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★ **PUBLIC LECTURE** ★



Prof. Anil Bhardwaj

Distinguished Professor & Director, PRL

**Space Exploration:
Challenges, Discoveries
and Opportunities**



**17 August 2026
(Monday)**

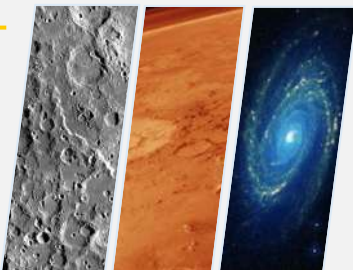
5:00 – 6:30 PM



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★ **ABOUT THE SPEAKER** ★

Prof. Anil Bhardwaj is the Director of the Physical Research Laboratory (PRL), Ahmedabad. He is a distinguished space scientist with expertise in planetary and space sciences and has contributed significantly to all the planetary missions of India. He is a Fellow of all the three National Science Academies of India and is also a recipient of the Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar Prize and the Infosys Prize.



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