



SPACE RENAISSANCE INTERNATIONAL

The civilian space development
an economic, social, cultural, environmental vision
a glorious and grandiose future of hope and great inspiration
(instead of a disastrous and depressing one)

SRI – a detailed history and presentation

Space Renaissance International

- Space Renaissance International, no profit organization philosophy-based, founded in 2010, held by volunteers
- The Space Renaissance Initiative movement exists since 2008
- Present in 5 continents and 25 countries
- **Prof. Bernard Foing** is the President, elected July 15° 2021, during the 3° World Congress
- **Adriano V. Autino** is the founder, President up to July 2021, Strategy Director
- The organization has three main directive organs: the President, the Board of Directors, the Executive Secretariat
- A large Board of Advisors contributes to the SRI global strategy
- The head of ESA, Dr. Jan Wörner, astronaut Paolo Nespoli, and others, are honorary members

Our Mission

- Space Renaissance International (SRI) promotes the expansion of civilization into outer space;
- SRI connects Aerospace and New Space companies, individuals, institutions and space agencies to boost technological development for civil expansion into space;
- promotes economic, cultural, political relationships between its members and their services, products and capitals;
- develops education and outreach initiatives worldwide, integrating science, philosophy, arts in a new vision and perspective of an open world, a Solar Civilization, including the geo-lunar space and beyond, our whole Solar System.

Key Factors

- **Members:** SR International current paid members: 140
- **Followers** on social networks:
 - Facebook: 30,000
 - LinkedIn: 1,500
 - YouTube Channel: 732 (created in 2020)
- **World Congresses:**
 - 2011 1st SRI World Congress – SRIC1 - “Three Theses for the Space Renaissance” (virtual)
 - 2016 2nd SRI World Congress – SRIC2 - “From Space Exploration to Space Settlement” (virtual)
 - 2021 3rd SRI World Congress – SRIC3 - “The Civilian Space Development” (virtual)
- **National Congresses:**
 - 2014 1st Space Renaissance Italia National Congress – Politecnico di Milano
 - 2018 2nd Space Renaissance Italia National Congress – INAF Bologna

The SRI services to members: individuals, corporates, research, education

- **Networking:** Sharing experiences and getting to know new partners: contacts fuel business and are key to success.
- **Business:** Supporting business growth through the expansion of international relations.
- **Advocacy:** Acting as an intermediary between companies and institutions to ensure that the issues addressed are submitted to the most appropriate decision makers: safeguarding your interests is easier when you have allies.
- **Social:** updating social analysis on the status of civilization, status and perspectives of civil economic and social growth, perspectives of expansion into outer space
- **Education & Outreach:** Space Renaissance Academy develop studies, webinars and courses on space humanist philosophy, science and space art.

Advocacy

- We elaborate proposals and formulate amendments to the rules of the regulatory framework through the activity of Committees and Working Groups composed and led by our members.
- We carry on Advocacy activities with institutions and promote consensus around issues of interest to our members.
- A few samples:
 - Open letter to G20, London UK, March 2009
 - Open letter to Unispace+50, Wien Austria, June 2018
 - Open letter to COP26, Glasgow, October 2021

2021 SPACE RENAISSANCE CONGRESS "CIVILIAN SPACE DEVELOPMENT" FINAL EVENT PARTY!



3rd SRI World Congress “The Civilian Space Development”

- **The Congress had registered attendees from 43 Countries:** Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Bolivia, Brasil, Bulgaria, Canada, Ch, China, Denmark, Deutschland, Equador, France, Germany, Ghana, Hawaii, India, Iran, Iran, Italia, Japan, Malaysia, Mali, Mexico, Nepal, Nederlands, Norway, Pakistan, Peru', Philippines, Polska, Republic Of New Afrika, Russian Federation, Slovakia, South Africa, Switzerland, The Netherlands, Turkey, Ucraina, Uk, Ukraine, Usa, Venezuela.
- **The Congress sessions had more than 1000 visualizations on the [Space Renaissance Youtube channel](#).**
- **The Final Motions**, approved during the June 30th 2021 Voting Session, and confirmed during the following 15 days by the online voting mechanism:
 - the [2021 Space Renaissance Congress Final Resolution](#) – got 97.83% AYE, 0% NAY, 2.17% ABSTAIN
 - the [motion on Congress Thesis 1](#) – got 93.48% AYE, 0% NAY, 6.52% ABSTAIN
 - the [motion on Congress Thesis 2](#) – got 93.48% AYE, 0% NAY, 6.52% ABSTAIN

Keynote speakers at the last SRI Congress



Michelle Hanlon (NSS President)



Johann-Dietrich Wörner (Former ESA Director General)



Bob Zubrin (Mars Society, President)



Rick Tumlinson (Space Frontier Foundation, Founder)



Susan Jewell (MMAARS, President)



Gary Barnhard (Space Development Foundation, President)



Christina Korp (SPACE For a Better World, President)



John Blicow (Gateway Foundation, President)

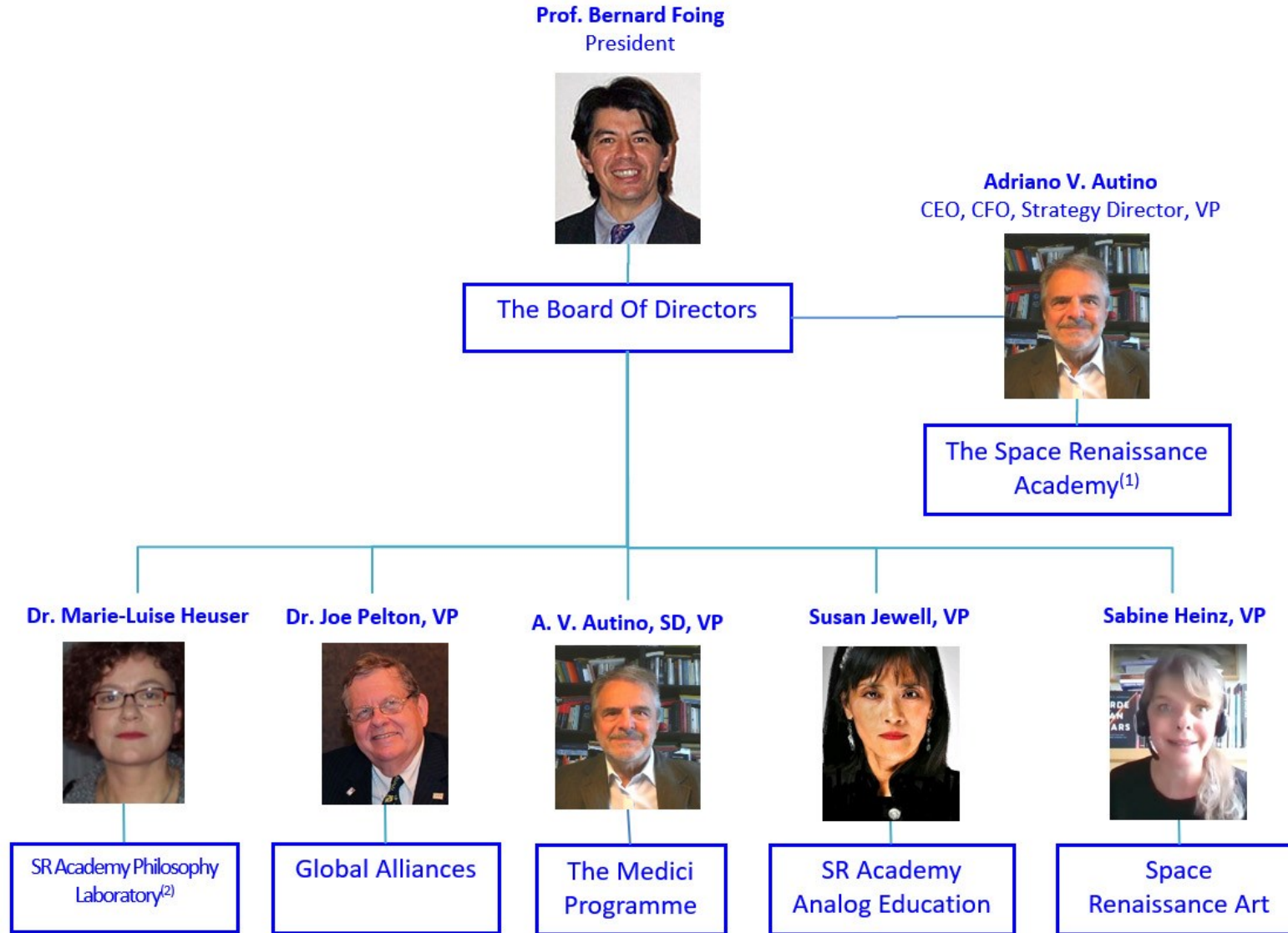


Giacomo Cao (Sardinia Aerospace District, President)



Joe Pelton (Exec. Board the International Association for the Advancement of Space Safety)

The Space Renaissance International Organigram (2021-2025)



NOTES:

- (1) Social analysis, philosophical conceptual development, projects
- (2) Head of the Space Philosophy Laboratory

SRI Board of Directors



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Space Renaissance Academy Webinar Series

date / time	lecturer	conference title	status
20.05.2024 19:00 UTC	Milan Ćirković	<u>The Nutshell Kings: Roots of Resistance to Human Space Exploration and Settlement</u>	YouTube livestream FaceBook event
03.06.2024 19:00 UTC	Thais Russomanno	<u>Effects of Microgravity on Human Health</u>	YouTube livestream FaceBook event
17.06.2024 19:00 UTC	Kaja Antlej and Tjasa Savoric	<u>Art-Themed Virtual Reality for Mitigating Isolation on Long-Duration Space Missions</u>	YouTube livestream FaceBook event
01.07.2024 19:00 UTC	Frederick Jenet	Universal Space Development (working title)	confirmed
08.07.2024 13:00 UTC	Ruida Xie	<u>Asteroids capture and mining</u>	YouTube livestream FaceBook event
15.07.2024 19:00 UTC	Walter Hammond	<u>Space Exploration Present and Future – Walter E. Hammond, Ph.D</u>	YouTube livestream FaceBook event
12.08.2024 19:00 UTC	Marie-Luise Heuser	Cultural History of Early Space Movements	confirmed
26.08.2024 19:00 UTC	Susan Jewell	Frontier technology for space medicine	confirmed
02.09.2024 19:00 UTC	Dinis Afonso Ribeiro	Orbital compost bin (recycling ISS) working title	confirmed
07.10.2024 20:00 UTC	Cheryl Gallagher	title to be defined	confirmed

webinars past

date / time	lecturer	conference title	video
06.05.2024 19:00 UTC	Alessandro Bortoloni	<u>Effects of Ionising Radiations in Space: Safeguarding Human Life and Health</u>	
08.04.2024 19:00 UTC	Luigina Feretti	<u>Astrophysics for Dummies</u>	
18.03.2024 20:00 UTC	Armen Papazian	<u>The Monetary Foundations of a Spacefaring Species</u>	
04.03.2024 20:00 UTC	Maximo A. Roa Garzon	<u>Robots for supporting human expansion in space</u>	
19.02.2024 18:00 UTC	Giulio Prisco	<u>Space expansion: cultural considerations, long term perspectives, and spiritual implications.</u>	

<https://academy.spacerenaissance.space/space-renaissance-academy-webinar-series/>

Space Renaissance Academy Webinar Series (pre-congress)

conference title	panel	date
1) Space Tourism	Patrick Collins, Sam Coniglio, Andreas Bergweiler, Al Globus, Rino Russo	Oct 26 2020
2) Space Safety (read more)	Tommaso Sgobba, Jonathan Tate, Luigina Feretti, Stefano Antonetti, Joe Pelton	Dec 13 2020
3) Earth Orbit, Moon and Cislunar Industrial Development (read more)	Michelle Hanlon, Rick Tumlinson, Bernard Foing, Patrick Collins, Thomas Matula	Jan 31 2021, 16:00 UTC
4) Webinar on the Development of Mars, the Asteroids, and Beyond (read more)	Shaun Moss, Jerry Stone, Susan Jewell, Dan Cottita, Bruce MacKenzie, Isaac Arthur	Mar 14 2021, 16:00 UTC
5) Greening the Solar System (read more)	Howard Bloom, Bart Womack, Giorgia Pontetti, Enrico Feoli, Alessandro Sciaraffa & Emanuele Pensavalle	April 11th 2021, 20:00 UTC
6) Space Renaissance and Spirituality (read more)	The Cometan, Giulio Prisco, Alberto Cavallo, Tsvi Bisk, Steven Wolfe, Paul Ziolo, Adriano V. Autino	April 25th 2021, 16:00 UTC

SRI History 1 – Forerunners, to foundation

Year	Date	Activity
1990's		The Greater Earth - https://greater.earth/GEO_DOCS/the_greater_earth_manifesto.php
2006	April	Moncrivello (Italy) - convention organized by Technologies of the Frontier and SpaceFuture “The global importance of the incoming Space Economy” https://spacerenaissance.space/1st-convention-of-technologies-of-the-frontiers-moncrivello-april-2006/
2008	June	The Space Renaissance concept was expressed for first time. Belgirate (Italy) – convention organized by Technologies of the Frontier and SpaceFuture “Colonizing the Moon and the Near Earth Asteroids for a New Renaissance” https://spacerenaissance.space/2nd-convention-of-technologies-of-the-frontiers-belgirate-june-2008-the-acta/
	December	The Space Renaissance Initiative website was created www.spacerenaissance.org
2009	March	Call for a worldwide forum https://spacerenaissance.space/sri/call/ An open letter was delivered to G20 in London https://spacerenaissance.space/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/1-SRI_Letter_to_G20.pdf
	September	The Space Renaissance Manifesto https://spacerenaissance.space/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/The_Space_Renaissance_Manifesto.pdf
2010	August 10	Space Renaissance International incorporation, in Torino, Italy

SRI History: 1st World Congress

SPACE RENAISSANCE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS



LOCATION: ONLINE, BY SKYPE

SCHEDULE: JUNE 25th, 26th / JULY 9th, 10th 2011

SRI History 2 – from 1st to 2nd World Congress

Year	Date	Activity
2011	June 25 – July 10	Space Renaissance International 1st World Congress - https://spacerenaissance.space/congress/sric-2011/
	June 29	Virtual Orbital Space Station (VOSS) - https://tinyurl.com/4sufzcnh
	August	BSID Best Space Industrial Development Assessment Project - Statement of Work https://tinyurl.com/yhdejsf9
2012	July 14 - 15	Congress Resolution update - One year after the first SRI congress, the global crisis is worse, and SRI's task is clearer. Resolution of the SRI Executive. https://spacerenaissance.space/media/SRI_congress_resolution_upgrade.pdf
	August	Civilization Risk Assessment Project https://spacerenaissance.space/wp-content/uploads/2012/09/CRAM-PROJECT-STATEMENT-OF-WORK-rel.2.1.pdf
2013	March 22	First public event of Space Renaissance Italia – Città della Scienza, Napoli Espansione della Civiltà nello Spazio, Aspetti Economici, Tecnologici, Etici e Sociologici
	October	Space Renaissance Italia, incorporation
2014	May 8-9	First National Congress of Space Renaissance Italia, Politecnico University La Bovisa (Milano) https://spacerenaissance.it/sritac-1-2014-primo-congresso-nazionale-di-space-renaissance-italia/
	May 14-18	SRI participates to ISDC 2014 'Space Renaissance', Los Angeles https://spacerenaissance.space/sri-takes-its-space-renaissance-to-isdc-press-release/
		Poster for ISDC 2014 https://spacerenaissance.space/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/ISDC2014POSTER-LR.jpg
2015	June	Space Not War Congress – https://spacerenaissance.space/space-not-war-call-to-action/ Note: the SNW congress was discussed and designed in details, but not realized. The SRI 2 nd World Congress was made, in 2016.
	October 4	Space Renaissance Italia – Dreaming of Space, “Magia e Mito, Sognando lo Spazio” Concert Elena Cecconi (flauto) and Tim Carey (piano)
	October 7	Space Renaissance Italia – Conference at Politecnico di Torino “La nascente industria del volo spaziale civile”

SRI History: 2nd World Congress



Space Renaissance International II World Congress
"From Space Exploration to Space Settlement"
September 2016 - on Skype

SRI History 3.1 – 2nd World Congress, 2016, 2017

2016	May	Space Renaissance USA, Inc. was incorporated, in New York
	July	Space Renaissance Industry https://spacerenaissance.space/space-renaissance-science-industry/
	August - November	Space Renaissance USA, Inc. participated to the 100 & Change contest, in partnership with Lifeboat Foundation, prize = \$M 100 https://tinyurl.com/efz534cb
	August	Asteropolis project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conceptual abstract https://academy.spacerenaissance.space/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/Asteropolis-LAC-Project-Abstract.pdf - General Requirements Document https://academy.spacerenaissance.space/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/LAC-Project-General-Requirements.pdf
	30/09 – 02/10	Space Renaissance International 2nd World Congress – From Space Exploration to Space Settlement https://spacerenaissance.space/congress/sri-2nd-world-congress-from-space-exploration-to-space-settlement/
	December	A Position Paper on Civilian Space Development and Space Technology Fall 2016 https://spacerenaissance.space/wp-content/uploads/2016/12/SRI_Position_Paper_December_2016.pdf
	December	Space Renaissance Tour - Crowdfunding for a Space Renaissance Tour, to support the Renaissance vs. new Middle Ages https://spacerenaissance.space/crowdfunding-for-a-space-renaissance-tour-to-support-the-renaissance-vs-new-middle-ages/
2017	February	SR Academy website was created.
	May	SR Academy - 3 Webinars on Astronautic Humanism: definitions, main concepts, evolutionary aspects https://spacerenaissance.space/space-renaissance-academy-webinars/
	July	SR Academy - Talks about future of civilization in 200 years: Ziolo, Bloom, De Paulis, Wolfe, Paura, Globus, Bisk https://academy.spacerenaissance.space/space-renaissance-talks-about-future-of-civilization-in-200-years/
	August 07	Declaration of the Space Renaissance, approved by the Space Renaissance International Congress, special session, August 07 2017 https://spacerenaissance.space/declaration-of-the-space-renaissance/
	October 6	An Open Letter to United Nations, on 50th Anniversary of the Outer Space Treaty, co-signed by Lifeboat Foundation, Greater earth, Team Synergy Moon, Human Synergy Project, Space Development Foundation https://spacerenaissance.space/an-open-letter-to-united-nations-on-50th-anniversary-of-the-outer-space-treaty/
	October 10	USA, USIP, October 10th, Outer Space Treaty, 50 Years Anniversary, Space Renaissance USA, Inc. & Lifeboat Foundation (the event was not done)
	October 10	SR Italia, Outer Space Treaty, 50 Years Anniversary: an opportunity to boost the adoption of a true space law system, to rule and support civil activities in space (the event was not done)
	October 18-21	Nigeria – Lead City University, Ibadan, hosts the first event of the Space Renaissance Tour (the event was not done)
Autumn	UK, Space Renaissance Tour events will take place in Glasgow and Edinburgh (the event was not done)	

SRI History 3.2 – 2018, 2019, 2020

2018	May 18-19	Space Renaissance Italia held the congress "Orbital laboratories: first steps of civilization expansion into outer space", at INAF Bologna https://sritac.spacerenaissance.space/
	June 19-21	<p>SRI was present at UNISPACE+50 in Vienna, giving a short but meaningful pitch.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - An Open Letter to UNISPACE+50 Conference https://spacerenaissance.space/an-open-letter-to-unispace50-conference/ - Adriano Autino briefly talks to UNISPACE+50 conference in Wien, the July 19th 2018 https://youtu.be/U33CrEHbljg
	October 1-5	We were present at IAC 2018 in Bremen, giving a paper, and promoting our positions in several symposia and meetings
		Space Renaissance USA chapter realized some important relationships with politicians which are influent in the USA space policy, such as the CongressWoman Grace Meng, in September
		SRI India developed the Space Renaissance India own website, and is working hard to incorporate SRI India chapter
	November 27-28	SRI was present at Spacecom 2018 – Houston
	November 27-28	SRI was present at Newspace 2018 – Luxemburg
2019		<p>SRI had a new Executive team, working to develop Space Renaissance Academy, to renew our main website, and to improve our working infrastructure</p> <p>Only newsletters, e.g.:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We don't need a 'Planet B'. We have an entire Solar System https://spacerenaissance.space/we-dont-need-a-planet-b-we-have-an-entire-solar-system/ - Avatar, a movie of this time https://spacerenaissance.space/avatar-a-movie-of-this-time/ - The value of human life, Or: Technology as a promoter of moral evolution https://spacerenaissance.space/the-value-of-human-life/ - A corpse is not a good customer! https://spacerenaissance.space/a-corpse-is-not-a-good-customer/
2020	January - March	The SRI main website was completely redesigned, thanks to the effort by Ryan J. Curtis to redefine our Who Why What How statements
	January - March	The SRI membership system was reorganized, membership was centralized at International, the fee was halved (fro 50€ to 24 € /year)

SRI History: 3rd World Congress



2021 Space Renaissance 3rd World Congress

THE CIVILIAN SPACE DEVELOPMENT
EXPANDING INTO OUTER SPACE TO SAVE CIVILIZATION

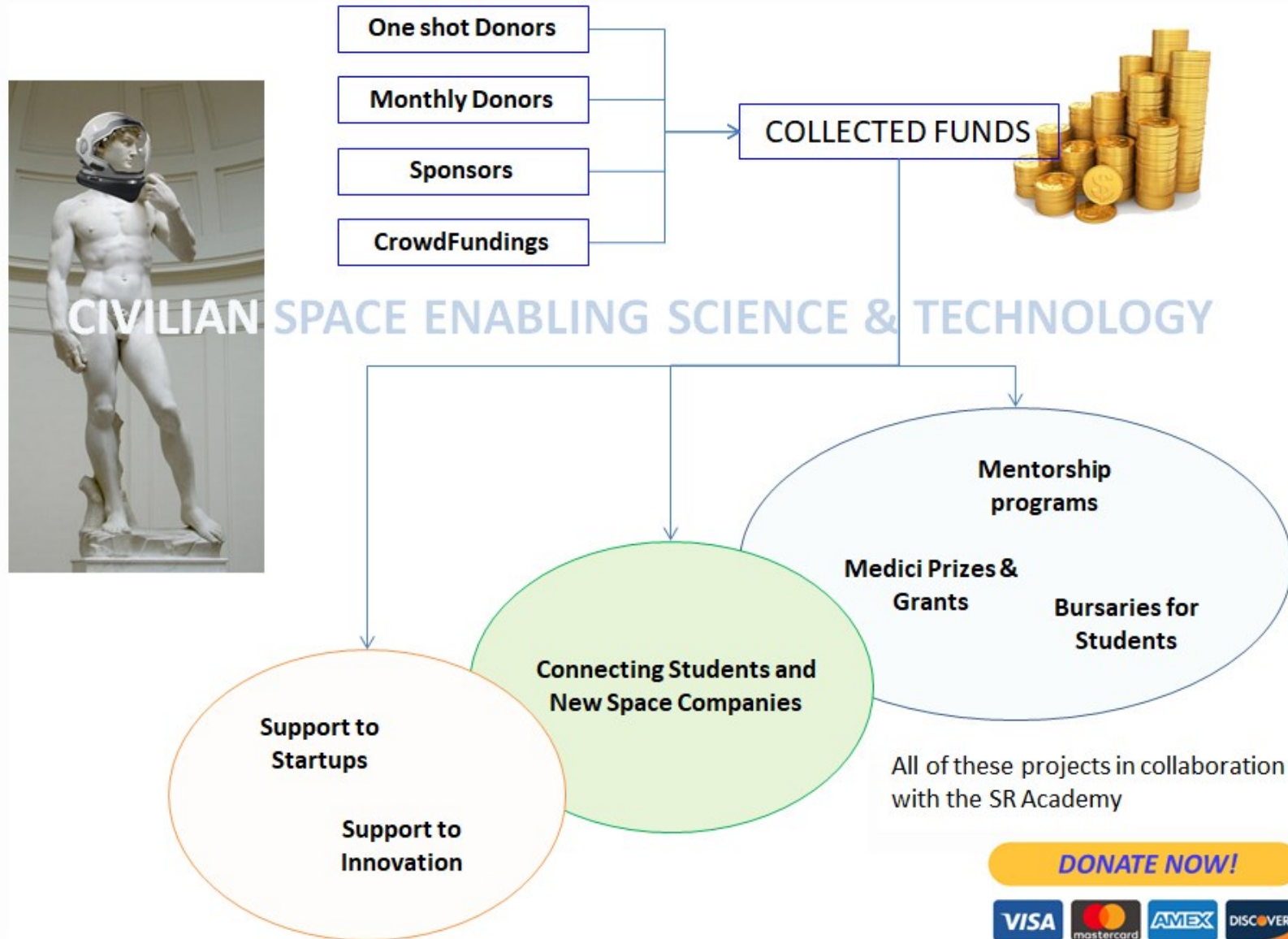
SRI History 4 – 2020, 2021: 3rd SRI World Congress

2020	October - December	Kick-off the 3 rd World Congress (SRIC3) preparation: Congress design, Webinar Series
2021	January - June	Webinar Series, SRIC3 Committee Meetings
	March	SRI participates to the GALIX two days virtual conference (by Joe Pelton, Jim Crisafulli and Ryozi Ariyoshi), a stepping stone towards the SRI Congress
	June 26 – July 15th	Space Renaissance International 3rd World Congress “The Civilian Space Development”
	October	An open letter to COP26, Glasgow: “A Planet B strategy, taking care of planet A” SRI participates to IAC2021, the 72 nd IAF Congress, Dubai

SRI Main Programmes

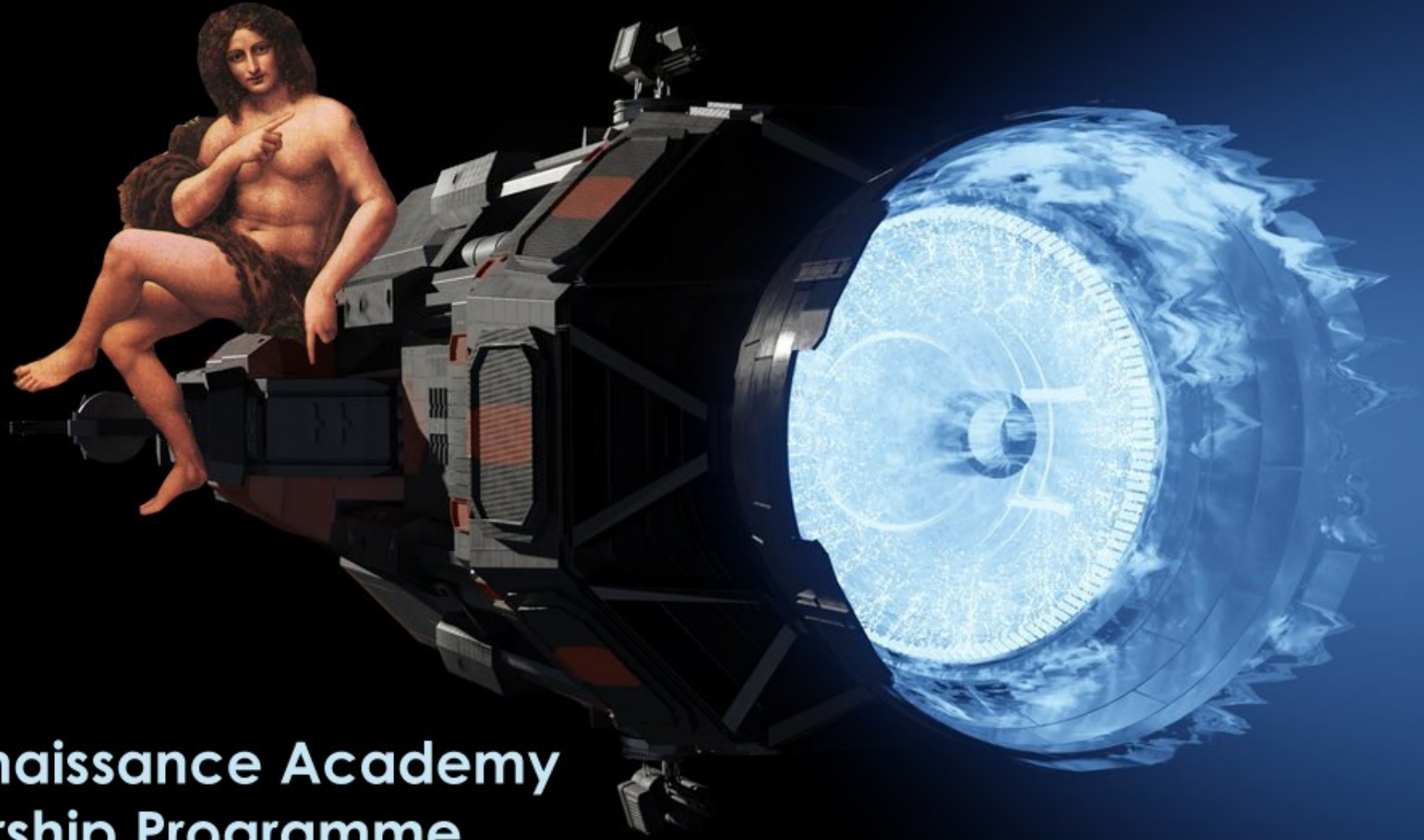
- SRI runs a number of programs, projects and activities in support of its mission. If *your* destiny lies among the stars, our job is to help get you there.
- **The Medici Fund Program**
- **The Outreach Program**
- **The Academy Program**
- **The Civilian Space Protocol (CSP) Initiative**
- **The Space Renaissance Chapters**
- **The Partnerships and Young Professionals Programmes**

The Medici Fund Programme



The Medici Fund Programme

- The goal: to support the renaissance of our civilization in space, namely, the science, philosophy and art, and the enabling technology for the civilian space development.
- Named after the Renaissance Italy family who were renowned for their generosity of funding for the arts and sciences. As a non-profit grant making body (equivalent to the US 501(c)(3) Private Operating Foundation) SRI operates the Medici Fund Programme.
- The Medici Fund will primarily sustain, through the Space Renaissance Academy, one of the top educational scholarship and bursary programs in the civilian space sector,
- and provide grant-aid and sponsorship opportunities for members to enable them to participate in a range of projects undertaken by partner organizations.
- Every donation to the Medici Fund helps funding your future in space.
- Medici Funds will be also used directly to support the development of those disruptive and enabling technologies that will assist mankind in becoming an interplanetary species.
- The Medici Fund will soon become one of the largest not-for-profit grant-based collaborations and equity partnerships for space entrepreneurs.



**Space Renaissance Academy
Mentorship Programme**

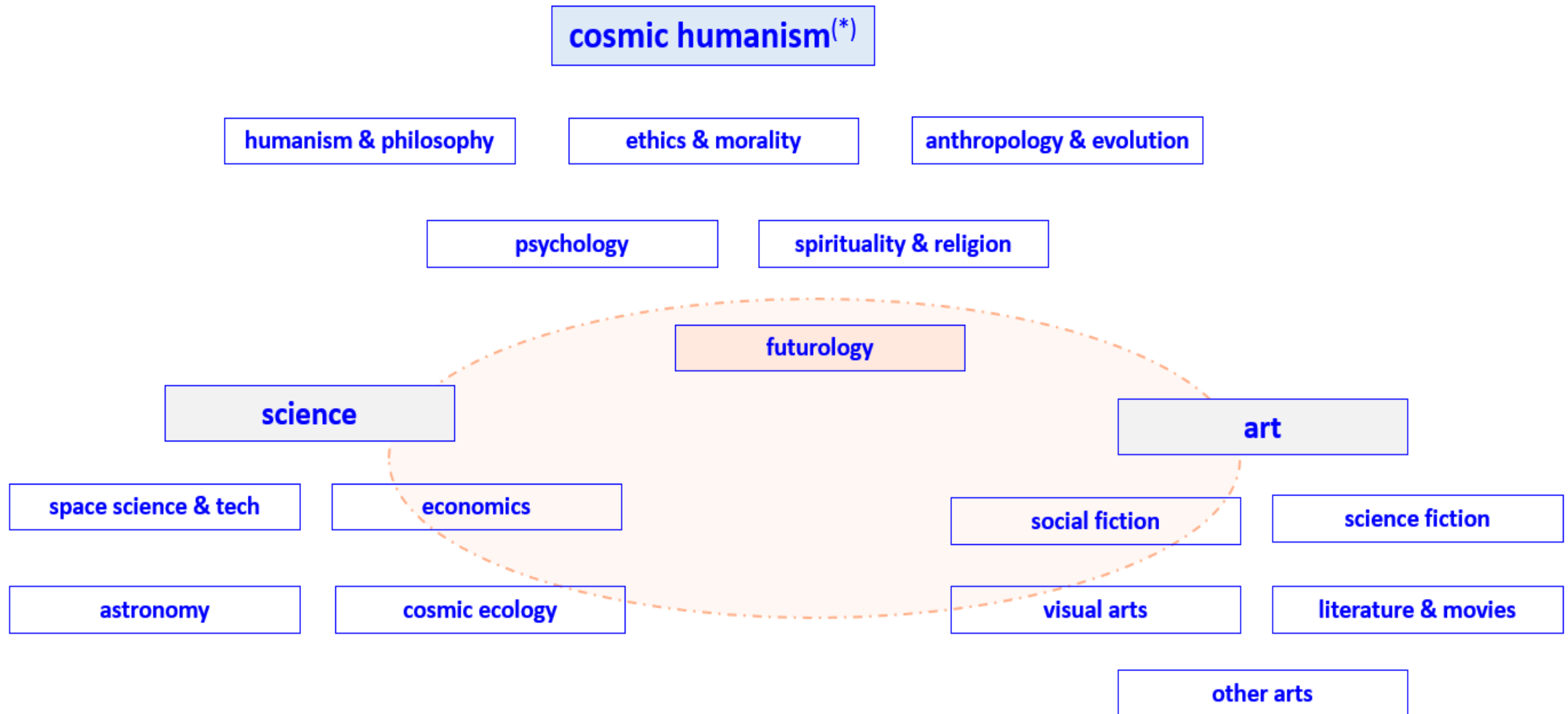
The SR Academy Mentorship Programme

- The Mentorship Programme is made by two main parts:
 - **Students** have the possibility to [choose their favorite themes](#) for graduation theses or Ph.D works.
 - **Mentors** have the possibility to [choose their favorite disciplines](#), on which they like to provide mentorship to students.
 - The SR Academy will take care of creating the link among students and mentors, for the different themes / disciplines.
 - We will also contact Universities, in order to coordinate this beautiful effort.
- Why did Space Renaissance engage in this adventure?
 - **First: focus.** Our proposed themes and disciplines are not generic themes related to space.
 - All of our proposals are related to our main mission: to support and favor the expansion of civilization into the outer space.
 - Some key scientific and technological research strands do not have the proper priority.
 - Our initiative aims to raise awareness on such topics, in the academic world and among the students, encouraging them to engage in the greatest work of all times: making humanity a space faring civilization.
 - **Another key rationale: to help the young generations** to choose their place in the world and their road to the stars.
 - **A priority aim: to increase the visibility and possibility to help of many space supporters** endowed by educational capabilities.
 - They are bearer of great concepts, and can be key to inject enthusiasm and hope in many young students, helping them to come up from the existential situation of the closed world.
 - **Last, but not least: not only science!** We also want to work with philosophy, literature, art and the humanistic disciplines. The first obstacle to civilian space development is not scientific nor technological nor economic: it is philosophic and politic!
 - To join, it is enough to go through one or both the questionnaires.

The Space Renaissance Ambassadors Programme

- SR Academy is developing an High Educational / Research Programme, with the following goals:
 - Consolidating our basic philosophical concepts
 - Providing our members and followers the knowledge of our basic concepts
 - Highlighting the father-children links among the concepts expressed by several precursors of astronautic humanism
 - Developing the Astronautic Humanism Educational Library
 - To develop new conceptual books, to be added to the Astronautic Humanism Educational Library
- For 2021 – 2022 didactic year we are working on:
 - A list of authors, with their key concepts
 - Video-lectures on Space Humanism, Humanist Science and Art
 - A list of selected lecturers

The SR Ambassadors Programme Methodology



(*) astronautic humanism? space humanism?

The SR Ambassadors Programme Lectures Cycles

- Humanist vs. dystopian science fiction
- Humanism & philosophy: the non space philosophers
- Cosmic Humanism
- Ethics & Morality
- Anthropology & Evolution
- Humanist Science & Technology
- Space Art
- Psychology
- Space Marketing
- Space Law
- Space Policy

The Civilian Space Protocol (CSP) Initiative

All Governments of Planet Earth are strongly recommended

1. To give priority to the following strands of research, all of which are essential to allow the transport, accommodation, and prolonged stay of people in space: low-cost space transport systems for civilian goods and passengers, low acceleration spacecrafts (both at launch and re-entry), safe and comfortable atmospheric reentry mechanisms, protection from cosmic radiation, lunar habitats, orbital habitats endowed with artificial gravity by rotation, artificial green ecosystems in closed environments.
2. To facilitate the creation of an international coordination for the New Space sector, which will bring the space industries together with universities, research institutes and space agencies.
3. To define and adopt national laws for the removal and reuse of existing space scrap and debris, and the prevention of the creation of new debris, everywhere.
4. To support the sharing, by leading industries in the New Space sector, of the best practices for the creation of virtuous supply chains, including the development and maintenance of a database of the New Space companies and resources worldwide.
5. Mentoring by institutions for the allocation of regional, national and international funds to support the civilian space projects.
6. Developing a friendly policy towards New Space companies, through incentives to raise their competitiveness, leading to the hiring of both young graduates and experienced personnel.
7. Promoting the creation of Space Investment Funds, designed to support the development of the New Space industry.
8. To relocate at least 20% of the military expense to support the civilian space development.

Congress theses and position papers

title	date	reference
<u>Thesis 1 – Status of Civilization and perspective of expansion into outer space</u>	June 2021	SRI 3 rd World Congress
<u>Thesis 2 – A strategy to develop the Space Renaissance, towards 2025</u>		
<u>The Congress Final Resolution</u>		
<u>A Position Paper on Civilian Space Development and Space Technology”</u>	December 2016	Position paper
<u>Theses 1 – Our Commitment to Astronautics</u>	October 2016	SRI 2 nd World Congress
<u>Theses 2 – Space for Peace</u>		
<u>Theses 3 – Building the Space Renaissance</u>		
<u>The Congress Final Resolution</u>		
<u>One year after the first SRI congress, the global crisis is worse, and SRI’s task is clearer.</u>	July 2012	SRI 1 st World Congress upgrade
<u>Issue 1: Our philosophical understanding of the status of civilization and the SRI political program 2011 – 2015</u>	June 2011	SRI 1 st World Congress
<u>Issue 2: Three projects for the Space Renaissance</u>		
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