

Inauguration of the Fred Young Submillimeter Telescope

April 9, 2026 @ 1000 CLT (1000 EDT, 1600 CEST, GMT-4) at ALMA OSF

Please be seated by 9:50 am

- Martha Haynes Chair, CCAT Board of Directors, Cornell U.
- Sean Dougherty Director, ALMA Observatory

Introduction of Canadian speakers

- Nicholas Battaglia CCAT Project Scientist, Cornell U.
- Melanie Woodin President, U. Toronto (pre-recorded video message)
- Benoit-Antoine Bacon President, U. British Columbia (pre-recorded video message)
- Norman Murray CCAT Board of Directors, Canadian Institute of Theoretical Astrophysics & U. Toronto, Canadian Atacama Telescope Corporation
- Douglas Scott U. British Columbia

Introduction of Chilean speakers

- Leonardo Bronfman CCAT Board of Directors, U. Chile
- Lucía Núñez Aguilera Astronomy Director, DECYTI (Division of Science, Technology, Education, Innovation and Astronomy), Chilean Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Christian González-Billault Vice President for Research and Development, U. Chile
- Chiara Mazzucchelli Chair, SOCHIAS (Chilean Astronomical Society), U. Diego Portales

Introduction of German speakers

- Dominik Riechers CCAT Board of Directors, U. Köln
- Susanne Fries-Gaier German ambassador to Chile (pre-recorded video message)
- Achim Tieftrunk Programme Director, Scientific Instrumentation and Information Technology, DFG German Research Foundation
- Karsten Gerlof Representing the Rectorate as Chancellor of U. Köln
- Günter Schwarz Rectorate U. Köln, Chief Officer for Research Infrastructure
- Michael Hoch Rector, U. Bonn (pre-recorded video message)
- Frank Bertoldi CCAT Board of Directors, U. Bonn

Introduction of Cornell speakers

- Michael Niemack CCAT Board of Directors, Cornell U.
- Michael Kotlikoff President, Cornell U.
- Peter Loewen Dean of the College of Arts & Sciences, Cornell U.
- Gordon Stacey CCAT Project Director, Cornell U.

Introduction of Fred Young

- Stephen Parshley CCAT Chief of Engineering and Operations, Cornell U.
- Fred M. Young, Jr. CCAT donor & telescope namesake; retired CEO and former owner of Young Radiator Company

Summit Tour

- James Blair CCAT Project Manager