Beyond Exploration 2026

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Space Sciences & Earth Applications
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Beyond the Lab: Space It Up! and the new perspectives of the Italian space industry

Organized by: SCARL Space It Up!

Language: English

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A Dialogue on Space & Non-Space

Organized by: AIAA - The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronauts

Language: English

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Data is tomorrow's value

Organized by: Argotec

Language: English

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BEX Vision Summit. Where Space Meets Industry

Organized by: BEX – Beyond Exploration Expo

Language: English

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Decortech Conference Arena, Hall B5-D5

Cross-Cutting Events
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Advanced ceramics: a materials platform for next generation aerospace and beyond

Organized by: Institute of Science, Technology and Sustainability for the Development of Ceramic Materials (ISSMC) of the National Research Council (CNR), in collaboration with TECNA

Language: English

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Resources Exploitation and Sustainability
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Large Constellations: New Opportunities and Challenges for Sustainability and Space Traffic Management

Organized by: Politecnico di Milano - Department of Aerospace Science and Technology

Language: English

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SMEs and the National Strategic Space Policy Document

Organized by: ASAS Association

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Debate: Regulatory Developments and Potential Operational and Training Impacts in the Drone Sector

Organized by: Drone and Advanced Air Mobility Observatory (Politecnico di Milano), ENAC - Italian Civil Aviation Authority

Language: English

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Non-Space Companies and the LEO Economy: Making Business with Microgravity

Organized by: ESA BSGN Agrifood accelerator manager

Language: English

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Space Metal Waste Refining: Engineering the Circular Space Economy Through Advanced Resource Recovery Technologies

Organized by: BTT Impianti

Language: English

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Agriculture & Food
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Space and Urban Farming: Growing Life Beyond Earth, Innovating for Our Planet

Organized by: ENEA - National Agency for New Technologies, Energy and Sustainable Economic Development

Language: English

Thursday 24 September
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From Space to Earth and Back: Business Opportunities and ESA Funding Instruments

Organized by: ESA Technology Broker

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Technology Transfer between Space and Deep-Sea Ecosystems: Analogies and Differences in Space and Underwater Innovation

Organized by: BEX – Beyond Exploration Expo, in collaboration with ASI – Italian Space Agency

Language: English

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Empowering Public Security and Emergency Management trough Satellite data and Unmanned Systems

Organized by: BEX Scientific Technical Committee

Language: English

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Engineering the Future Beyond Boundaries: From Connectivity to Operational Value

Organized by: Reply

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Entrepreneurship, Economy & Finance
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Space Finance Arena - Where Capital Meets Space Innovation

Organized by: BEX – Beyond Exploration Expo, in collaboration with Plug and Play

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Tech Fashion & Textile
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Technical Textiles for Space: innovation, advanced materials, and new opportunities for the Italian supply chain

Organized by: Confindustria Moda

Language: English

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Light-Activated Materials for Cleaner, Safer Environments - from Earth to Space

Organized by: EcoAida

Language: Italian

Thursday 24 September
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Space Physiology, Healthcare, Wellness, Pharmacy
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Biospace economy. New opportunities for Physiology, Healthcare, Wellness, Pharmacy - Session I

Organized by: CNR ISOF - Institute for Organic Synthesis and Photoreactivity of the National Research Council

Language: English

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From Space to Field: remote sensing data for innovative, sustainable and competitive agriculture

Organized by: Confagricoltura

Language: Italian

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Industrial Diversification and Transition to the Space Sector
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Advanced Manufacturing for Space: From Earth Qualification to In-Orbit Production

Organized by: BEX Scientific Technical Committee

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Beyond Tech Communication
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Innovation Communication Lab – From Technology to Market

Organized by: Confindustria - Technical Group for Internationalization

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Earth Observation for Natural Catastrophe Risk: from Data to Decisions

Organized by: IEG - Italian Exhibition Group, with content support from ClimateCharted

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Integrated Solutions for Advanced and Smart Mobility

Organized by: Politecnico di Milano - Drone and Advanced Air Mobility Observatory

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Networking Events
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Space cocktail

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Friday 25 September

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The Future of Satellite Market

Organized by: Emilia-Romagna Region

Language: English

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Emerging Professions
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Italy Aerospace Competences: Soft Skills and Complexity Management

Organized by: Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna and Tecnopolo Forlì-Cesena

Language: English

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Resources Exploitation and Sustainability
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Space for Energy or Energy for Space?

Organized by: ENEA - National Agency for New Technologies, Energy and Sustainable Economic Development

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Space Laws
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Space law: what actions for a viable scenario?

Organized by: CIRA - Italian Aerospace Research Center

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Space Voices: Where Creators, Community and Industry Meet

Organized by: BEX – Beyond Exploration Expo

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AI and resilience at the frontier of space operations

Organized by: CINECA, Bruno Kessler Foundation

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Space Physiology, Healthcare, Wellness, Pharmacy
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Biospace economy. New opportunities for Physiology, Healthcare, Wellness, Pharmacy - Session II

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