



POLICY STATEMENT

Policy Title: International Contributors Method to Join LSSTCorp Slack Channel (LSSTC 2017-01)

Functional Area: International Contributors; Science Collaborations; LSSTC Slack Channel

Brief Description: International Contributors method to join LSSTC Slack channel

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Applies to: International Contributor Named Principal Investigators (PIs) and Junior Researchers (JRs)

Reason for Policy: To clarify International Contributor Named Principal Investigators' and Junior Researchers' procedure for joining the LSSTC Slack Channel

I. INTRODUCTION

Through Memoranda of Agreement (MOA) with the LSSTCorp., International Contributors provide a list of Named PIs and JRs who will receive data rights/data access to LSST data when it becomes available during commissioning and operations. Once their MOA is approved, each International Contributor is asked to provide this list of Named PI and JR scientists. Once the list is received by the Corporation, the list is made available to the Science Collaborations and the Named PIs and JRs are then eligible to apply for membership in the LSST Science Collaborations.

II. POLICY STATEMENT

Only International Contributor institution/consortium Named PI or JR scientists may join LSST Science Collaborations. In order for a named PI or JR to join the LSSTC Slack channel, they must first join a Science Collaboration. Following acceptance into the Science Collaboration, if a PI or JR wishes to join the LSSTC Slack channel, they ask their Science Collaboration Chair to issue an invitation to join the LSSTC Slack channel. Each Science Collaboration has at least one designee with administration privileges to issue Slack channel invitations to their specific membership.

III. DEFINITIONS

JR – Junior Researcher

LSST – Large Synoptic Survey Telescope

LSSTC/LSSTCorp. – Large Synoptic Survey Telescope, Inc. (the Corporation)

MOA – Memorandum of Agreement

PI – Principal Investigator