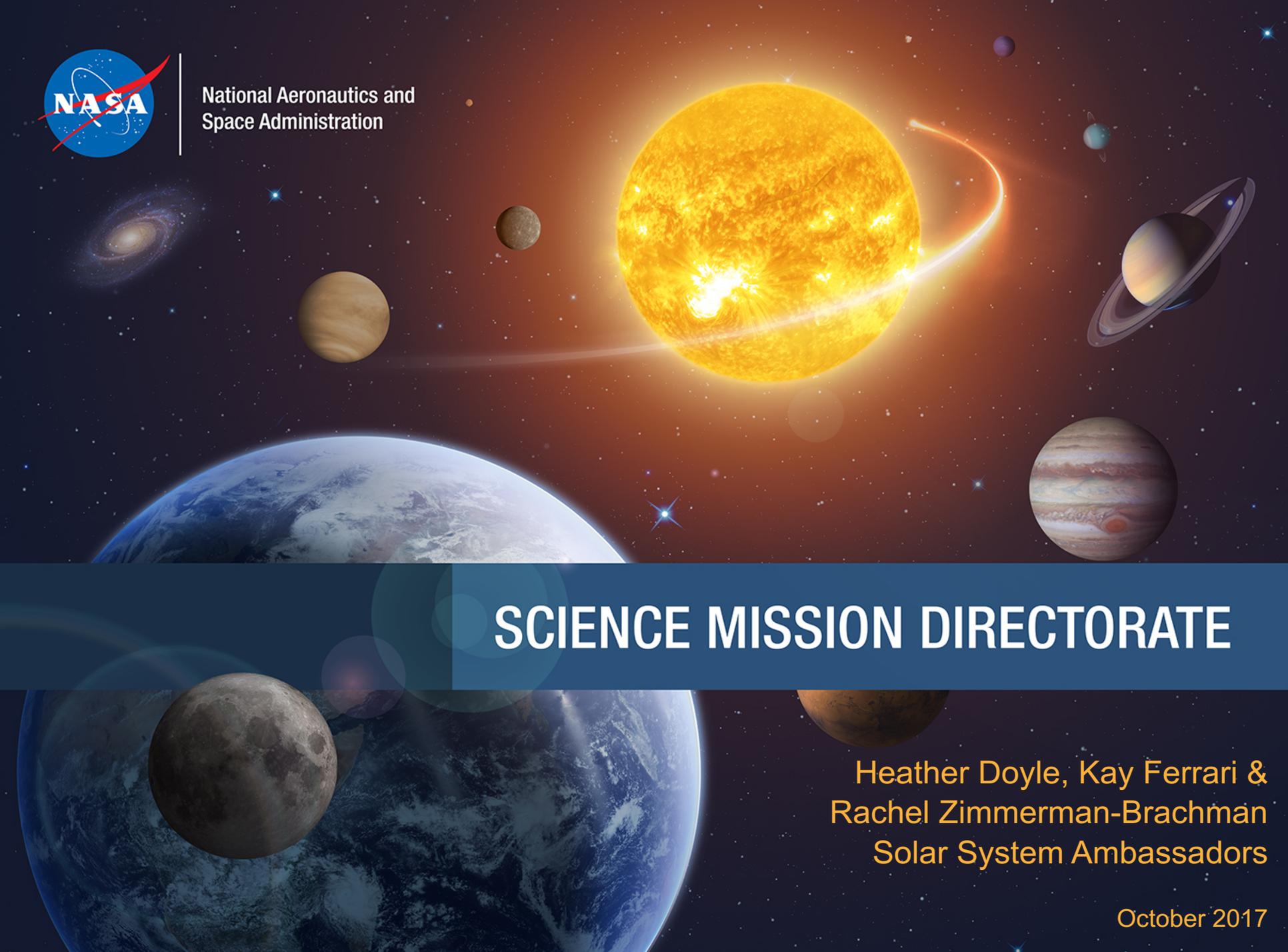




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A vibrant illustration of the solar system. The Sun is a large, bright yellow-orange sphere in the center. A glowing orange ring represents the ecliptic plane. Various planets are shown: Mercury, Venus, Earth (with the Moon in the foreground), Mars, Jupiter, Saturn (with its rings), Uranus, and Neptune. A spiral galaxy is visible in the upper left, and numerous stars are scattered in the dark background.

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Solar System Ambassador and Meteorologist Secures ISS Downlink



Meteorologist Guillermo Quiroz helps the program connect with a larger diverse audience. Since he became an SSA in Jan 2017, he has hosted 32 events reaching 4,622 participants directly and millions via his broadcasts.

- Most recently Guillermo helped Para Los Niños (an LA education nonprofit) to secure an ISS DOWNLINK currently scheduled for Jan 24, 2018. Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti and the President pro Tempore of the California State Senate Kevin de León are scheduled to attend. Univision will broadcast the downlink partnering with affiliates across the US.
- On top of his NASA news updates, Guillermo aired a two-part story in May 2017 featuring Latinos who are helping to build the next Orion capsule.
- Guillermo also visits schools in Los Angeles to inspire underserved youth.

