

Space Economy Camp

DETAILED SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH

3:00 PM Hotel Check In Open [Element Skysong](#)

Hotel check-in is available starting at 3 PM local time. If you have an earlier arrival the hotel can hold your luggage until your room is available.

4:00 PM Registration Open [Skysong 1951](#)

Skysong1951 building at Arizona's State University Scottsdale Campus will be where all events will take place.

5:30 PM - 5:45 PM Welcome Session Skysong 1951

Mary Robinette Kowal will give introductions of Economists and the Worldbuilding Facilitators, and a brief summary of what to expect during the camp.

5:45 PM - 6:00 PM Canopus Award Intro Skysong 1951 Jason Batts

Jason Batts will present the [Canopus Award](#) and talk about the [100 Year Starship](#) initiative

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Dinner Skysong 1951

Dinner to be served buffet style with seating options for indoors and outdoors.

7:00 PM - 7:30 PM Lecture Skysong 1951 Mary Robinette Kowal

In science-fiction and fantasy there is a fascination with constructed worlds. In this lecture, economists and writers alike are given a shared set of language for discussing world creation.

7:30 PM - 8:30 PM Keynote Skysong 1951 Alexander McDonald

Keynote address by Alexander McDonald, Chief Economist at NASA

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH

6:30 AM - 9:00 AM Continental Breakfast Element Skysong

Breakfast is provided for those staying at the hotel

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Economy Lecture Skysong 1951 Alberto Cottica

Economic lecture by Alberto Cottica

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM - 12:30 PM Worldbuilding Breakout Session 1

In small groups led by a facilitator and with one of the economist lecturers you will begin building your shared world. Each group can find a place inside or outside to meet.

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM Lunch Skysong 1951

Box lunch served for participants to take. Indoor & outdoor seating available.

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Economy Lecture Skysong 1951 Marco Janssen

Economy lecture by Marco Janssen

3:00 PM - 3:30 PM Break

3:30 PM - 5:30 PM Worldbuilding Breakout Session 2

In small groups led by a facilitator and with one of the economist lecturers you will begin building your shared world. Each group can find a place inside or outside to meet.

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Dinner Skysong 1951

Dinner served buffet style with indoor and outdoor seating options

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Keynote Skysong1951 Alberto Cottica

Keynote address by Alberto Cottica

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH

7:00 AM - 9:00 AM Breakfast

Continental Breakfast available for those staying at the hotel

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Economy Lecture Skysong 1951 Jason Barr

Economy lecture by Dr. Jason Barr

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM Worldbuilding Recap Skysong 1951 Mary Robinette Kowal

Recap and instructions for completing your shared worlds

11:00 AM - 3:30 PM Worldbuilding Breakout Final Session

Combining everything we've learned, design a shared world with a sustainable, non-exploitative model for space

12:00 PM Box Lunch Skysong 1951

Box lunches available starting at noon for groups to take a break to eat or eat and work!

3:30 PM - 4:00 PM Break

4:00 PM - 5:30 PM Presentations Skysong 1951

Each group will get 20 minutes to present their shared world.

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM Dinner [Fate Brewing](#)

Dinner at Fate Brewing on their outdoor patio. Buffet style meal with open bar!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH

7:00 AM - 9:30 AM Breakfast

Continental breakfast available for those staying at the hotel

10:00 AM Hotel Check-out

Camp ends! No official events on the 12th, pack up and head home to use your new skill set in your writing!

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Thursday, November 9th

- 4:00 PM: Registration Open
- 5:30 PM: Welcome Session
- 6:00 PM: Dinner
- 7:00 PM: Worldbuilding Lecture
- 7:30 PM: Economy Keynote

Friday, November 10th

- 6:30 AM Breakfast Open
- 9:00 AM: Economy Lecture 1
- 10:00 AM: Break
- 10:30 AM: Worldbuilding Breakout 1
- 1:00 PM: Lunch
- 2:00 PM: Economy Lecture 2
- 3:00 PM: Break
- 3:30 PM: Worldbuilding Breakout 2
- 6:00 PM: Dinner
- 7:00 PM: Economy Keynote

Saturday, November 11th

- 7:00 AM: Breakfast Opens
- 9:00 AM: Economy Lecture 3
- 10:00 AM: Break
- 10:30 AM: Worldbuilding Recap
- 11:00 AM: Worldbuilding Breakout 3
- 12:00 PM: Lunch
- 12:30 PM: Worldbuilding Continued
- 3:30 PM: Break
- 4:00 PM: Presentations
- 5:30 PM: Break
- 6:00 PM: Dinner

Sunday, November 12th

- 7:00 AM: Breakfast Opens
- 10:00 AM: Hotel Checkout