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# RIT professor will be part of NASA team for SPHEREx



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Zemcov's primary role will be to help design the instrument and prepare the data pipeline for when the SPHEREx spacecraft begins making observations.

"This is exciting for me, I think," said Zemcov. "I've very interested professionally in this idea of what would have been the very early moments of the universe like and what can we learn about them using observations of the earth we've found around us today."

The SPHEREx spacecraft is expected to launch in 2023.

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