, US Embassy Tea Break 	RRI Auditorum		
SESSION - II : Workshop				
11:10 - 11:40	Interactive session on Significance & Challenges of Human Space Exploration: Journey to Space, In-Space activities and Re-entry to Earth	RRI Auditorum		
11:40 - 12:40	Hands-On Activity: Plan and Designing the Re-entry Phase of the Human Space Mission.	Library Terrace		
12:30 - 13:15	Lunch Break (For students)	Library Terrace		
13:15 - 15:00	Performance Analysis of the Re-entry Phase of the Human Space Mission.	Library Terrace		

SESSION - III: Other Activities			
15:00 - 16:00	Visit to RRI Museum and back to activity venue	Headed by RRI Outreach Team	
16:00 - 17:00	Space Art Competition	Library Terrace	
17:00 - 17:30	Break (Snacks and networking)	Library Terrace	
17:30 - 18:00	Keynote Address by Nicole Stott, Astronaut (to be confirmed)	RRI Auditorium	
18:00 - 18:30	Vote of Thanks by Ms. Nidhi, US Consulate Chennai & Formal closing of the Program.	RRI Auditorium	

SESSION - IV (Optional)			
18:30 - 19:30	Session on Astronomy and night sky gazing with Telescopes (Weather dependent)	RRI Ground	