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### ***Dava Sobel Book Signing Event***

Dava will be promoting her latest book, *The Planets*, in a book signing event hosted by the Amateur Observers Society (AOS).

**Where:** Nassau Community College, Building F, Room 123;

**When:** Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 PM;

### ***Big Bang - Music and Astronomy***

Count backward to the beginning of everything!

Come see the first of its kind: the synergy of music, astronomy and physics with the Big Bang as its theme! Inspired by composer Patrick Grant, this event will combine live ensemble music with cutting edge technology in sound and imagery. Narration will be by Dr. Charles Liu, staff astronomer and research fellow at the College of Staten Island and The American Museum of Natural History.

**Where:** The Graduate Center of the City University of New York  
365 Fifth Avenue at 34th Street  
New York, NY

**When:** Monday, May 15, 6:00 PM

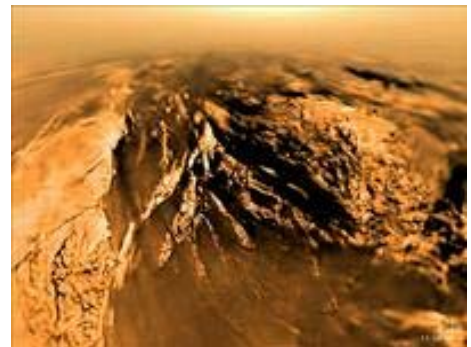
Please reserve your free seat in advance by phone or email: (212) 817-8215 or [continuinged@gc.cuny.edu](mailto:continuinged@gc.cuny.edu) . Event info: [aklein@gc.cuny.edu](mailto:aklein@gc.cuny.edu) or (212) 817-7522.

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### ***New Movies from Titan!***

NASA and Partners Release New Movies of Titan  
May 4, 2006

New views of the most distant touchdown ever made by a spacecraft are being released today by NASA, the European Space Agency and the University of Arizona. The movies show the dramatic descent of the Huygens probe to the surface of Saturn's moon, Titan, on Jan. 14, 2005. Please visit <http://saturn.jpl.nasa.gov/news/press-release-details.cfm?newsID=655> for further details.



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