



The Global University Alliance for Outer Space Policy and Law Education (GUAOSPLE)

The Global University Alliance for Outer Space Policy and Law Education (GUAOSPLE) was jointly launched by **Beijing Institute of Technology (BIT)** and the potential global partners, supported by the **Academy of Air, Space Policy and Law (AASPL)** of BIT, carrying out transnational cooperation in teaching and research through organizing collaborative education, professional co-construction, joint training, and joint research.

The GUAOSPLE is to promote interdisciplinary communication in space law, policy and beyond, taking advantages of the global trend in context of international space governance. It will tightly adapt to the urgent needs of global development for high-level international talents, expand high-quality student sources, and drive the cultivation of interdisciplinary and compound talents within the alliance. It will all enhance the level of academic construction in space law research and international interactions through various channels, such as students exchange between alliance members, hosting annual academic conferences, setting international projects, and so on.

By making a direct and significant contribution to the capacity building of space law and policy, GUAOSPLE will be the first interdisciplinary international education, research and exchange platform for outer space law and policy in the world. It will be gradually beneficial in shaping and enhancing potential global partners' discourse power in the fields of space law and policy education and research, as well as in the formulation of rules. The establishment of the GUAOSPLE will also promote the development of the rule of law in space both nationally and internationally, and it will provide a unique platform for facilitating international cooperation of the space law and policy education.

As for September, 2025, **26 foreign universities, research institutions, and international organizations** and approximately over **15 Chinese universities** have confirmed their participation in the GUAOSPLE. This includes 2 Co-founders, 26 Members, 9 Partners/Observers, and 3 Advisory Council Members. Additionally, **9 renowned experts** in the field of space law and policy have been invited to join the Global Expert Group (GEG).

The hybrid GUAOSPLE preparatory meeting was held in Beijing, China in 15 December, 2024. And **the GUAOSPLE Inauguration Conference as well as the International Space Law and Policy Symposium would be held in 23 October, 2025.**