

Upcoming Lecture



Lecture by CEO of International Space Exploration Technology Organization

Beirut, Lebanon- 1/3/2016- As part of the Mars [Design] Studio program offered this spring by the Faculty of Engineering and Architecture (FEA) at the American University of Beirut, Dr. Mauricio Guerrero, CEO from the AngelicvM Aerospace Foundation, will be speaking on his team's current work in developing a rover to land on the surface of the Moon, the Google Lunar X prize project. This event is open to the public.

Time: Thursday, March 3, 2016 | 6:30 pm

Venue: Engineering Lecture Hall, Bechtel Building, FEA, AUB

About the Lecturer:

Mauricio Guerrero is the CEO of the AngelicvM Aerospace Foundation (AAF), leading a team of professionals, including scientists and engineers, pushing the boundaries to achieve affordable access to space. The Foundation's boldest project pursues to land a small 5KG lunar rover in the context of international competition Google Lunar XPRIZE.

Dr. Guerrero is a six-time Grammy Award winning producer/engineer. A Chilean native who moved to Los Angeles, California in 1988, he has been involved in countless music productions including Phil Collins, Beyoncé, Shakira, Gloria Estefan and Plácido Domingo. In 2012, Mauricio was awarded an Honorary Doctorate degree by Shepherd University in Los Angeles, California. Currently, he is the head of the Production and Recording Arts Department at Shepherd University.

Mauricio aims to produce a music video broadcast from the surface of the moon.

More on Google Lunar XPRIZE: <http://lunar.xprize.org/teams/angelicvm>

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