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Would you like to help drive the research
needed for an interstellar future...
...and get the interstellar message to all
humanity?**

"The open road still softly calls, like a nearly forgotten song of childhood. We invest far-off places with a certain romance. This appeal, I suspect, has been meticulously crafted by natural selection as an essential element in our survival ... Catastrophic events have a way of sneaking up on us, of catching us unaware. Your own life, or your band's, or even your species' might be owed to a restless few - drawn, by a craving they can hardly articulate or understand, to undiscovered lands and new worlds."

Carl Sagan

If you like what you see in Principium, and want to help us do more, please consider becoming a member.

i4is was founded in 2012 and incorporated in both UK and USA in 2014. More than a decade on, we're making great strides in our technical research, education and outreach programmes. We are now recognised as a leading organisation in interstellar studies with worldwide activity and support. Try a Google Scholar search - i4is interstellar - for just a sample of our technical and scientific work. The core team and our members are a growing community of enthusiasts who are passionate about taking the first steps beyond our solar system. Our ambitions are high, but to achieve them we need your support. The best way you can support our mission is to become a subscribing member. If you wish, and you have the time, we would love you to get actively involved with our projects. But we appreciate that not everyone who shares our

interstellar vision can do this. Becoming a member is a great way to show your support and help us expand our activities. And it's not just about rockets and starships. Interstellar Studies raises questions about the place of our species in the universe, the nature of that universe and even fundamental questions about the nature of humanity.

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- videos of i4is lectures and presentations;
- member-only talks on interstellar topics;
- early access to selected Principium articles before public release;
- regular newsletters keeping you up to date with the latest interstellar news; and
- corporate publications, including our annual report.

More details of the benefits of membership are on the i4is members' page, also in this issue of Principium. If you would like to join, please go to i4is.org/membership.

**Join i4is and help us build our way to the Stars!
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