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3rd Virtual MEPAG Meeting (VM3)
September 13, 2018
1:00-3:15 pm EDT

Members of the Mars community,

I cordially invite you to participate in the third 2018 virtual meeting (VM3) of the Mars Exploration Program Analysis Group (MEPAG), scheduled on Thursday, September 13th, 2018, at 1:00-3:15 pm EDT.

The agenda will include reports on the midterm review of the planetary Decadal Survey and the planetary protection policy development process. The current draft agenda and Adobe Connect information are listed below. Updates to the agenda and additional meeting information will be posted to the MEPAG meeting website (<http://mepag.nasa.gov/meetings.cfm>).

The meeting is open to all members of the Mars science community including our international colleagues. I look forward to your participation.

Sincerely,

Dr. Jeffrey R. Johnson
MEPAG Chair

If you have a comment or question about the meeting, please email mepagmeetings@jpl.nasa.gov.

Electronic meeting (JPL WebEx): 1:00 pm-3:15 pm EDT

Agenda (as of August 28)

Times shown are EDT, all presenters should include time for discussion

Start		Title/topic	Presenter
EDT	PDT		
13:00	10:00	Welcome/meeting agenda/MEPAG update	J. Johnson (MEPAG Chair, JHU/APL)
13:15	10:15	National Academies Planetary Protection Report	S. Hubbard (Stanford Univ.)
13:45	10:45	Question period	---
14:05	11:05	National Academies Mid-Term Decadal Survey Report	L. Prockter (LPI)
14:50	11:50	Question period	---
15:10	12:10	Wrap-up	J. Johnson
15:15	12:15	Adjourn	

WebEx connection information

- 1) Join Meeting: <https://jpl.webex.com/jpl/j.php?MTID=ma844f6bac9749b1e949bb81b3d969366>
Meeting number (access code): 902 019 322
- 2) To join audio – you can stream the sound through your computer speakers. Or (recommended) you can listen in via phone:
 - by having WebEx call you; or
 - call in: +1-510-210-8882 USA Toll or [Global call-in numbers](#).
- 3) All call-ins will be muted upon entry (to reduce noise on the line), and only listed speakers will be unmuted. To ask a question or make a comment, please use the WebEx chat box – time permitting, these will be verbally relayed to the presenters.

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Additional meeting information, such as updates to the agenda, will be posted to <https://mepag.jpl.nasa.gov/meetings.cfm>.