

ASTRONAUT KATE RUBINS ADVANCES DNA SEQUENCING IN SPACE



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00:00:07,990 --> 00:00:06,070

[Music]

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00:00:11,509 --> 00:00:08,000

kate while you do that i have a few

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00:00:15,030 --> 00:00:11,519

words for you so today marks four years

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00:00:17,430 --> 00:00:15,040

four months three weeks and five days

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00:00:20,310 --> 00:00:17,440

since one monumental jump of paradigm

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shifting space science occurred when you

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00:00:23,910 --> 00:00:22,640

for the first time sequence dna beyond

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the bounds of earth

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since that time six of your crew members

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00:00:29,029 --> 00:00:27,760

have advanced that work

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and demonstrated significant

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advancements in microbiology through

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00:00:34,630 --> 00:00:32,480

culture dependent and culture

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independent identification of microbes

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human diagnostics when native rna was

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00:00:40,389 --> 00:00:38,160

prepped and directly sequenced on

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station and in fundamental biology when

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sequencing was used to assess dna repair

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following cellular transformation and

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crispr based dna damage all on board and

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that came from the minds of a team of

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00:00:51,430 --> 00:00:50,239

high school students who won genes in

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space

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and today marks another significant

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achievement with the collection

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00:01:01,910 --> 00:00:59,199
preparation and sequencing of highly

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00:01:04,390 --> 00:01:01,920
complex and multiplex samples on behalf

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00:01:06,630 --> 00:01:04,400
of the biomolecule sequencer team

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00:01:08,390 --> 00:01:06,640
aka minanti myself

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00:01:10,070 --> 00:01:08,400
sarah stalramo aaron burton and

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00:01:11,830 --> 00:01:10,080
christian john and the whole space

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00:01:13,590 --> 00:01:11,840
flight science community we thank you

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00:01:15,429 --> 00:01:13,600
for continuing to push

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00:01:17,109 --> 00:01:15,439
space science through your work on board

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00:01:18,550 --> 00:01:17,119
and through all you do to socialize and

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00:01:20,630 --> 00:01:18,560
emphasize the importance of molecular

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00:01:22,870 --> 00:01:20,640
biology in space

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00:01:24,310 --> 00:01:22,880

thank you kate

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00:01:26,710 --> 00:01:24,320

oh my gosh you guys are gonna make me

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00:01:28,710 --> 00:01:26,720

cry this is so cool um i'm just

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00:01:30,230 --> 00:01:28,720

incredibly excited to see this and i've

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00:01:33,030 --> 00:01:30,240

been talking about multiplexing for

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years so this is amazing

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00:01:37,030 --> 00:01:34,560

that you guys have been able to do this

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00:01:38,230 --> 00:01:37,040

and and it's it's really really really

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00:01:39,990 --> 00:01:38,240

fun to

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00:01:41,590 --> 00:01:40,000

be at the pointy end of this sphere here

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and and to

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get a chance to do the sequencing in

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00:01:47,109 --> 00:01:45,200

space so i'm very excited about this and

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00:01:49,510 --> 00:01:47,119

i can't wait until we're sequencing

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00:01:51,510 --> 00:01:49,520

multiplexing 96 well plates swabbing

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everything on the space station