

STAR WARS? NO THANKS!



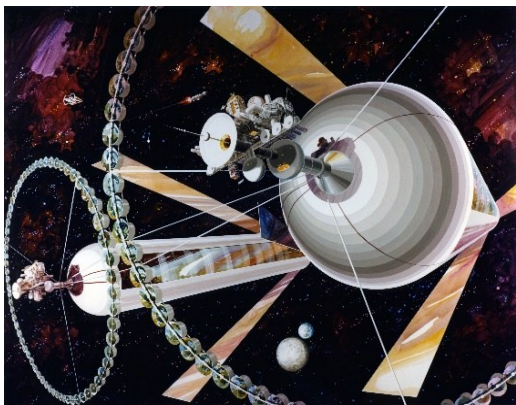
The first two goals of the Final Resolution of the 4th World Congress of Space Renaissance International (SRI) “Quality of Life, on Earth and Beyond”, call for a radical change: **from war and death to life and collaboration** for the future of civilization.

“STOP WARS! LET’S WORK TOGETHER IN SPACE!”

1. SRI calls for an International Ban on Space Weapons and for stronger diplomatic, legal and public efforts to prevent the weaponization of outer space, prevent an arms race beyond Earth, and preserve space as a peaceful, cooperative and civilian domain.



The Outer Space Treaty (1967) prohibits the deployment of weapons of mass destruction in space. Yet *dual-use* technologies increasingly blur the distinction between civilian and military capabilities. We therefore propose extending the ban to the offensive use of any device placed in space. regardless of its original purpose.



2. SRI promotes the conversion of military-industrial capacity toward Civilian Space Development, encouraging the redirection of technological, engineering and industrial capacities from conflict-oriented production toward life-supporting, peaceful and sustainable space infrastructure.

Global military spending 2026 estimated: \$2.85 trillion. This insane waste of public money while the world is facing epochal emergencies, such as climate crisis, energy crisis, and resource crisis. Furthermore, the resurgence of conflicts—converging toward World War III—exacerbates the crisis and undermines civilization's ability to survive and resume development. Even a modest percentage of this absurd budget would be enough to implement highly advanced projects in geo-lunar space, triggering a formidable economic relaunch and providing younger generations with a prospect worth committing and working hard for. The good news: *the conversion will not cause any job losses!* Just a redirection of the same capacities toward different goals: from death to life! The access to the immense resources of the Solar System makes any resource-war on Earth fully obsolete!

SPACE RENAISSANCE INTERNATIONAL



WHAT WE DO

- SRI is an Observer at COPUOS/UNOOSA, in Vienna
- SRI is leading the Space 18th SDG Coalition, including >120 organizations
- SRI is proposing a critical review of the Space 2030 Agenda, aimed to add Civilian Space Development
- SRI is a proud IAF Member, participating in Spring Meetings and Autumn Congresses

Join the SRI Crew



Join the Space 18th SDG Coalition



SRI 4th World Congress – the Final Resolution

- 1. Call for an international ban on space weapons** and for stronger diplomatic, legal and public efforts to prevent the weaponization of outer space, prevent an arms race beyond Earth, and preserve space as a peaceful, cooperative and civilian domain.
- 2. Promote the conversion of military-industrial capacity toward civilian space development**, encouraging the redirection of technological, engineering and industrial capabilities from conflict-oriented production toward life-supporting, peaceful and sustainable space infrastructure.
- 3. Promote the Space 18th Sustainable Development Goal**, integrating civilian space development into the global sustainability agenda, strengthening structured engagement with the UN system, including UNOOSA and COPUOS, and making space visible as both an enabler of sustainable development on Earth and a domain requiring responsible governance beyond Earth.
- 4. Empower younger generations**, giving students, young professionals and emerging leaders meaningful opportunities to participate in space education, science, advocacy, entrepreneurship, art and mission-oriented projects, so that civilian space development becomes a shared inter-generational endeavor.
- 5. Increase investment in life and health protection in space**, especially research and technologies addressing radiation, zero gravity, reduced gravity, simulated gravity, neurobehavioral health, reproduction, long-duration habitation, and human well-being beyond Earth.
- 6. Design future space infrastructure according to humanist principles**, including redundancy, safety, beauty, habitability, dignity, psychological well-being, cultural life and the requirements of long-term residents, not only short-term survival.
- 7. Advance free-space habitat concepts inspired by the Gerard K. O'Neill vision**, supporting Island Zero and other rotating habitat demonstrators as practical steps toward simulated gravity research, medical experimentation, and future human communities beyond planetary surfaces.
- 8. Establish the first permanent villages on the Moon**, devoted to scientific research, industrial development, astronomical observation, cultural activity, international cooperation, and preparation for broader civilian settlement.
- 9. Support the responsible development of lunar and near-Earth asteroid resources**, including water, minerals and other materials needed to enable sustainable space infrastructure and reduce the dependency of space development on Earth-launched supplies.
- 10. Develop in-space production of fuel and key resources**, including the use of lunar, asteroid and orbital materials as early building blocks of an Earth-orbit and geo-lunar economy.
- 11. Accelerate orbital-debris recovery and reuse**, treating debris not only as an environmental and safety challenge, but also as a recoverable material for orbital industry.
- 12. Support the development of 100% reusable space vehicles** and other transformative access-to-space infrastructures, including long-term space elevator concepts, with the objective of low-cost, safe, reliable and increasingly accessible passenger and cargo transportation to Earth orbit and beyond.
- 13. Produce food and oxygen in space**, accelerating exo-agriculture research, bioregenerative life-support systems, and experimentation in free-space and lunar habitats.
- 14. Advance space-based solar power**, to support space settlement and industrial infrastructure.
- 15. Support the development of space tourism** and accommodation industries, including orbital and lunar hospitality concepts, as early markets for passenger spaceflight, public participation and broader civilian access to space.
- 16. Promote humanist philosophy study and research**, to understand the history, design the future, and develop a feasible eutopia, a true civilization renaissance in space.
- 17. Support space-related art and bring art into space**, promoting cooperation, competitions and dialogue among artists, scientists, engineers, educators and the wider public as part of a living space culture.

SRI applauds and fully supports the commitment of major religious authorities — including Catholic, Muslim, Jewish, Orthodox, and Tibetan Buddhist leaders — to the immediate cessation of all wars!