



“The James Webb Space Telescope: An Amazing First Year”

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We will explore the amazing first year of NASA's latest great observatory—the James Webb Space Telescope (JWST). We will discuss the scientific discoveries and breakthroughs that have been made to date.



This HANK Talk will be in-person in the James F. Veninga Theater in the UW Center for Civic Engagement on the UW-Stevens Point at Wausau campus and streamed live on the [Lecture & Arts YouTube Live](#) channel.

The archived Talk (and the entire series) will be accessible from the UW-Stevens Point at Wausau [Lecture & Arts](#) webpage.

Aaron Steffen is a native of Sheboygan, Wisconsin. He received a B.S. degree in Physics and Mathematics from UW-Eau Claire and his M.S. and Ph.D. in Astronomy from UW-Madison. Before moving into teaching, he worked as a postdoctoral research scientist at both Penn State and NASA's Spitzer Science Center (located on Caltech's campus). He is interested in understanding the multi-wavelength properties and evolution of super-massive black holes in the centers of galaxies.