Graduate Projects Integrated Lunar Occupation Outpost (IgLOO)

Lecture Presentation

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Project Overview



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Project Purpose

Motivation

Enable safe human Earth-Lunar operations as part of larger program of Lunar habitat missions to the Moon.

Purpose

Lunar habitat mission will be required to support human operations on the Lunar surface. The IgLOO architecture is intended to advance the state-of-the-art Lunar habitat design.

Goal

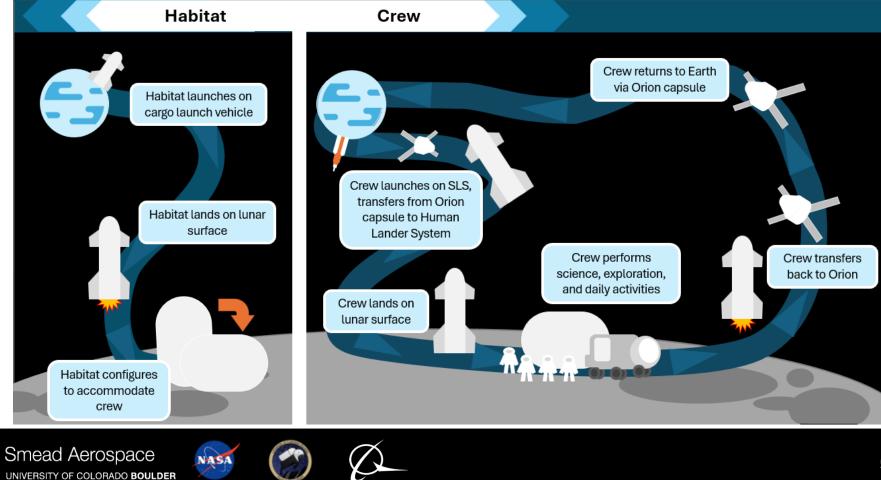
Develop a conceptual design of a Lunar Habitat and conduct a mockup build for human factors testing of the design.







Concept of Operations



Functional Objectives

FO #	FO Requirement	Responsible Subsystems
FO 1	Launch IgLOO Habitat	Systems, Structures
FO 2	Arrive on the Lunar Surface	Systems, Structures
FO 3	Enable Lunar Science and Exploratory Operations	EVA, Structures
FO 4	Support a Crew of Four for up to 37 Days	ECLSS, Crew Accommodations, Payload Accommodations
FO 5	Enable Habitat Operations and Reusability	Systems, Structures, Thermal, Power, Communications, Command and Data Handling







Project Organization

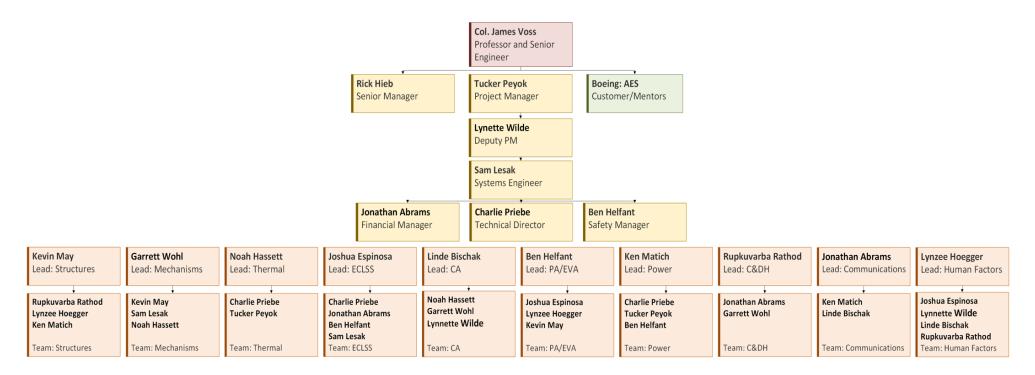








Org Chart









Stakeholders

- The Boeing Company
- CU Boulder Bioastronautics

 Colonel Jim Voss
 Rick Hieb
- CU Boulder Graduate Projects

 Chris Koehler
 Joey Shy











Sub-Systems

• <u>Structures</u>

 Provides the physical boundary for the habitat and maintains a pressurized environment

Mechanisms

 Designs all moving components, such as the hatches of the habitat

• Thermal

• Ensures thermal equilibrium within the habitat is maintained at a level suitable for the crew

• Environmental Control and Life Support Systems (ECLSS)

- Fulfills all the crew's biological needs (keep them alive)
- Crew Accommodations (CA)
 - Provides equipment crew will need to remain productive, happy, and healthy

• Payload Accommodations/Extravehicular Activity (PA/EVA)

 Provides equipment crew will need to achieve scientific and mission goals

• <u>Power</u>

 Generates, conditions, and provides electrical power to the habitat so that all components can function

• Command and Data Handling (C&DH)

 $\circ\;$ Sends commands to and receives telemetry data from the other subsystems

<u>Communications</u>

 Enables voice, video, and data exchanges between ground and the habitat

Human Factors

 Ensures that the habitat layout and design are compatible with the crew and maximizes human efficiency







Deliverables



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Fall 2024 Deliverables

Task	Description
BIOASTRO – 1	Conduct a Kickoff Meeting with BIOASTRO management and Boeing to refine work to be completed in support of the IgLOO conceptual design and mockup build. Agree on scope of work to be performed.
BIOASTRO – 2	Conduct Technical Interchange Meetings (TIM) with BIOASTRO management and Boeing to verify the concept for the IgLOO mockup to support trade study needs and human factors evaluations.
BIOASTRO – 3	Complete systems engineering documents in support of the IgLOO design.
BIOASTRO – 4	Complete design of IgLOO.
BIOASTRO – 5	Complete work to repurpose the existing BIOASTRO habitat mockup.
BIOASTRO – 6	Complete limited human factors evaluations of the IgLOO mockup.
BIOASTRO – 7	Prepare and conduct additional meetings and reviews of program progress, readiness, and status.



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High-Level Structures



Team Progress



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Conceptual Design Overview

- Optimized for 4-person crew, 30-day missions (7 days contingency)
- Designed for 15-year operational lifespan
- Reconfigurable spaces for science, living, and radiation protection
- Advanced operations and control

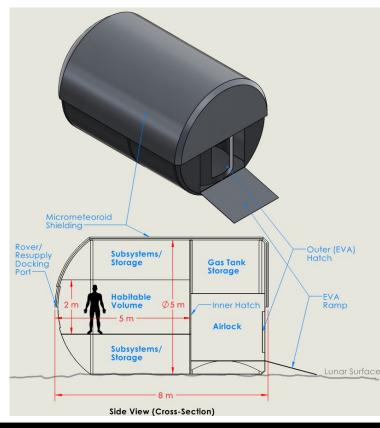






C&DH

Layout – Conceptual Design

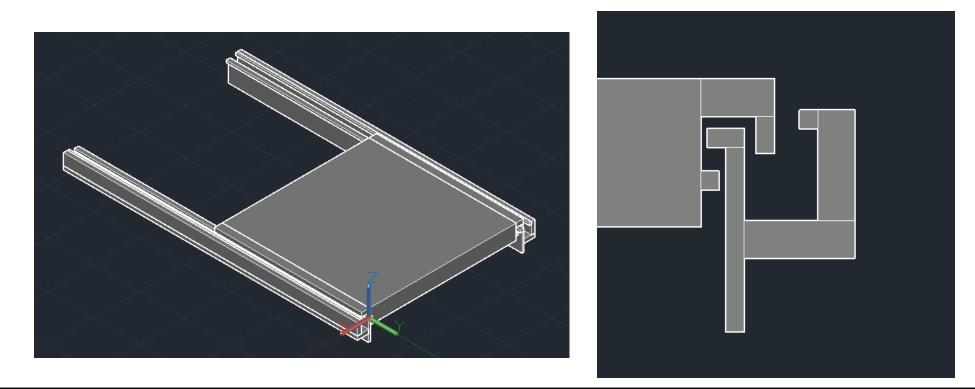






- Cylindrical habitat, ~8x5 m
- Separate habitat and airlock module
- 3 "hatches"
 - Docking port for rover/resupply
 - Inner hatch (habitat -> airlock)
 - Outer hatch (airlock -> surface)
- Total pressurized volume ~ 90 m³
- Habitable volume ~ 20 m³
- Habitat contains life support, crew accommodations, science payloads, etc.

Mechanisms

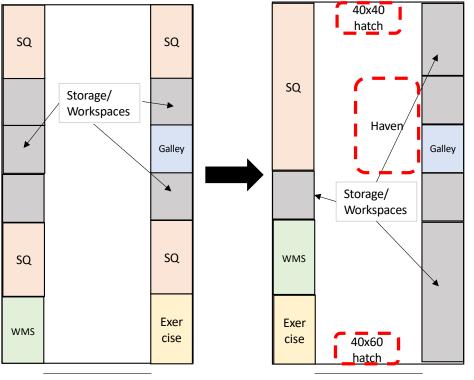




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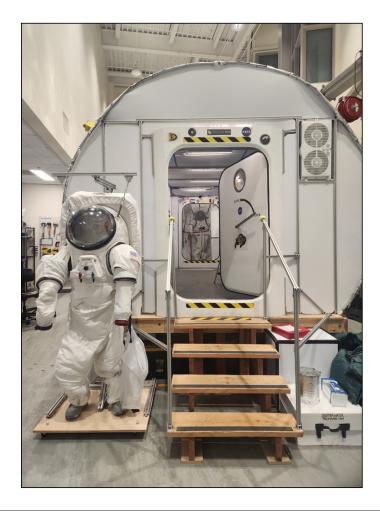
Human Factors Testing

- November 12-22
- Will consist of groups of people testing various aspects of the habitat

 Hatches, equipment, layout, etc.













Project Concerns



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Project Concerns

- Schedule
 - $\,\circ\,$ Transitioning to mockup build
 - $\circ\,$ Need to finish by end of October
 - Material procurement
- Design

 $_{\odot}$ Transition from conceptual to low/medium fidelity physical design

• Budget



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Questions?







