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00:00:16,310 --> 00:00:14,230
good afternoon and welcome to the

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00:00:19,349 --> 00:00:16,320
johnson space center for the expedition

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00:00:20,630 --> 00:00:19,359
48 49 crew news briefing before we get

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00:00:22,950 --> 00:00:20,640
started we did have one kind of

5
00:00:24,710 --> 00:00:22,960
technical note for you all we may be

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00:00:26,710 --> 00:00:24,720
experiencing some interference in the

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00:00:28,070 --> 00:00:26,720
television signal today

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00:00:29,990 --> 00:00:28,080
but we'll be recording the briefing and

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00:00:31,750 --> 00:00:30,000
we'll be replaying it on nasa tv

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00:00:34,709 --> 00:00:31,760
throughout the day so if you miss any of

11
00:00:36,389 --> 00:00:34,719
it you can tune back in a little later

12
00:00:38,310 --> 00:00:36,399
so now we're going to introduce the crew

13
00:00:41,110 --> 00:00:38,320

who's here with us today we have um the

14

00:00:43,830 --> 00:00:41,120

expedition 48 49 crew members and we're

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00:00:45,270 --> 00:00:43,840

going to start with nasa's kate rubins

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00:00:46,630 --> 00:00:45,280

this is her first mission to the

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00:00:48,630 --> 00:00:46,640

international space station her first

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00:00:50,709 --> 00:00:48,640

trip to space at all and so kate maybe

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00:00:52,229 --> 00:00:50,719

you can start a little bit by telling us

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00:00:53,670 --> 00:00:52,239

what you're looking forward to as a

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00:00:55,430 --> 00:00:53,680

science since you have such a scientific

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00:00:57,430 --> 00:00:55,440

background yeah we actually have an

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00:00:59,990 --> 00:00:57,440

amazing complement of science on

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00:01:01,990 --> 00:01:00,000

expedition 48 and 49 there's going to be

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00:01:03,270 --> 00:01:02,000

over 250 different science experiments

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00:01:04,469 --> 00:01:03,280

so it's a little difficult to choose

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00:01:05,910 --> 00:01:04,479

which one

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00:01:07,510 --> 00:01:05,920

there's definitely a lot of life science

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00:01:09,590 --> 00:01:07,520

experiments that i'm pretty excited

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00:01:11,350 --> 00:01:09,600

about there's going to be some dna

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00:01:13,830 --> 00:01:11,360

sequencing experiments a lot of

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00:01:17,990 --> 00:01:13,840

experiments to look at the behavior of

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00:01:19,590 --> 00:01:18,000

cells in space as well as bone loss and

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00:01:21,350 --> 00:01:19,600

muscle loss that we can actually

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00:01:22,950 --> 00:01:21,360

correlate with some diseases on earth so

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00:01:26,550 --> 00:01:22,960

i'm looking forward to a pretty hefty

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00:01:29,030 --> 00:01:26,560

research component on 4849

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00:01:31,510 --> 00:01:29,040

okay well next up we have anatoly

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00:01:33,510 --> 00:01:31,520

ivanishin who is the russian cosmonaut

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00:01:34,870 --> 00:01:33,520

on the crew and he is actually

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00:01:36,550 --> 00:01:34,880

the experienced member of the crew he's

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00:01:38,069 --> 00:01:36,560

been to the space station before so

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00:01:40,710 --> 00:01:38,079

anatoly maybe you can tell us a little

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00:01:42,550 --> 00:01:40,720

bit about what you've been able to give

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00:01:45,429 --> 00:01:42,560

your crewmates in terms of tips for

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00:01:47,270 --> 00:01:45,439

ready for for going to the space station

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00:01:49,109 --> 00:01:47,280

i think that my roommates are ready for

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00:01:51,910 --> 00:01:49,119

going to the space station

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00:01:54,950 --> 00:01:51,920

and the the better advice i can give to

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00:01:57,510 --> 00:01:54,960

them is to keep their eyes open

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00:01:59,510 --> 00:01:57,520
have fun and enjoy the time you

52
00:02:00,630 --> 00:01:59,520
spend in space because the time is going

53
00:02:03,429 --> 00:02:00,640
to pass

54
00:02:07,910 --> 00:02:05,429
okay

55
00:02:10,469 --> 00:02:07,920
and finally we have takuya onishi who is

56
00:02:12,869 --> 00:02:10,479
the japanese aerospace exploration

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00:02:16,070 --> 00:02:12,879
agency member here he'll be a flight

58
00:02:17,589 --> 00:02:16,080
engineer on 48 and 49 as well and takuyu

59
00:02:19,510 --> 00:02:17,599
maybe you can tell us a little bit about

60
00:02:20,630 --> 00:02:19,520
the the training you've been involved in

61
00:02:23,350 --> 00:02:20,640
so far

62
00:02:26,390 --> 00:02:23,360
yeah i'm the left seater of soyuz space

63
00:02:29,270 --> 00:02:26,400

vehicle so i spend almost half of my

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00:02:31,830 --> 00:02:29,280

time in russia and the other half time

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00:02:34,309 --> 00:02:31,840

half of my time in

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00:02:38,070 --> 00:02:34,319

here at houston so

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00:02:39,830 --> 00:02:38,080

i was i've been very busy for this these

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00:02:40,790 --> 00:02:39,840

two and a half years

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00:02:43,430 --> 00:02:40,800

since

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00:02:44,150 --> 00:02:43,440

my appointment assignment

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00:02:47,750 --> 00:02:44,160

and

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00:02:51,270 --> 00:02:47,760

the training for soyuz vehicle was

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00:02:53,910 --> 00:02:51,280

quite tough because i needed to study

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00:02:55,830 --> 00:02:53,920

like like a student college student i

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00:02:58,949 --> 00:02:55,840

stayed stayed up late

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00:03:01,750 --> 00:02:58,959

uh almost every day like up to

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00:03:04,949 --> 00:03:01,760

2 a.m studying solid assistance and

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00:03:07,990 --> 00:03:04,959

doing club going going to classes

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00:03:10,790 --> 00:03:08,000

on a daytime and come back and study

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00:03:14,550 --> 00:03:10,800

again so it was very challenging for me

81

00:03:15,670 --> 00:03:14,560

but i enjoyed the training itself

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00:03:16,869 --> 00:03:15,680

all right well with that kind of

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00:03:19,430 --> 00:03:16,879

schedule we really appreciate y'all

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00:03:20,630 --> 00:03:19,440

making time to talk with us today

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00:03:22,070 --> 00:03:20,640

we've got just a little bit of time

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00:03:23,430 --> 00:03:22,080

today and we've got a number of media

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00:03:25,830 --> 00:03:23,440

here on the room so we're going to start

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00:03:27,750 --> 00:03:25,840

by taking questions here but we also

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00:03:29,430 --> 00:03:27,760

have reporters on the phone on the phone

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00:03:31,589 --> 00:03:29,440

bridge you will be joining us for those

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00:03:34,309 --> 00:03:31,599

of you who are joining by phone you can

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00:03:35,589 --> 00:03:34,319

press star 1 to ask a question and if

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00:03:38,070 --> 00:03:35,599

your question is answered you can press

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00:03:39,589 --> 00:03:38,080

star 2 to withdraw it and then finally

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00:03:42,070 --> 00:03:39,599

if you are watching

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00:03:43,670 --> 00:03:42,080

and and participating remotely you are

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00:03:45,430 --> 00:03:43,680

welcome to ask questions via social

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00:03:47,030 --> 00:03:45,440

media you can use the

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00:03:49,190 --> 00:03:47,040

asknasa and we'll have someone in here

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00:03:51,030 --> 00:03:49,200

in the room to ask it on your behalf

101
00:03:52,390 --> 00:03:51,040
all right let's start though with our

102
00:03:53,990 --> 00:03:52,400
media questions if you can make your way

103
00:04:05,270 --> 00:03:54,000
to the microphone we'll get started on

104
00:04:09,350 --> 00:04:06,869
hi eric berger with arts technica a

105
00:04:11,350 --> 00:04:09,360
question for kate uh

106
00:04:13,990 --> 00:04:11,360
i remember you know five years ago you

107
00:04:15,830 --> 00:04:14,000
were following the crew of sts-135

108
00:04:20,229 --> 00:04:15,840
around and now

109
00:04:21,749 --> 00:04:20,239
you finally made it um maybe talk about

110
00:04:24,390 --> 00:04:21,759
a little bit about kind of the

111
00:04:25,749 --> 00:04:24,400
expectations um that you have for space

112
00:04:27,909 --> 00:04:25,759
and kind of

113
00:04:29,990 --> 00:04:27,919

you know how long you've been sort of

114

00:04:30,950 --> 00:04:30,000

training and waiting and to get to this

115

00:04:33,030 --> 00:04:30,960

point

116

00:04:34,390 --> 00:04:33,040

well i thought i made it when i was

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00:04:36,710 --> 00:04:34,400

finished ask can training i had to hang

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00:04:38,710 --> 00:04:36,720

out with the crew 135 that was pretty

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00:04:40,230 --> 00:04:38,720

that was pretty amazing um but we have

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00:04:42,469 --> 00:04:40,240

been training for quite some time so we

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00:04:45,030 --> 00:04:42,479

trained for two years after we're

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00:04:46,870 --> 00:04:45,040

initially accepted as as as astronaut

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00:04:48,870 --> 00:04:46,880

candidates at nasa and then we spent a

124

00:04:51,030 --> 00:04:48,880

few more years just understanding all

125

00:04:52,870 --> 00:04:51,040

the technical parts of the job once more

126
00:04:54,629 --> 00:04:52,880
mission assigned it's about a two to two

127
00:04:57,110 --> 00:04:54,639
and a half year flow so it has been

128
00:04:59,030 --> 00:04:57,120
quite some time it passes by really

129
00:05:02,230 --> 00:04:59,040
quickly i think space flight's going to

130
00:05:03,270 --> 00:05:02,240
pass by at a similar speed so i'm i'm

131
00:05:04,550 --> 00:05:03,280
looking forward to the mission there's a

132
00:05:05,749 --> 00:05:04,560
lot of things i'm looking forward to i

133
00:05:06,950 --> 00:05:05,759
think the science is going to be really

134
00:05:09,270 --> 00:05:06,960
exciting we're going to have some

135
00:05:11,430 --> 00:05:09,280
opportunities to have visiting vehicles

136
00:05:12,790 --> 00:05:11,440
a lot of our commercial

137
00:05:15,350 --> 00:05:12,800
partners are going to be sending

138
00:05:17,670 --> 00:05:15,360

different cargo vehicles up and

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00:05:19,350 --> 00:05:17,680

i think there's probably not too many

140

00:05:21,189 --> 00:05:19,360

things on a day in the life of space

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00:05:22,870 --> 00:05:21,199

station that aren't absolutely amazing

142

00:05:25,029 --> 00:05:22,880

because the fact that you are in free

143

00:05:26,550 --> 00:05:25,039

fall the entire time and the laws of

144

00:05:29,270 --> 00:05:26,560

physics have changed so i'm looking

145

00:05:30,950 --> 00:05:29,280

forward to seeing all that

146

00:05:32,070 --> 00:05:30,960

all right reminder to the media here in

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00:05:33,990 --> 00:05:32,080

the room that you can make your way up

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00:05:35,830 --> 00:05:34,000

to the microphone for more questions

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00:05:37,590 --> 00:05:35,840

while we're waiting um kate i know

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00:05:39,590 --> 00:05:37,600

you've been to a number of kind of

151
00:05:41,430 --> 00:05:39,600
extreme environments in the course of

152
00:05:42,710 --> 00:05:41,440
your career before nasa

153
00:05:44,790 --> 00:05:42,720
do you feel like those have prepared you

154
00:05:46,230 --> 00:05:44,800
for for space or is it going to be very

155
00:05:48,390 --> 00:05:46,240
different well i think each

156
00:05:51,110 --> 00:05:48,400
environment's pretty unique but it is

157
00:05:53,350 --> 00:05:51,120
right we do a lot of training during our

158
00:05:55,189 --> 00:05:53,360
assigned crew flow and also before we're

159
00:05:57,189 --> 00:05:55,199
assigned to survive in an extreme

160
00:05:59,430 --> 00:05:57,199
environment and so the kinds of things

161
00:06:01,110 --> 00:05:59,440
that you do to take care of yourself and

162
00:06:02,790 --> 00:06:01,120
take care of your crew mates is really

163
00:06:04,550 --> 00:06:02,800

important we got an opportunity to do

164

00:06:06,550 --> 00:06:04,560

water survival and winter survival

165

00:06:08,230 --> 00:06:06,560

together and you learn a lot about

166

00:06:10,150 --> 00:06:08,240

yourself and you learn how

167

00:06:12,150 --> 00:06:10,160

you can be part of a team and and work

168

00:06:14,150 --> 00:06:12,160

together in an expedition so that's

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00:06:15,430 --> 00:06:14,160

actually sometimes one of the really fun

170

00:06:16,710 --> 00:06:15,440

parts of training

171

00:06:19,110 --> 00:06:16,720

and i think it's going to be incredibly

172

00:06:23,029 --> 00:06:19,120

fun for us as a crew on orbit as well

173

00:06:28,950 --> 00:06:25,749

hi robert perlman with collectspace.com

174

00:06:31,590 --> 00:06:28,960

um you'll be launching on a new class of

175

00:06:33,670 --> 00:06:31,600

soyuz the ms can you talk a little bit

176

00:06:35,670 --> 00:06:33,680

about what that's done to your training

177

00:06:37,870 --> 00:06:35,680

load um and

178

00:06:41,110 --> 00:06:37,880

you were originally assigned to the

179

00:06:42,950 --> 00:06:41,120

tma20m so what was the differences in

180

00:06:45,189 --> 00:06:42,960

stepping up from the older soyuz to the

181

00:06:48,469 --> 00:06:45,199

newer one

182

00:06:50,790 --> 00:06:48,479

yes why news i use ms

183

00:06:54,710 --> 00:06:50,800

and you know that the history of

184

00:06:56,870 --> 00:06:54,720

say youth space craft has i think

185

00:06:59,510 --> 00:06:56,880

almost 50 years

186

00:07:03,350 --> 00:06:59,520

it's made in flight sioux spacecraft

187

00:07:05,589 --> 00:07:03,360

performed in 1696

188

00:07:09,350 --> 00:07:05,599

that was unmanned flight

189

00:07:12,870 --> 00:07:09,360

and since that since then we have four g

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00:07:15,029 --> 00:07:12,880

four generations of ceo spacecrafts

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00:07:18,230 --> 00:07:15,039

uh actually we are flying

192

00:07:19,029 --> 00:07:18,240

the default generation

193

00:07:22,070 --> 00:07:19,039

and

194

00:07:25,430 --> 00:07:22,080

yes we were to fly uh the the last

195

00:07:26,230 --> 00:07:25,440

vehicle in the previous series

196

00:07:30,309 --> 00:07:26,240

but

197

00:07:33,189 --> 00:07:30,319

due to some changes uh actually

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00:07:36,710 --> 00:07:33,199

alexis and alex kirkpatrick and jeff

199

00:07:37,430 --> 00:07:36,720

williams to fly our vehicle and we kind

200

00:07:40,550 --> 00:07:37,440

of

201
00:07:44,869 --> 00:07:42,710
you know that we have

202
00:07:47,589 --> 00:07:44,879
mend and cargo ships are used in

203
00:07:50,390 --> 00:07:47,599
progress which share the general design

204
00:07:51,909 --> 00:07:50,400
idea general architecture and most of

205
00:07:54,230 --> 00:07:51,919
the equipment

206
00:07:57,589 --> 00:07:54,240
and there is a rule that all the

207
00:08:00,309 --> 00:07:57,599
equipment before it is flown onsite use

208
00:08:03,830 --> 00:08:00,319
should be tested on progress first

209
00:08:05,990 --> 00:08:03,840
as well we need to have two successful

210
00:08:07,029 --> 00:08:06,000
progress flights in the new series

211
00:08:09,510 --> 00:08:07,039
before

212
00:08:13,189 --> 00:08:09,520
we have a goal for new satisfied

213
00:08:16,309 --> 00:08:13,199

so we have a progress ms-01

214

00:08:17,909 --> 00:08:16,319

in space it was locked successfully

215

00:08:22,710 --> 00:08:17,919

and we expect

216

00:08:24,550 --> 00:08:22,720

the second progress ms ms02

217

00:08:27,909 --> 00:08:24,560

to start

218

00:08:31,029 --> 00:08:27,919

on the 31st of this month

219

00:08:33,430 --> 00:08:31,039

and with its successful launch our road

220

00:08:34,630 --> 00:08:33,440

to spacewise

221

00:08:35,909 --> 00:08:34,640

will be

222

00:08:38,870 --> 00:08:35,919

open

223

00:08:40,709 --> 00:08:38,880

so what are the differences

224

00:08:42,709 --> 00:08:40,719

the new vehicles

225

00:08:44,389 --> 00:08:42,719

new vehicle uh

226

00:08:47,110 --> 00:08:44,399

exposes

227

00:08:50,389 --> 00:08:47,120

uh there have been some changes

228

00:08:53,670 --> 00:08:50,399

we have new engine arrangement

229

00:08:56,630 --> 00:08:53,680

now we have two many folds of attitude

230

00:09:00,230 --> 00:08:56,640

control engines and should

231

00:09:03,509 --> 00:09:00,240

have failure in one of the manifolds

232

00:09:06,310 --> 00:09:03,519

we have a backup so

233

00:09:09,030 --> 00:09:06,320

we have good redundancy we can

234

00:09:10,949 --> 00:09:09,040

perform any operations on the second

235

00:09:14,389 --> 00:09:10,959

manifold

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00:09:16,389 --> 00:09:14,399

we have new system which allows the

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00:09:19,030 --> 00:09:16,399

vehicle to

238

00:09:21,430 --> 00:09:19,040

be commanded from the ground

239

00:09:23,829 --> 00:09:21,440
to send telemetry

240

00:09:26,310 --> 00:09:23,839
to have voice exchange

241

00:09:29,269 --> 00:09:26,320
and even to transfer files

242

00:09:30,870 --> 00:09:29,279
using satellite constellation which

243

00:09:32,870 --> 00:09:30,880
flight launchpad

244

00:09:33,829 --> 00:09:32,880
which kind of cheaters

245

00:09:36,870 --> 00:09:33,839
and

246

00:09:39,190 --> 00:09:36,880
i think that 70 percent of the orbit

247

00:09:41,269 --> 00:09:39,200
the vehicle

248

00:09:45,030 --> 00:09:41,279
will have the ability to talk with the

249

00:09:47,590 --> 00:09:45,040
ground to be controlled by the ground

250

00:09:49,990 --> 00:09:47,600
we have new radar

251
00:09:51,829 --> 00:09:50,000
uh it has become

252
00:09:54,150 --> 00:09:51,839
more reliable

253
00:09:56,550 --> 00:09:54,160
less weight

254
00:10:00,070 --> 00:09:56,560
and as a result

255
00:10:02,069 --> 00:10:00,080
we have changes in the

256
00:10:03,590 --> 00:10:02,079
render profile

257
00:10:05,269 --> 00:10:03,600
now we will

258
00:10:07,910 --> 00:10:05,279
turn it on

259
00:10:10,710 --> 00:10:07,920
later on

260
00:10:12,230 --> 00:10:10,720
less distance than we used to

261
00:10:15,670 --> 00:10:12,240
because we kind of have enough

262
00:10:19,030 --> 00:10:15,680
statistics we can rely on the

263
00:10:19,910 --> 00:10:19,040

flying without the radar for for some

264

00:10:23,030 --> 00:10:19,920
time

265

00:10:26,150 --> 00:10:23,040
and this reader allows to allow to

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00:10:28,150 --> 00:10:26,160
reduce the number of antennas

267

00:10:30,630 --> 00:10:28,160
now we have just one half we used to

268

00:10:34,790 --> 00:10:32,550
uh what else

269

00:10:37,269 --> 00:10:34,800
we have new

270

00:10:40,550 --> 00:10:37,279
backup

271

00:10:44,829 --> 00:10:40,560
manual control system

272

00:10:44,839 --> 00:10:54,470
and what do they miss

273

00:10:58,790 --> 00:10:56,550
from my point of view

274

00:11:01,509 --> 00:10:58,800
i'm hearing that

275

00:11:03,190 --> 00:11:01,519
differences between the old vehicle and

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00:11:04,949 --> 00:11:03,200

the new vehicle

277

00:11:08,870 --> 00:11:04,959

those are not so

278

00:11:11,269 --> 00:11:08,880

big and not so many from a cruise bus

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00:11:13,990 --> 00:11:11,279

perspective so

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00:11:16,389 --> 00:11:14,000

i think we have enough time to get ready

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00:11:19,990 --> 00:11:16,399

for that new vehicle

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00:11:21,710 --> 00:11:20,000

until the to the launch and

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00:11:24,310 --> 00:11:21,720

since

284

00:11:27,190 --> 00:11:24,320

2014 we've been

285

00:11:30,790 --> 00:11:27,200

going through many simulations as a crew

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00:11:34,630 --> 00:11:30,800

so we already know that how to work as a

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00:11:36,710 --> 00:11:34,640

team and we know each other very well so

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00:11:39,269 --> 00:11:36,720

it's a just difference

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00:11:42,790 --> 00:11:39,279

in procedures from my point of view so

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00:11:44,069 --> 00:11:42,800

i'm not worried about anything

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00:11:45,910 --> 00:11:44,079

all right well i think we've got another

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00:11:48,389 --> 00:11:45,920

question here in the room now

293

00:11:51,030 --> 00:11:48,399

um my name is marco tomitsui from the

294

00:11:54,150 --> 00:11:51,040

japanese newspaper the um

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00:11:55,910 --> 00:11:54,160

and my question goes to miss kate

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00:11:58,230 --> 00:11:55,920

robins and

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00:12:00,710 --> 00:11:58,240

question is about what kind of message

298

00:12:03,829 --> 00:12:00,720

do you have for young women who are

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00:12:06,550 --> 00:12:03,839

considering who are in the stem field

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00:12:09,190 --> 00:12:06,560

and another question is what are some of

301
00:12:12,710 --> 00:12:09,200
challenges women must face to be

302
00:12:14,870 --> 00:12:12,720
successful in stem field

303
00:12:15,829 --> 00:12:14,880
that's a great question and we do a lot

304
00:12:20,629 --> 00:12:15,839
to

305
00:12:22,710 --> 00:12:20,639
interested in science and engineering

306
00:12:24,550 --> 00:12:22,720
fields and my advice was if you're

307
00:12:26,230 --> 00:12:24,560
thinking about it that's great

308
00:12:29,110 --> 00:12:26,240
go with that you know

309
00:12:30,710 --> 00:12:29,120
pursue that and if that's your passion

310
00:12:32,069 --> 00:12:30,720
i think there's a lot of opportunities

311
00:12:33,430 --> 00:12:32,079
there's certainly a lot of opportunities

312
00:12:36,710 --> 00:12:33,440
at nasa there's opportunities in

313
00:12:38,629 --> 00:12:36,720

engineering and science and if you find

314

00:12:40,870 --> 00:12:38,639

something that you're excited about and

315

00:12:42,790 --> 00:12:40,880

you're interested in uh you know my my

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00:12:44,389 --> 00:12:42,800

advice to to young women and young men

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00:12:45,910 --> 00:12:44,399

would be do what you're really

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00:12:48,150 --> 00:12:45,920

interested in and what really drives and

319

00:12:49,910 --> 00:12:48,160

motivates you um and in terms of

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00:12:52,790 --> 00:12:49,920

barriers uh you know i think there are

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00:12:54,870 --> 00:12:52,800

barriers sometimes there are

322

00:12:56,790 --> 00:12:54,880

lower numbers of of women that are in

323

00:12:59,030 --> 00:12:56,800

the senior faculty range

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00:13:01,269 --> 00:12:59,040

so finding finding folks that can mentor

325

00:13:02,870 --> 00:13:01,279

you is extremely important but i think

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00:13:04,949 --> 00:13:02,880

that we've got increasingly more and

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00:13:06,949 --> 00:13:04,959

more opportunities and we are seeing a

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00:13:09,190 --> 00:13:06,959

lot of young people that are really

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00:13:10,790 --> 00:13:09,200

captivated by science and are interested

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00:13:12,710 --> 00:13:10,800

in space science and the kind of

331

00:13:13,990 --> 00:13:12,720

engineering that we do at nasa so that's

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00:13:15,590 --> 00:13:14,000

one of the great part of our jobs is

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00:13:16,629 --> 00:13:15,600

that we get to see this and meet some of

334

00:13:19,269 --> 00:13:16,639

these young folks that are really

335

00:13:21,269 --> 00:13:19,279

excited about science and space

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00:13:22,550 --> 00:13:21,279

okay thanks

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00:13:23,910 --> 00:13:22,560

uh just a reminder if you're on the

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00:13:26,069 --> 00:13:23,920

phone and you have a question please

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00:13:27,350 --> 00:13:26,079

press star one to let us know and if

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00:13:29,910 --> 00:13:27,360

your question is answered you can press

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00:13:31,190 --> 00:13:29,920

star two to withdraw it uh and another

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00:13:32,870 --> 00:13:31,200

reminder also that we're taking

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00:13:35,110 --> 00:13:32,880

questions via social media so you can

344

00:13:36,710 --> 00:13:35,120

use the hashtag ask nasa to get your

345

00:13:38,629 --> 00:13:36,720

question in and we'll voice it here in

346

00:13:40,710 --> 00:13:38,639

the room for you

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00:13:42,069 --> 00:13:40,720

we can still have

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00:13:43,829 --> 00:13:42,079

questions from here in the room if

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00:13:46,550 --> 00:13:43,839

anybody is

350

00:13:47,829 --> 00:13:46,560

has one ready but in the meantime takuya

351
00:13:51,110 --> 00:13:47,839
maybe you can tell us a little bit about

352
00:13:52,230 --> 00:13:51,120
your um experience with nemo

353
00:13:54,790 --> 00:13:52,240
so

354
00:13:57,590 --> 00:13:54,800
i was a part of a nemo mission

355
00:13:59,030 --> 00:13:57,600
for those who don't know about nemo

356
00:14:00,870 --> 00:13:59,040
mission that's

357
00:14:03,750 --> 00:14:00,880
one of the nasa

358
00:14:05,030 --> 00:14:03,760
analog mission for space flight and

359
00:14:06,949 --> 00:14:05,040
we've done it

360
00:14:10,550 --> 00:14:06,959
underwater and

361
00:14:12,470 --> 00:14:10,560
we were supposed to spend two weeks

362
00:14:13,189 --> 00:14:12,480
in research lab

363
00:14:14,310 --> 00:14:13,199

of

364

00:14:15,269 --> 00:14:14,320

underwater

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00:14:18,310 --> 00:14:15,279

like

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00:14:20,790 --> 00:14:18,320

offshore the florida but unfortunately

367

00:14:22,629 --> 00:14:20,800

my our mission was shortened by a week

368

00:14:23,990 --> 00:14:22,639

because of uh

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00:14:25,990 --> 00:14:24,000

becoming a

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00:14:29,509 --> 00:14:26,000

typhoon

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00:14:31,509 --> 00:14:29,519

we had a great time then

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00:14:34,949 --> 00:14:31,519

i was told by

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00:14:36,069 --> 00:14:34,959

an ajax astronaut koichi wakata and he

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00:14:38,550 --> 00:14:36,079

told me that

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00:14:40,949 --> 00:14:38,560

nemo mission is one with the best

376
00:14:45,350 --> 00:14:40,959
analogy

377
00:14:47,990 --> 00:14:45,360
for space flight and i totally agree now

378
00:14:48,949 --> 00:14:48,000
and i thought it was

379
00:14:51,750 --> 00:14:48,959
so

380
00:14:55,910 --> 00:14:51,760
great experience for me to be a part of

381
00:14:59,269 --> 00:14:55,920
that mission the timeline each day was

382
00:15:03,509 --> 00:14:59,279
full we was very busy doing

383
00:15:05,509 --> 00:15:03,519
evas and preparing for next eva having

384
00:15:07,590 --> 00:15:05,519
conference with the grand team

385
00:15:09,670 --> 00:15:07,600
communicating with the

386
00:15:12,470 --> 00:15:09,680
ground team so

387
00:15:15,750 --> 00:15:12,480
all aspects of that mission was i

388
00:15:16,949 --> 00:15:15,760

thought very similar to space mission

389

00:15:18,870 --> 00:15:16,959

do you feel like that helped you get

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00:15:21,350 --> 00:15:18,880

ready for for the experience coming up

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00:15:23,110 --> 00:15:21,360

yeah definitely yeah great

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00:15:24,470 --> 00:15:23,120

all right well next up i think we have

393

00:15:26,230 --> 00:15:24,480

some guests here in the room with us

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00:15:27,590 --> 00:15:26,240

from rice university some young women

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00:15:29,030 --> 00:15:27,600

who are going into stem fields

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00:15:31,110 --> 00:15:29,040

themselves and i think they had a few

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00:15:33,670 --> 00:15:31,120

questions for us go ahead

398

00:15:35,189 --> 00:15:33,680

hello ray holcomb from rice university a

399

00:15:37,030 --> 00:15:35,199

question for dr rubin you've had

400

00:15:38,629 --> 00:15:37,040

extensive experience

401
00:15:40,069 --> 00:15:38,639
with laboratory research during your

402
00:15:42,069 --> 00:15:40,079
career can you tell us about the

403
00:15:45,350 --> 00:15:42,079
scientific process and how it differs

404
00:15:49,590 --> 00:15:47,110
yeah that's a great question

405
00:15:50,790 --> 00:15:49,600
the iss is a laboratory on board one of

406
00:15:52,230 --> 00:15:50,800
the things that that differs a little

407
00:15:54,470 --> 00:15:52,240
bit is that the laboratories on earth

408
00:15:56,550 --> 00:15:54,480
are extremely specialized so you spend

409
00:15:58,629 --> 00:15:56,560
your whole career or many years doing

410
00:16:00,949 --> 00:15:58,639
one particular experiment whereas on

411
00:16:02,790 --> 00:16:00,959
board the space station we have

412
00:16:03,910 --> 00:16:02,800
hundreds of investigators from all over

413
00:16:05,910 --> 00:16:03,920

the globe that are sending their

414

00:16:07,430 --> 00:16:05,920

experiments up so you start to be a

415

00:16:08,389 --> 00:16:07,440

little bit more of a generalist than a

416

00:16:09,749 --> 00:16:08,399

specialist

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00:16:12,230 --> 00:16:09,759

but we've had some training i just had

418

00:16:13,990 --> 00:16:12,240

training this week for example that's

419

00:16:16,710 --> 00:16:14,000

looking at how we're going to grow

420

00:16:18,550 --> 00:16:16,720

different kinds of cells on board

421

00:16:19,990 --> 00:16:18,560

and how we're going to be taking a look

422

00:16:21,990 --> 00:16:20,000

at the different kinds of cells that

423

00:16:24,389 --> 00:16:22,000

form your your bone mass and that's

424

00:16:26,150 --> 00:16:24,399

pretty similar to uh what i spent about

425

00:16:27,990 --> 00:16:26,160

a decade doing in the laboratory back on

426

00:16:29,110 --> 00:16:28,000

earth so i felt right at home i think

427

00:16:31,350 --> 00:16:29,120

the interesting thing is going to be

428

00:16:32,710 --> 00:16:31,360

when everything starts to float up and

429

00:16:34,230 --> 00:16:32,720

you need to figure out how to how to

430

00:16:37,189 --> 00:16:34,240

tape it down and how to get your bench

431

00:16:40,470 --> 00:16:37,199

work done with with the lack of of a

432

00:16:40,480 --> 00:16:43,269

go ahead

433

00:16:47,749 --> 00:16:45,829

i'm jim oberger with spectrum magazine

434

00:16:49,269 --> 00:16:47,759

your question your comment raised a

435

00:16:51,030 --> 00:16:49,279

question about the water survival

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00:16:53,749 --> 00:16:51,040

training because it's been it's been

437

00:16:55,269 --> 00:16:53,759

winter in russia for a few months uh

438

00:16:58,550 --> 00:16:55,279

where when and where did you do your

439

00:17:03,189 --> 00:17:00,949

where did we do yeah where and where it

440

00:17:05,990 --> 00:17:03,199

was some some place

441

00:17:06,710 --> 00:17:06,000

not from moscow not far from moscow okay

442

00:17:08,789 --> 00:17:06,720

so

443

00:17:10,630 --> 00:17:08,799

you broke the ice or

444

00:17:13,350 --> 00:17:10,640

what was it in the wintertime

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00:17:16,309 --> 00:17:13,360

no actually we have two kind of survival

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00:17:17,829 --> 00:17:16,319

training which are mandatory for uh sayu

447

00:17:20,069 --> 00:17:17,839

space flights

448

00:17:22,309 --> 00:17:20,079

this water survival which is always done

449

00:17:23,829 --> 00:17:22,319

during the summer and

450

00:17:26,150 --> 00:17:23,839

winter

451
00:17:28,549 --> 00:17:26,160
forest viral that's good thank you very

452
00:17:30,950 --> 00:17:29,669
all right

453
00:17:32,950 --> 00:17:30,960
if you have another question you come on

454
00:17:34,549 --> 00:17:32,960
to the microphone but in the meantime

455
00:17:35,909 --> 00:17:34,559
anatomy maybe you can tell us a little

456
00:17:38,549 --> 00:17:35,919
bit about what you're looking forward to

457
00:17:41,270 --> 00:17:38,559
getting back to at the space station

458
00:17:42,150 --> 00:17:41,280
uh i'm looking forward to

459
00:17:45,110 --> 00:17:42,160
well

460
00:17:48,070 --> 00:17:45,120
entering again the space station i left

461
00:17:48,080 --> 00:17:52,950
in 2012

462
00:17:56,310 --> 00:17:54,549
it was just it looks like it was

463
00:17:59,350 --> 00:17:56,320

yesterday

464

00:18:02,150 --> 00:17:59,360

so i'm going to be a part of the crew

465

00:18:03,750 --> 00:18:02,160

and perform scientific research maintain

466

00:18:06,390 --> 00:18:03,760

the station

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00:18:08,310 --> 00:18:06,400

and i'm pretty much sure that the time

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00:18:10,710 --> 00:18:08,320

will fly

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00:18:12,950 --> 00:18:10,720

and we'll do something really

470

00:18:18,310 --> 00:18:12,960

interesting and

471

00:18:18,320 --> 00:18:22,630

promote our science

472

00:18:26,470 --> 00:18:24,870

sounds like a good plan

473

00:18:28,070 --> 00:18:26,480

all right any other questions here in

474

00:18:30,150 --> 00:18:28,080

the room

475

00:18:33,990 --> 00:18:30,160

maybe we can take some from ask madison

476

00:18:37,590 --> 00:18:35,990

so this question comes to us from

477

00:18:39,430 --> 00:18:37,600

charles on twitter and it can be for

478

00:18:41,669 --> 00:18:39,440

anyone how do you

479

00:18:44,470 --> 00:18:41,679

plan to engage people on earth while in

480

00:18:49,029 --> 00:18:46,150

how do you plan to engage people on

481

00:18:51,750 --> 00:18:50,070

i wish

482

00:18:54,870 --> 00:18:51,760

the project of international space

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00:18:56,870 --> 00:18:54,880

station could be a good example for

484

00:18:59,510 --> 00:18:56,880

people on earth

485

00:19:02,549 --> 00:18:59,520

how successfully can be different

486

00:19:04,950 --> 00:19:02,559

nations when they combine their efforts

487

00:19:05,830 --> 00:19:04,960

in order to achieve a common significant

488

00:19:07,510 --> 00:19:05,840

goal

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00:19:10,150 --> 00:19:07,520

and we have

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00:19:12,950 --> 00:19:10,160

some examples in this way starting from

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00:19:14,870 --> 00:19:12,960

a serious apollo mission through

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00:19:16,710 --> 00:19:14,880

shuttle mir program and here

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00:19:19,029 --> 00:19:16,720

international space station

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00:19:19,990 --> 00:19:19,039

which has been in us with us for quite a

495

00:19:23,029 --> 00:19:20,000

time

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00:19:25,510 --> 00:19:23,039

and i'm pretty much sure

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00:19:28,150 --> 00:19:25,520

the project will go on at least until

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00:19:30,549 --> 00:19:28,160

2024

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00:19:32,870 --> 00:19:30,559

and i consider this project as a solid

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00:19:33,909 --> 00:19:32,880

foundation for our future and the worst

501
00:19:40,230 --> 00:19:33,919
in

502
00:19:41,750 --> 00:19:40,240
um

503
00:19:43,510 --> 00:19:41,760
this can also be for anyone in the crew

504
00:19:45,830 --> 00:19:43,520
that wants to answer it comes to us from

505
00:19:48,150 --> 00:19:45,840
bob o'dare jr on facebook are there any

506
00:19:49,669 --> 00:19:48,160
spacewalks planned for this mission and

507
00:19:50,549 --> 00:19:49,679
what tasks will you be completing on

508
00:19:52,390 --> 00:19:50,559
them

509
00:19:54,470 --> 00:19:52,400
great question

510
00:19:56,710 --> 00:19:54,480
that's a good question so um

511
00:19:58,870 --> 00:19:56,720
the the schedule as it is baselined

512
00:20:00,950 --> 00:19:58,880
right now does have a few space walks

513
00:20:01,830 --> 00:20:00,960

for this mission some of the things that

514

00:20:07,190 --> 00:20:01,840

are

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00:20:09,029 --> 00:20:07,200

the international docking adapter

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00:20:10,870 --> 00:20:09,039

and that's going to allow us to dock for

517

00:20:12,630 --> 00:20:10,880

future commercial crew vehicles to the

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00:20:14,789 --> 00:20:12,640

space station so that's going to be

519

00:20:16,230 --> 00:20:14,799

really exciting to be able to uh to bolt

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00:20:18,149 --> 00:20:16,240

that onto space station we hope to

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00:20:20,149 --> 00:20:18,159

accomplish that during our mission we're

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00:20:22,549 --> 00:20:20,159

also getting another set of batteries

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00:20:24,149 --> 00:20:22,559

that's going to be installed uh out on

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00:20:25,270 --> 00:20:24,159

the truss segment of the space station

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00:20:27,669 --> 00:20:25,280

and so

526
00:20:29,750 --> 00:20:27,679
power power is everything in space it's

527
00:20:31,430 --> 00:20:29,760
solar-powered which is

528
00:20:32,950 --> 00:20:31,440
it's really neat that we have a vehicle

529
00:20:34,630 --> 00:20:32,960
that's entirely

530
00:20:36,230 --> 00:20:34,640
powered off of solar power and it's a

531
00:20:37,669 --> 00:20:36,240
huge vehicle

532
00:20:39,270 --> 00:20:37,679
and so we're going to get the

533
00:20:43,350 --> 00:20:39,280
opportunity hopefully to change out

534
00:20:46,390 --> 00:20:44,950
okay keep coming to the microphone as

535
00:20:47,830 --> 00:20:46,400
you have questions

536
00:20:49,110 --> 00:20:47,840
but kate maybe you can tell us a little

537
00:20:50,950 --> 00:20:49,120
bit about the training that's that's

538
00:20:53,990 --> 00:20:50,960

gone into the spacewalks

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00:20:56,789 --> 00:20:54,000

yeah sure so uh uh takuya and i train uh

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00:20:58,950 --> 00:20:56,799

in the nbl um also with the crew on

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00:21:01,909 --> 00:20:58,960

either side of us and we get a lot of

542

00:21:03,270 --> 00:21:01,919

training when we're in our initial flow

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00:21:05,909 --> 00:21:03,280

after that it starts to get more

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00:21:07,590 --> 00:21:05,919

specific once we get mission assigned so

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00:21:09,350 --> 00:21:07,600

we're trained for

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00:21:11,669 --> 00:21:09,360

potential contingencies on board space

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00:21:13,750 --> 00:21:11,679

station as well as any of these nominal

548

00:21:16,470 --> 00:21:13,760

tasks that might come up it's about a

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00:21:18,149 --> 00:21:16,480

six six hour we call it a run but you're

550

00:21:19,510 --> 00:21:18,159

not running it's a six hour run

551
00:21:20,630 --> 00:21:19,520
underwater

552
00:21:23,190 --> 00:21:20,640
you're definitely not running because

553
00:21:25,430 --> 00:21:23,200
you have a 300 pound spacesuit on but we

554
00:21:27,909 --> 00:21:25,440
are able to be neutrally buoyant and

555
00:21:30,470 --> 00:21:27,919
that's how we can simulate as best we

556
00:21:32,390 --> 00:21:30,480
can microgravity here on earth and do

557
00:21:34,230 --> 00:21:32,400
all the training for spacewalks

558
00:21:35,750 --> 00:21:34,240
in six hours

559
00:21:38,230 --> 00:21:35,760
sounds like a long time to go without a

560
00:21:40,870 --> 00:21:38,240
break is that at all taxing it's about

561
00:21:43,029 --> 00:21:40,880
two marathons worth and when i'm on

562
00:21:45,510 --> 00:21:43,039
earth i i run one marathon and call that

563
00:21:46,710 --> 00:21:45,520

good so yeah it's a challenge but i

564

00:21:49,510 --> 00:21:46,720

guess it gets you ready for the real

565

00:21:51,990 --> 00:21:49,520

thing and it does yep okay all right

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00:21:53,430 --> 00:21:52,000

eric hi eric berger again uh kate with

567

00:21:54,870 --> 00:21:53,440

your background in infectious diseases

568

00:21:55,750 --> 00:21:54,880

maybe you could talk i don't i'm not

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00:21:57,110 --> 00:21:55,760

gonna ask you to pick a favorite

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00:21:59,669 --> 00:21:57,120

experiment but maybe talk a little bit

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00:22:01,830 --> 00:21:59,679

about some of the work you're doing and

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00:22:03,510 --> 00:22:01,840

and how that advances the study of you

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00:22:05,430 --> 00:22:03,520

know biological science back here on

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00:22:06,789 --> 00:22:05,440

earth

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00:22:08,149 --> 00:22:06,799

yeah that's a great question i can't

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00:22:10,870 --> 00:22:08,159

pick a favorite experiment there's too

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00:22:13,350 --> 00:22:10,880

many of them um but i did mention we've

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00:22:16,149 --> 00:22:13,360

got a cell culture experiment that's

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00:22:18,070 --> 00:22:16,159

looking at bone cells and so everybody

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00:22:19,669 --> 00:22:18,080

thinks of bone as this

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00:22:21,110 --> 00:22:19,679

your bones are just there and and

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00:22:23,029 --> 00:22:21,120

they're kind of this solid material but

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00:22:25,110 --> 00:22:23,039

they're actually a living tissue so

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00:22:27,190 --> 00:22:25,120

we're constantly breaking our bone down

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00:22:29,430 --> 00:22:27,200

and we're adding to it

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00:22:31,750 --> 00:22:29,440

and when you lose that stimulus of

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00:22:33,990 --> 00:22:31,760

gravity we are going to break down more

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00:22:36,549 --> 00:22:34,000

bone than we're going to add so that's

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00:22:39,350 --> 00:22:36,559

why you hear about potential bone loss

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00:22:41,270 --> 00:22:39,360

on orbit this is really interesting for

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00:22:43,029 --> 00:22:41,280

earth-based diseases as well we've got

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00:22:45,510 --> 00:22:43,039

things like osteoporosis where you've

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00:22:47,430 --> 00:22:45,520

got this accumulation of bone loss and

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00:22:50,149 --> 00:22:47,440

so the experiment on space station is

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00:22:52,549 --> 00:22:50,159

designed to specifically look at cells

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00:22:55,110 --> 00:22:52,559

that build up bone and how they behave

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00:22:57,029 --> 00:22:55,120

in microgravity and how the the

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00:22:59,110 --> 00:22:57,039

the differences due to lack of gravity

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00:23:00,230 --> 00:22:59,120

stimulus might alter their function so

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00:23:03,430 --> 00:23:00,240

we think we might be able to learn

601
00:23:04,870 --> 00:23:03,440
something about earth diseases as well

602
00:23:06,950 --> 00:23:04,880
you talked a little bit already about

603
00:23:08,710 --> 00:23:06,960
how it'll it'll be a little different

604
00:23:10,390 --> 00:23:08,720
doing scientific work in this in

605
00:23:11,909 --> 00:23:10,400
microgravity than on earth but maybe you

606
00:23:13,190 --> 00:23:11,919
can talk a little bit more about that

607
00:23:15,029 --> 00:23:13,200
and

608
00:23:16,870 --> 00:23:15,039
guess what the attraction of the space

609
00:23:18,789 --> 00:23:16,880
station as a laboratory is to somebody

610
00:23:20,310 --> 00:23:18,799
with your scientific background

611
00:23:22,310 --> 00:23:20,320
yeah it's a really neat laboratory

612
00:23:24,950 --> 00:23:22,320
because it's the only place that we can

613
00:23:27,830 --> 00:23:24,960

actually study gravity as a variable so

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00:23:29,669 --> 00:23:27,840

scientists across all disciplines

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00:23:31,990 --> 00:23:29,679

throughout the hundreds of years that

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00:23:33,430 --> 00:23:32,000

we've been doing science have always had

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00:23:35,590 --> 00:23:33,440

gravity as a constant in their

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00:23:37,270 --> 00:23:35,600

experiments and this is really the one

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00:23:38,470 --> 00:23:37,280

lab where we can actually use it as a

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00:23:39,909 --> 00:23:38,480

variable

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00:23:41,830 --> 00:23:39,919

we can even

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00:23:44,230 --> 00:23:41,840

alter the amount of gravity so we could

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00:23:46,710 --> 00:23:44,240

put lunar gravity or martian gravity we

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00:23:49,110 --> 00:23:46,720

can centrifuge things and so it's really

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00:23:50,630 --> 00:23:49,120

a way to investigate what happens to

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00:23:52,549 --> 00:23:50,640

physiological

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00:23:54,149 --> 00:23:52,559

beings to their to their individual

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00:23:55,830 --> 00:23:54,159

cells and their tissues when you don't

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00:23:58,310 --> 00:23:55,840

have gravity and it's a lot of basic

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00:24:00,630 --> 00:23:58,320

research but we can understand things

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00:24:03,269 --> 00:24:00,640

about physiological processes because

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00:24:04,950 --> 00:24:03,279

we're using the space station and and

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00:24:06,710 --> 00:24:04,960

microgravity there

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00:24:08,870 --> 00:24:06,720

that we could we can discover processes

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00:24:10,870 --> 00:24:08,880

we've never been able to before on earth

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00:24:12,310 --> 00:24:10,880

uh and that we just can't test on the

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00:24:14,470 --> 00:24:12,320

ground sure

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00:24:16,230 --> 00:24:14,480

and i guess takuya i think you have a

639

00:24:17,909 --> 00:24:16,240

bit more of an engineering background

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00:24:19,990 --> 00:24:17,919

maybe can you talk a little bit about

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00:24:21,750 --> 00:24:20,000

how you gear up for all the science that

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00:24:22,870 --> 00:24:21,760

you'll be doing as well

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00:24:26,310 --> 00:24:22,880

so

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00:24:29,029 --> 00:24:26,320

i studied a material science in my

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00:24:31,590 --> 00:24:29,039

university so i'm especially

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00:24:33,190 --> 00:24:31,600

interested in the materials science

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00:24:34,630 --> 00:24:33,200

experiments and

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00:24:37,110 --> 00:24:34,640

those are

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00:24:39,750 --> 00:24:37,120

being conducted in space station

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00:24:41,750 --> 00:24:39,760

especially jax has

651
00:24:44,870 --> 00:24:41,760
just deployed a new

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00:24:48,789 --> 00:24:44,880
piece of hardware for experiment it is

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00:24:51,830 --> 00:24:48,799
called elf that's elf stands for

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00:24:53,990 --> 00:24:51,840
electrostatic levitation furnace and

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00:24:55,029 --> 00:24:54,000
what it does is uh

656
00:24:58,310 --> 00:24:55,039
it can

657
00:25:01,990 --> 00:24:58,320
levitate a piece of material then

658
00:25:06,390 --> 00:25:02,000
by using laser it can heat up

659
00:25:10,630 --> 00:25:06,400
material like up to 3000 degrees celsius

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00:25:13,669 --> 00:25:10,640
to see how materials uh melt or how

661
00:25:15,750 --> 00:25:13,679
reacts to those high temperatures

662
00:25:18,549 --> 00:25:15,760
like viscosity

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00:25:20,630 --> 00:25:18,559

density and surface tension

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00:25:21,510 --> 00:25:20,640

and

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00:25:23,590 --> 00:25:21,520

knowing

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00:25:24,710 --> 00:25:23,600

those characteristics

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00:25:27,430 --> 00:25:24,720

we can

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00:25:28,630 --> 00:25:27,440

advance our technology on the ground for

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00:25:31,990 --> 00:25:28,640

example

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00:25:33,269 --> 00:25:32,000

probably maybe a new method of

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00:25:39,669 --> 00:25:33,279

production

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00:25:40,870 --> 00:25:39,679

material so i'm really looking for those

673

00:25:42,789 --> 00:25:40,880

kind of

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00:25:43,909 --> 00:25:42,799

experiments

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00:25:45,669 --> 00:25:43,919

thanks

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00:25:47,510 --> 00:25:45,679

uh and natalie what about you i know

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00:25:50,149 --> 00:25:47,520

that uh the russians have kind of a lot

678

00:25:51,590 --> 00:25:50,159

of scientific experience experience

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00:25:53,669 --> 00:25:51,600

experiments that we don't even always

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00:25:56,230 --> 00:25:53,679

hear a lot about in the u.s so any that

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00:25:58,070 --> 00:25:56,240

you're particularly interested in there

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00:26:00,390 --> 00:25:58,080

are many but i'd like to tell you a few

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00:26:04,070 --> 00:26:00,400

words about joint experiments we are

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00:26:05,990 --> 00:26:04,080

going to conduct a joint russia east

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00:26:08,710 --> 00:26:06,000

research

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00:26:11,510 --> 00:26:08,720

in the field of complex plasmas

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00:26:13,909 --> 00:26:11,520

it's a long-running experiment uh

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00:26:16,230 --> 00:26:13,919

i i don't remember it it started it has

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00:26:18,310 --> 00:26:16,240

been years and i remember it was

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00:26:20,870 --> 00:26:18,320

conducted in russian part of the station

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00:26:22,630 --> 00:26:20,880

now it's moved to columbus

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00:26:26,070 --> 00:26:22,640

so

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00:26:28,630 --> 00:26:26,080

this experiment studies complex plasmas

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00:26:31,350 --> 00:26:28,640

complex plasmas are plasmas

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00:26:32,549 --> 00:26:31,360

which contain

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00:26:34,470 --> 00:26:32,559

ions

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00:26:36,830 --> 00:26:34,480

electrons

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00:26:40,310 --> 00:26:36,840

neutral gases and dust

699

00:26:42,549 --> 00:26:40,320

particles uh micro particles or

700

00:26:45,190 --> 00:26:42,559

dust dust greens

701
00:26:48,149 --> 00:26:45,200
and what's interesting uh

702
00:26:51,669 --> 00:26:48,159
in this type of plasmas

703
00:26:54,470 --> 00:26:51,679
there is a phenomena when the particles

704
00:26:55,990 --> 00:26:54,480
uh being highly charged and interacts

705
00:26:59,350 --> 00:26:56,000
strongly with

706
00:27:01,510 --> 00:26:59,360
each other so they can form a structure

707
00:27:03,750 --> 00:27:01,520
uh a structure

708
00:27:06,149 --> 00:27:03,760
which is a crystal like structure so

709
00:27:07,750 --> 00:27:06,159
that's why we call this experiment

710
00:27:09,750 --> 00:27:07,760
crystal plasma

711
00:27:12,549 --> 00:27:09,760
and

712
00:27:13,350 --> 00:27:12,559
what is the most in inter what is the

713
00:27:16,149 --> 00:27:13,360

the

714

00:27:18,789 --> 00:27:16,159

objective for investigation

715

00:27:22,230 --> 00:27:18,799

is the liquid phase of

716

00:27:23,669 --> 00:27:22,240

this phenomena and the scientists are

717

00:27:26,310 --> 00:27:23,679

looking in

718

00:27:27,590 --> 00:27:26,320

like three different stages of this

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00:27:29,350 --> 00:27:27,600

experiment

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00:27:31,590 --> 00:27:29,360

they interstate in

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00:27:36,070 --> 00:27:31,600

micro microscopic

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00:27:36,870 --> 00:27:36,080

particles of complex club plasmas

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00:27:39,029 --> 00:27:36,880

like

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00:27:40,710 --> 00:27:39,039

charging particles

725

00:27:42,870 --> 00:27:40,720

agglomeration

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00:27:44,789 --> 00:27:42,880

and particle growth

727

00:27:47,430 --> 00:27:44,799

microscopic

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00:27:48,870 --> 00:27:47,440

macroscopic properties of complex

729

00:27:53,110 --> 00:27:48,880

plasmas

730

00:27:54,630 --> 00:27:53,120

like hydrodynamics for example viscosity

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00:27:55,909 --> 00:27:54,640

thermodynamics

732

00:27:57,430 --> 00:27:55,919

and

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00:28:01,029 --> 00:27:57,440

non-equilibrium

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00:28:04,470 --> 00:28:01,039

properties of complex plasmas

735

00:28:06,950 --> 00:28:04,480

and general generic

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00:28:08,230 --> 00:28:06,960

uh properties of classical media body

737

00:28:10,149 --> 00:28:08,240

systems

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00:28:11,909 --> 00:28:10,159

like melting

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00:28:14,149 --> 00:28:11,919

crystallization

740

00:28:16,789 --> 00:28:14,159

are

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00:28:20,070 --> 00:28:16,799

protons in

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00:28:22,870 --> 00:28:20,080

plasma crystals and dust waves

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00:28:25,029 --> 00:28:22,880

so plasma is found

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00:28:27,990 --> 00:28:25,039

anywhere throughout the u.s

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00:28:30,950 --> 00:28:28,000

and they have a

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00:28:33,190 --> 00:28:30,960

plasma on the thermal shield of any

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00:28:35,029 --> 00:28:33,200

spacecraft entering the

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00:28:37,029 --> 00:28:35,039

very entering the earth's atmosphere by

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00:28:38,710 --> 00:28:37,039

the way it is the most amazing part of

750

00:28:41,510 --> 00:28:38,720

the space flight

751
00:28:42,630 --> 00:28:41,520
but very short very soon the

752
00:28:44,389 --> 00:28:42,640
windows

753
00:28:46,389 --> 00:28:44,399
will get

754
00:28:49,590 --> 00:28:46,399
burned and you won't be able to see

755
00:28:52,549 --> 00:28:49,600
anything so that research will possibly

756
00:28:54,950 --> 00:28:52,559
allow scientists to

757
00:28:57,669 --> 00:28:54,960
shed some light so on the nature of the

758
00:29:00,630 --> 00:28:57,679
complex plasmas and it will have

759
00:29:01,909 --> 00:29:00,640
application possibly in the spacecraft

760
00:29:04,230 --> 00:29:01,919
designs

761
00:29:05,590 --> 00:29:04,240
and though it is

762
00:29:07,590 --> 00:29:05,600
more

763
00:29:09,269 --> 00:29:07,600

fundamental research i believe that

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00:29:13,269 --> 00:29:09,279

application for the

765

00:29:14,950 --> 00:29:13,279

industries on the ground also possible

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00:29:16,389 --> 00:29:14,960

wow it's always amazing to hear all the

767

00:29:18,149 --> 00:29:16,399

different types of research that go on

768

00:29:20,149 --> 00:29:18,159

on the space station um

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00:29:22,950 --> 00:29:20,159

but i think we have another question

770

00:29:26,230 --> 00:29:22,960

um this time my question goes to

771

00:29:28,950 --> 00:29:26,240

kate and mr michi so it is the first

772

00:29:31,669 --> 00:29:28,960

time for both of you to go to space so

773

00:29:32,789 --> 00:29:31,679

what would you like to do in the space

774

00:29:35,190 --> 00:29:32,799

are

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00:29:35,990 --> 00:29:35,200

international space station except for

776

00:29:39,029 --> 00:29:36,000

uh

777

00:29:40,789 --> 00:29:39,039

work or except for business experiments

778

00:29:44,470 --> 00:29:40,799

so in your space-time what do you want

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00:29:46,389 --> 00:29:44,480

to do in the iss

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00:29:48,149 --> 00:29:46,399

well i might end up trying to do some

781

00:29:50,789 --> 00:29:48,159

experiments in my spare time because

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00:29:52,470 --> 00:29:50,799

that's what i'm most interested in um

783

00:29:55,029 --> 00:29:52,480

i'm i'm particularly interested in

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00:29:57,350 --> 00:29:55,039

trying to do some sequencing of dna on

785

00:29:59,350 --> 00:29:57,360

board so that's one of the things that

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00:30:00,789 --> 00:29:59,360

i think is going to be a very exciting

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00:30:02,549 --> 00:30:00,799

payload that we have

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00:30:04,470 --> 00:30:02,559

i think in general a lot of astronauts

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00:30:06,389 --> 00:30:04,480

spend their time looking at the earth

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00:30:09,029 --> 00:30:06,399

it's amazing you go over a different

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00:30:12,070 --> 00:30:09,039

part of the earth um every single orbit

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00:30:13,750 --> 00:30:12,080

and so just the opportunity to see the

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00:30:16,070 --> 00:30:13,760

entire world and to be able to take

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00:30:18,310 --> 00:30:16,080

photographs of that seems to be

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00:30:20,710 --> 00:30:18,320

incredibly captivating and you can see

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00:30:23,110 --> 00:30:20,720

from scott kelly's twitter feed for

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00:30:25,350 --> 00:30:23,120

example just the the way that it changes

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00:30:26,789 --> 00:30:25,360

every day and uh just the beauty of the

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00:30:28,630 --> 00:30:26,799

earth is is

800

00:30:31,190 --> 00:30:28,640

i think uh not something that any

801
00:30:33,669 --> 00:30:31,200
astronaut would ever get sick of

802
00:30:36,630 --> 00:30:33,679
all right go ahead this is my first

803
00:30:39,430 --> 00:30:36,640
flight and so i'm really excited about

804
00:30:40,389 --> 00:30:39,440
it and i really looking for look forward

805
00:30:42,710 --> 00:30:40,399
to

806
00:30:45,029 --> 00:30:42,720
all aspects of

807
00:30:48,789 --> 00:30:45,039
our space flight

808
00:30:51,190 --> 00:30:48,799
so from the launch until our landing

809
00:30:54,070 --> 00:30:51,200
and even

810
00:30:54,950 --> 00:30:54,080
how to use a space toilet in the station

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00:30:57,590 --> 00:30:54,960
i

812
00:30:59,830 --> 00:30:57,600
really look forward to all of them

813
00:31:01,269 --> 00:30:59,840

and hopefully i can uh

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00:31:02,789 --> 00:31:01,279

introduce

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00:31:05,509 --> 00:31:02,799

this kind of

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00:31:06,950 --> 00:31:05,519

lives our lives in the station to the

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00:31:09,750 --> 00:31:06,960

public using

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00:31:12,070 --> 00:31:09,760

internet like twitter or google plus

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00:31:15,750 --> 00:31:12,080

personally i'm doing a

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00:31:16,830 --> 00:31:15,760

google plus so using it i want to

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00:31:18,789 --> 00:31:16,840

encourage

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00:31:23,909 --> 00:31:18,799

people what

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00:31:26,070 --> 00:31:23,919

kids our kids to study about space

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00:31:27,990 --> 00:31:26,080

thanks juan de la garza space flight

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00:31:29,350 --> 00:31:28,000

insider this is for anyone that would

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00:31:30,950 --> 00:31:29,360

like to answer it

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00:31:33,190 --> 00:31:30,960

in collaboration with your international

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00:31:35,750 --> 00:31:33,200

partners there's hundreds of experiments

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00:31:37,509 --> 00:31:35,760

scheduled for your stay on board

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00:31:41,990 --> 00:31:37,519

how are they distributed amongst every

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00:31:47,990 --> 00:31:45,430

so we get some training on the ground

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00:31:49,909 --> 00:31:48,000

generic set of skills training so that

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00:31:51,590 --> 00:31:49,919

we can function as laboratory workers

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00:31:53,110 --> 00:31:51,600

essentially on board the international

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00:31:56,310 --> 00:31:53,120

space station

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00:31:58,630 --> 00:31:56,320

and then each contributing agency gets

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00:32:01,269 --> 00:31:58,640

time and resources and payload

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00:32:03,269 --> 00:32:01,279

availability that's all that's not

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00:32:04,950 --> 00:32:03,279

decided by the crew thank goodness

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00:32:07,750 --> 00:32:04,960

there's some really smart people that

841

00:32:09,430 --> 00:32:07,760

that do all the allocations uh and then

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00:32:11,110 --> 00:32:09,440

we will get some timelines and some

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00:32:13,509 --> 00:32:11,120

schedules that says when we're

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00:32:15,350 --> 00:32:13,519

performing which experiments and so it's

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00:32:17,909 --> 00:32:15,360

all predetermined

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00:32:19,590 --> 00:32:17,919

so we're able to wake up and we take a

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00:32:21,269 --> 00:32:19,600

look at the schedule and we see what the

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00:32:23,190 --> 00:32:21,279

various experiments and it may be

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00:32:24,789 --> 00:32:23,200

maintenance tasks as well

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00:32:26,789 --> 00:32:24,799

or prep for a visiting vehicle we're

851

00:32:28,470 --> 00:32:26,799

going to do that day

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00:32:30,789 --> 00:32:28,480

and you know there's always the option

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00:32:33,430 --> 00:32:30,799

to help your crew member out or work on

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00:32:35,110 --> 00:32:33,440

something that that you're interested in

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00:32:36,389 --> 00:32:35,120

but we've got a whole team of folks on

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00:32:39,830 --> 00:32:36,399

the ground that really helped develop

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00:32:42,710 --> 00:32:41,350

all right and if you're watching at home

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00:32:46,310 --> 00:32:42,720

a reminder that you can send in your

859

00:32:47,830 --> 00:32:46,320

questions via the hashtag asknasa and

860

00:32:52,070 --> 00:32:47,840

for those on the phone bridge uh press

861

00:32:57,909 --> 00:32:54,870

hello i'm hr sami with kyodo news a

862

00:33:00,549 --> 00:32:57,919

japanese wire i like to ask all three of

863

00:33:06,389 --> 00:33:03,909

how do you evaluate yourself as a team i

864

00:33:09,669 --> 00:33:06,399

also like all of you to

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00:33:10,630 --> 00:33:09,679

describe the other two as a colleague

866

00:33:12,149 --> 00:33:10,640

thank you

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00:33:13,509 --> 00:33:12,159

i think the

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00:33:15,669 --> 00:33:13,519

vi team

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00:33:19,830 --> 00:33:15,679

we have been together in training for i

870

00:33:22,710 --> 00:33:19,840

think two years and in half

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00:33:26,789 --> 00:33:25,269

very interesting experience of being in

872

00:33:30,070 --> 00:33:26,799

survival training

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00:33:31,350 --> 00:33:30,080

uh the under circumstances when you can

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00:33:33,430 --> 00:33:31,360

really

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00:33:37,430 --> 00:33:33,440

see the people or with whom you're going

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00:33:39,269 --> 00:33:37,440

to fly and i was really very happy

877

00:33:40,789 --> 00:33:39,279

to go through this training

878

00:33:43,669 --> 00:33:40,799

and

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00:33:45,669 --> 00:33:43,679

well both of my crew mates are

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00:33:47,909 --> 00:33:45,679

very educated

881

00:33:49,269 --> 00:33:47,919

very hard-working people way easier

882

00:33:51,430 --> 00:33:49,279

going

883

00:33:53,029 --> 00:33:51,440

and during our

884

00:33:55,669 --> 00:33:53,039

winter survival

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00:33:57,350 --> 00:33:55,679

both of them were really helpful

886

00:33:58,070 --> 00:33:57,360

kate is a scientist

887

00:34:04,789 --> 00:33:58,080

he

888

00:34:07,509 --> 00:34:04,799

we have to spend two days in a russian

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00:34:09,510 --> 00:34:07,519

winter forest and the temperature is

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00:34:12,869 --> 00:34:09,520

significant

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00:34:13,750 --> 00:34:12,879

not as warm my ass in august in houston

892

00:34:15,990 --> 00:34:13,760

and

893

00:34:18,389 --> 00:34:16,000

actually we had to build two different

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00:34:19,270 --> 00:34:18,399

type of shelters and spend two nights

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00:34:23,270 --> 00:34:19,280

there

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00:34:26,629 --> 00:34:23,280

and well kate was very inventive uh she

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00:34:29,270 --> 00:34:26,639

came up with the solution how to

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00:34:32,149 --> 00:34:29,280

build a structure of cutting wood around

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00:34:35,430 --> 00:34:32,159

the fireplace so we would

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00:34:36,389 --> 00:34:35,440

be able to get them dry and better

901
00:34:41,510 --> 00:34:36,399
and

902
00:34:42,389 --> 00:34:41,520
i i really like attack as a

903
00:34:44,790 --> 00:34:42,399
my

904
00:34:49,430 --> 00:34:44,800
sius flight engineer

905
00:34:51,589 --> 00:34:49,440
i can rely absolutely on his uh

906
00:34:53,909 --> 00:34:51,599
actually he we share with him the

907
00:34:56,950 --> 00:34:53,919
responsibility to deliver our bright

908
00:34:58,950 --> 00:34:56,960
scientists to the station and i'm

909
00:35:02,710 --> 00:34:58,960
very very happy with the performance he

910
00:35:05,750 --> 00:35:02,720
has shown during our training

911
00:35:09,109 --> 00:35:05,760
kate i know that kate has two dogs

912
00:35:11,910 --> 00:35:09,119
named after first russian space dogs

913
00:35:14,230 --> 00:35:11,920

and you have to have some skills in

914

00:35:18,069 --> 00:35:14,240

russian language in order to get the

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00:35:19,589 --> 00:35:18,079

flavor of these names and

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00:35:21,349 --> 00:35:19,599

taksan

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00:35:22,150 --> 00:35:21,359

have two kids

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00:35:24,630 --> 00:35:22,160

and

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00:35:26,390 --> 00:35:24,640

you know that

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00:35:27,829 --> 00:35:26,400

in sayu's vehicle

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00:35:31,349 --> 00:35:27,839

usually

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00:35:32,870 --> 00:35:31,359

the vehicle is very reliable but

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00:35:34,710 --> 00:35:32,880

every crew

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00:35:36,710 --> 00:35:34,720

find that

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00:35:39,109 --> 00:35:36,720

the equipment set is not complete

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00:35:40,390 --> 00:35:39,119
usually one instrument is missing a very

927
00:35:42,870 --> 00:35:40,400
important one

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00:35:45,670 --> 00:35:42,880
and this is a weightlessness indicator

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00:35:47,589 --> 00:35:45,680
and since tucker has two

930
00:35:49,510 --> 00:35:47,599
little kids i think

931
00:35:59,109 --> 00:35:49,520
he will find

932
00:36:05,510 --> 00:36:00,950
yeah i think

933
00:36:08,230 --> 00:36:05,520
trust these two guys

934
00:36:09,510 --> 00:36:08,240
more than 100 percent two days ago we

935
00:36:12,390 --> 00:36:09,520
had a

936
00:36:15,109 --> 00:36:12,400
emergency training but we went through

937
00:36:18,470 --> 00:36:15,119
as many as five scenarios without any

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00:36:19,910 --> 00:36:18,480

single problems so

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00:36:23,270 --> 00:36:19,920

we've been

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00:36:25,030 --> 00:36:23,280

trained as a team very well and

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00:36:27,510 --> 00:36:25,040

for me anatoly

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00:36:30,950 --> 00:36:27,520

he's very experienced and

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00:36:32,150 --> 00:36:30,960

i like his style of work he's always

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00:36:33,990 --> 00:36:32,160

calm

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00:36:36,950 --> 00:36:34,000

even if we have

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00:36:39,670 --> 00:36:36,960

fire and rapid depressurization and so

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00:36:41,030 --> 00:36:39,680

is a vehicle at the same time so i like

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00:36:41,910 --> 00:36:41,040

his style

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00:36:45,270 --> 00:36:41,920

and

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00:36:46,310 --> 00:36:45,280

he always gives us good advice to kate

951
00:36:47,750 --> 00:36:46,320
and me

952
00:36:50,230 --> 00:36:47,760
and kate

953
00:36:51,349 --> 00:36:50,240
she has totally totally

954
00:36:52,470 --> 00:36:51,359
different

955
00:36:55,270 --> 00:36:52,480
sets of

956
00:36:57,829 --> 00:36:55,280
point of view compared to anatoly and i

957
00:36:59,510 --> 00:36:57,839
because she was a researcher and

958
00:37:01,109 --> 00:36:59,520
sometimes i was

959
00:37:02,630 --> 00:37:01,119
pretty much

960
00:37:03,510 --> 00:37:02,640
impressed by

961
00:37:04,630 --> 00:37:03,520
what

962
00:37:08,230 --> 00:37:04,640
she was

963
00:37:15,109 --> 00:37:08,240

look how she looked at the experiments

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00:37:19,910 --> 00:37:18,310

okay okay did you wanna yeah well you um

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00:37:22,150 --> 00:37:19,920

you know you expect and you hope that

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00:37:23,190 --> 00:37:22,160

everything goes according to plan but if

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00:37:24,630 --> 00:37:23,200

it doesn't

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00:37:26,710 --> 00:37:24,640

these are the two guys that you want to

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00:37:29,109 --> 00:37:26,720

be with you in your spacecraft so i feel

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00:37:31,829 --> 00:37:29,119

pretty lucky um you know you end up

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00:37:33,109 --> 00:37:31,839

forming a team with your crew and it's

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00:37:34,310 --> 00:37:33,119

really important these are these are

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00:37:36,550 --> 00:37:34,320

people you're going to be spending a lot

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00:37:38,069 --> 00:37:36,560

of time with and so i just feel

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00:37:39,670 --> 00:37:38,079

incredibly fortunate to be able to fly

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00:37:41,270 --> 00:37:39,680
with these guys and i'm really looking

977
00:37:42,790 --> 00:37:41,280
forward to it

978
00:37:44,710 --> 00:37:42,800
and i know it's not incredibly unusual

979
00:37:47,270 --> 00:37:44,720
but y'all got a very international crew

980
00:37:49,270 --> 00:37:47,280
as well were there any um

981
00:37:52,069 --> 00:37:49,280
you know barrier or cultural barriers to

982
00:37:53,030 --> 00:37:52,079
to that surprised you or that you had to

983
00:37:55,349 --> 00:37:53,040
overcome

984
00:37:56,230 --> 00:37:55,359
i haven't mentioned so far

985
00:37:57,589 --> 00:37:56,240
no

986
00:37:59,030 --> 00:37:57,599
all right

987
00:38:00,790 --> 00:37:59,040
okay i think we have one question on the

988
00:38:07,030 --> 00:38:00,800

phone bridge now so we're going to go to

989

00:38:10,870 --> 00:38:09,190

hi so for anyone who wants to answer

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00:38:17,990 --> 00:38:10,880

what was the most challenging thing you

991

00:38:21,990 --> 00:38:19,750

yeah for me it was

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00:38:24,230 --> 00:38:22,000

soyuz training and

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00:38:27,829 --> 00:38:24,240

so training style in

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00:38:30,069 --> 00:38:27,839

russia is a little bit different from uh

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00:38:32,950 --> 00:38:30,079

training style here in system for

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00:38:34,630 --> 00:38:32,960

example i always use this example to

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00:38:37,670 --> 00:38:34,640

explain the difference

998

00:38:38,550 --> 00:38:37,680

and let's say we you need to

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00:38:41,190 --> 00:38:38,560

learn

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00:38:42,710 --> 00:38:41,200

how to use microwave and

1001

00:38:46,470 --> 00:38:42,720

here in houston

1002

00:38:48,950 --> 00:38:46,480

they always they only teach us like we

1003

00:38:49,829 --> 00:38:48,960

need we just need to open the door then

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00:38:51,270 --> 00:38:49,839

put

1005

00:38:53,990 --> 00:38:51,280

a dish

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00:38:57,270 --> 00:38:54,000

inside the microwave and select time and

1007

00:38:59,910 --> 00:38:57,280

push hit start button that's all then if

1008

00:39:03,109 --> 00:38:59,920

we have any problem with microwave or

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00:39:04,310 --> 00:39:03,119

heating just let the ground team know

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00:39:07,510 --> 00:39:04,320

that's how

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00:39:09,430 --> 00:39:07,520

americans or nasa teaches us that

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00:39:12,069 --> 00:39:09,440

they're in russia

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00:39:13,430 --> 00:39:12,079

it's totally different they start

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00:39:16,470 --> 00:39:13,440

teaching us

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00:39:17,349 --> 00:39:16,480

what's the principle of physics how we

1016

00:39:21,109 --> 00:39:17,359

can

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00:39:22,870 --> 00:39:21,119

heat up things using a microwave so that

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00:39:24,069 --> 00:39:22,880

was a lot of

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00:39:26,230 --> 00:39:24,079

studying

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00:39:30,310 --> 00:39:26,240

almost every day

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00:39:33,190 --> 00:39:30,320

from like 8 00 a.m to 2 a.m so it was

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00:39:35,910 --> 00:39:33,200

quite challenging for me

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00:39:38,390 --> 00:39:35,920

uh as soon as we assigned to crew we

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00:39:41,109 --> 00:39:38,400

started traveling all around the world

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00:39:42,790 --> 00:39:41,119

and that was a kind of challenge because

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00:39:44,950 --> 00:39:42,800

you have to

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00:39:46,550 --> 00:39:44,960

shift time zones

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00:39:49,510 --> 00:39:46,560

quite frequently

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00:39:50,390 --> 00:39:49,520

and quite significantly we have i think

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00:39:52,870 --> 00:39:50,400

nine

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00:39:54,950 --> 00:39:52,880

time zones between russia and

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00:39:57,190 --> 00:39:54,960

between moscow and houston

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00:39:59,510 --> 00:39:57,200

and the challenge

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00:40:01,109 --> 00:39:59,520

language issues have always been

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00:40:04,069 --> 00:40:01,119

challenged for me

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00:40:05,270 --> 00:40:04,079

uh it's really difficult and

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00:40:07,750 --> 00:40:05,280

by the way

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00:40:09,589 --> 00:40:07,760

taksan speaks perfect russian and

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00:40:17,109 --> 00:40:09,599

english both languages and i really

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00:40:21,510 --> 00:40:18,950

well for me at the beginning the

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00:40:23,270 --> 00:40:21,520

challenge was integrating everything you

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go through this two and a half year

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00:40:26,710 --> 00:40:25,200

training flow and

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00:40:28,630 --> 00:40:26,720

you see a

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00:40:30,630 --> 00:40:28,640

a little slice of everything so we need

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00:40:32,790 --> 00:40:30,640

to be able to do anything and everything

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00:40:33,910 --> 00:40:32,800

on board we need to understand all of

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00:40:36,470 --> 00:40:33,920

the equipment

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00:40:38,230 --> 00:40:36,480

how to fix it so you show up for work

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00:40:39,670 --> 00:40:38,240

and one morning you're a plumber and the

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00:40:41,109 --> 00:40:39,680

next morning

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00:40:42,470 --> 00:40:41,119

you're a dentist and then you're going

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00:40:45,829 --> 00:40:42,480

to be a scientist and then you're a

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00:40:48,309 --> 00:40:45,839

spacewalker and so you have to be

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00:40:50,230 --> 00:40:48,319

pretty detail-oriented and

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00:40:52,550 --> 00:40:50,240

be able to be a little bit of an expert

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00:40:53,829 --> 00:40:52,560

in each one of these areas during the

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00:40:55,589 --> 00:40:53,839

course of the training flow they start

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00:40:56,790 --> 00:40:55,599

to bring that all together

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00:40:59,030 --> 00:40:56,800

and by the end you definitely get

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00:41:01,430 --> 00:40:59,040

comfortable and you really feel prepared

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00:41:02,950 --> 00:41:01,440

for anything that may happen during the

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00:41:04,470 --> 00:41:02,960

increment so i think that's really a

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00:41:06,630 --> 00:41:04,480

testament to the training team and how

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00:41:08,630 --> 00:41:06,640

they bring all this together

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00:41:10,950 --> 00:41:08,640

and the key is to just let them do their

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00:41:14,230 --> 00:41:10,960

job and and we'll turn out trained crew

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00:41:17,349 --> 00:41:15,829

okay i think we're just about out of

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00:41:20,550 --> 00:41:17,359

time but maybe we have time for one more

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00:41:22,230 --> 00:41:20,560

social media question

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00:41:24,230 --> 00:41:22,240

definitely and this one may require a

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00:41:26,069 --> 00:41:24,240

little bit of explanation for people not

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00:41:28,390 --> 00:41:26,079

familiar with acronyms but ben evans is

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00:41:31,349 --> 00:41:28,400

asking on twitter will the crew do any

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00:41:35,270 --> 00:41:31,359

work inside beam during your expedition

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00:41:39,109 --> 00:41:37,349

yeah so um

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00:41:41,829 --> 00:41:39,119

we're hoping that that we're going to be

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00:41:43,670 --> 00:41:41,839

doing some work in beam and

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00:41:45,430 --> 00:41:43,680

it depends a little bit where it falls

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00:41:47,349 --> 00:41:45,440

we're actually hoping that tim copeland

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00:41:49,750 --> 00:41:47,359

tim peake get it all nice and outfitted

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00:41:51,670 --> 00:41:49,760

for us and we can just be

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00:41:53,750 --> 00:41:51,680

part of the experiment

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00:41:55,910 --> 00:41:53,760

but we will probably be doing some

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00:41:58,870 --> 00:41:55,920

sensor installation

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00:42:00,150 --> 00:41:58,880

we are going to be looking at

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00:42:02,790 --> 00:42:00,160

the pressure shell we are going to be

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00:42:04,950 --> 00:42:02,800

looking at radiation and a whole bunch

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00:42:07,190 --> 00:42:04,960

of different parameters to evaluate

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00:42:08,550 --> 00:42:07,200

these types of vessels docked to space

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00:42:09,990 --> 00:42:08,560

station so i think it's it's pretty

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00:42:11,270 --> 00:42:10,000

exciting it's something

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00:42:12,150 --> 00:42:11,280

really new and interesting that we're

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00:42:13,910 --> 00:42:12,160

doing

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00:42:17,190 --> 00:42:13,920

and we're definitely looking forward to

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00:42:18,309 --> 00:42:17,200

wherever that falls uh in our increment

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00:42:19,990 --> 00:42:18,319

and maybe you can explain a little bit

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00:42:21,670 --> 00:42:20,000

more about what beam is yeah i'm sorry

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00:42:23,990 --> 00:42:21,680

that was the first thing right i jumped

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00:42:25,510 --> 00:42:24,000

right into the nasa acronyms um so so

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00:42:28,150 --> 00:42:25,520

beam is actually

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00:42:29,990 --> 00:42:28,160

an expandable module that that bigelow

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00:42:32,630 --> 00:42:30,000

is going to send up and so that's going

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00:42:35,030 --> 00:42:32,640

to be birth to the space station

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00:42:36,630 --> 00:42:35,040

it's going to it's an inflatable module

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00:42:38,150 --> 00:42:36,640

this thing sounds very scary at the

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00:42:39,270 --> 00:42:38,160

beginning because you picture blowing up

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00:42:41,910 --> 00:42:39,280

a balloon but it's actually an

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00:42:44,309 --> 00:42:41,920

incredibly hard pressure shell and then

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00:42:45,430 --> 00:42:44,319

we'll be outfitting with sensors to

1111

00:42:47,030 --> 00:42:45,440

analyze

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00:42:50,150 --> 00:42:47,040

how that pressure shell is reacting in

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00:42:51,829 --> 00:42:50,160

the space environment over time

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00:42:53,589 --> 00:42:51,839

okay i think that's probably all the

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00:42:55,829 --> 00:42:53,599

questions we have unless there are any

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00:42:57,910 --> 00:42:55,839

more you don't see any so

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00:42:59,109 --> 00:42:57,920

the crew is going to be launching to the

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00:43:01,270 --> 00:42:59,119

international space station from the

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00:43:03,270 --> 00:43:01,280

baikonur cosmodrome in kazakhstan on

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00:43:04,550 --> 00:43:03,280

june 21st and then they'll be spending

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00:43:05,670 --> 00:43:04,560

their time there all the way through

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00:43:07,190 --> 00:43:05,680

october

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00:43:10,390 --> 00:43:07,200

so you'll want to follow along with that

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00:43:12,390 --> 00:43:10,400

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