

Beyond Earth

Strategies for Long-Term Human Survival

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Earth is not a safe place. Geological and paleontological evidence indicates that life on Earth has been punctuated by several mass extinctions caused by hazards both local (ice ages, volcanoes) and external (comet or asteroid hits). To optimize our chances of long-term survival (millions of years), we must colonize the solar system and then spread across the Galaxy. This talk will describe a plausible strategy that does not depend on finding Earth-like planets around other stars.

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