



ROYAL ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY OF CANADA

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Canada Summer Jobs Funding Awarded!

RASC is delighted to announce it was awarded federal government funding for three short-term staffing appointments. Over \$14K in wages will be paid by Canada Summer Jobs (CSJ) for a total of thirty-three weeks in vital support. Candidates will be assisting National with finance department tasks, serving the membership portfolio and fundraising work.

A new feature is that the positions can be engaged throughout the year, not just in the summer. The first role to be advertised will be the fundraising position. Members will be notified of openings as they're posted.

This is the fourth year RASC has been awarded student wages and \$36,000 has been received in total! More importantly, most of the assignments undertaken by students are additional tasks that wouldn't easily be accomplished without their help.

Also, congratulations to Calgary Centre for their successful CSJ application and approval of \$5,400 in wages for a web designer!

The 2021 General Assembly - The Stars Belong to Everyone



Join us and celebrate diversity in Astronomy! The 2021 General Assembly - **The Stars Belong to Everyone** held on **June 25th - 28th** is an incredible event featuring luminary industry leaders discussing the hot topics in Astronomy.

Visit www.rasc2021ga.ca for more information, to purchase tickets and to register for the AGM.

New RASC LinkedIn Account!

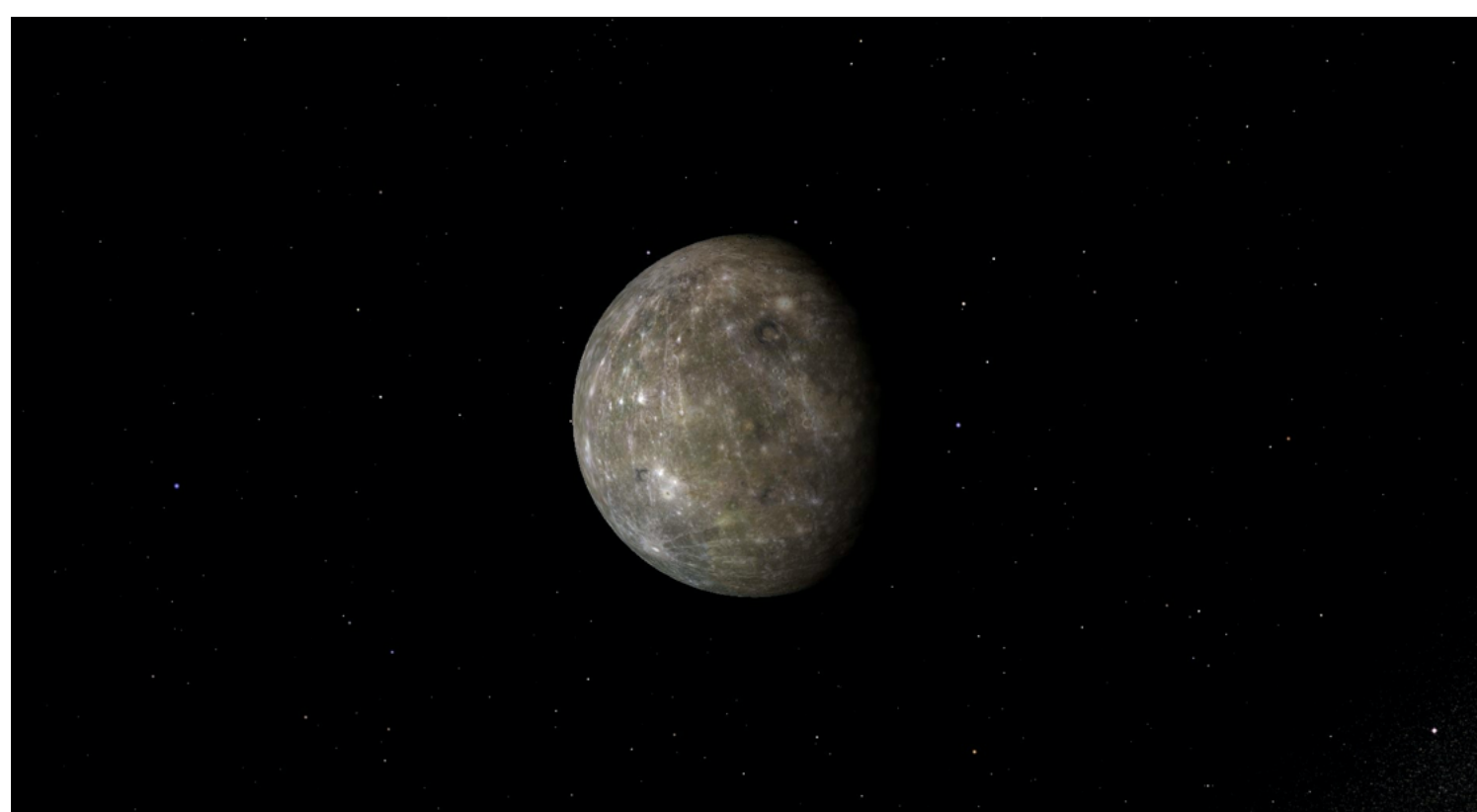


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Planets at a Glance: May 2021



Mercury is the planet to watch this month, as it wanes and treks away from the Sun, passing Venus and the Moon. Read more about what's happening in our Solar System this month in Planets at a Glance by Chris Vaughan!

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