



ILRS Virtual World Tour 2021: October 25-29, 2021 Second Circular

Dear Colleagues,

We are happy to report the updates on this year's "ILRS Virtual World Tour". In addition to the virtual visits to the stations (~120 min), short special add-on sessions (30-60 min) are planned with the help of the Standing Committee Chairs. We look forward to seeing you in the last week of October.

Schedule (tentative; in UTC):

Monday, October 25

12:00 Opening session with reports from ILRS CB and Geodetic Community

12:45 Virtual Tour of Herstmonceux, UK

Tuesday, October 26

13:00 Virtual Tour of Wettzell, Germany

15:00 Special Session on Network & Engineering, LLR and Space Debris Ranging

Wednesday, October 27

13:00 Virtual Tour of Mendeleevo, Russia

15:00 Special Session on Analysis

Thursday, October 28

06:00 Virtual Tour of Shanghai, China

08:00 Special Session on Missions (1)

Friday, October 29

16:00 Virtual Tour of Monument Peak, USA

18:00 Special Session on Data Format and Missions (2), and Closing

Workshop website:

https://ilrs.gsfc.nasa.gov/ILRS_Virtual_World_Tour_2021/index.html

Logistics:

Microsoft Teams will be used for all of these sessions.

The Third Circular will be issued later with details on registration.

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