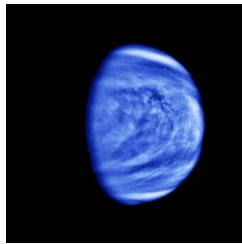


Indiana University of Pennsylvania

Spring 2025 Planetarium Shows

FREE AND OPEN TO PUBLIC

Cejka Planetarium, Kopchick Hall, IUP campus



Back to Venus

Thurs. March 6, 2025, 7:00 P.M.

Venus is almost a twin of Earth in size and structure, but conditions there are very different. What are the outstanding questions that several new spacecraft will try to answer? Come find out. (Clouds on Venus by Galileo spacecraft; NASA/JPL-Caltech)

Centennial of the Planetarium! Classic Views and Recent Discoveries

Weds. May 7, 2025, 7:00 P.M.

This date marks the centennial of the first planetarium opened to the public, in Munich, Germany. We'll review a few of the things a planetarium can show, along with recent discoveries from the Webb space telescope and the Bennu asteroid sample return. (Planetarium emoji by Meike Weisner; planetarium100.org)



Telescope Display & Full Moon Star Party!

**Sat. April 12, 2025,
starting 7:00 P.M.**

Instead of the planetarium, this event will feature some of the telescopes used by the university. We will set up a display of telescopes at Kopchick Hall. If it is a clear night, we'll also observe the Moon and sky.



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Shows are at the Indiana University of Pennsylvania Cejka Planetarium, located on the second floor (Oak Grove level) of Kopchick Hall. Kopchick Hall is on the east side of the Oak Grove. Weather permitting, telescope observing of the night sky will be available after the show. Seating is limited; doors will open 15 minutes before each show. Groups that wish to attend are asked to call in advance. For more information call 724-357-2440.