

JSC/EC5 U.S. Spacesuit Knowledge Capture (KC) Series Synopsis

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This synopsis provides information about the Knowledge Capture event below.

Topic: Interview with Smithsonian NASM Spacesuit Curator Dr. Cathleen Lewis

Date: May 14, 2012 **Time:** Unknown **Location:** JSC/B5S/R3102

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This is a link to all lecture material and video: <\\js-ea-fs-01\pd01\EC\Knowledge-Capture\FY12 Knowledge Capture\20120514 Lewis-Wright Interview\For 1676 Review and Public Release>

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Presenters: Cathleen Lewis and Rebecca Wright

Synopsis: Dr. Cathleen Lewis was interviewed by Rebecca Wright during the presentation of an "Interview with Smithsonian NASM Spacesuit Curator Dr. Cathleen Lewis" on May 14, 2012. Topics included the care, size, and history of the spacesuit collection at the Smithsonian and the recent move to the state-of-the-art permanent storage facility at the Udvar-Hazy facility in Virginia.

Biographies: Dr. Cathleen Lewis is the curator of the spacesuit collection at the Smithsonian Institution, National Air and Space Museum (NASM).

Rebecca Wright serves as the coordinator for the NASA JSC History Office, responsible for the overall management of the office. Her duties include community outreach, history Web sites, publication efforts, oral history, research staff and resources. As an oral historian for the space agency, she has interviewed approximately 350 individuals since 1997 for numerous projects. She recently completed work as co-editor of NASA at 50, a book released by the NASA Headquarters History Office. She is currently facilitating a pictorial history publication effort titled, Johnson Space Center: The First Fifty Years.

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