



Major General Joe Engle is the only person to fly both the X-15 rocket plane and the Space Shuttle. He broke the sound barrier 16 times in the X-15, and in 1965 he became the youngest person to receive his astronaut wings. Twelve years later, he commanded the second test flight of the shuttle Enterprise as it was dropped from 25,000 feet by a Boeing 747. He went on to command STS-2 and STS-51L, clocking a total of 224 hours in space.

Please join us in the NASA Auditorium as General Engle shares his extraordinary experiences and lessons learned from the X-15 program as they applied to the development of the Space Shuttle Program. In addition to being broadcast live across all NASA centers, this event will be recorded as a NASA TV special feature and will be broadcast on educational and public channels.

Major General Joe Engle
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10:00 a.m. – noon
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