

Astronomy plays a powerful role in supporting sustainable development, not only through scientific discoveries but also by inspiring education, innovation, and community engagement. By using astronomical tools and knowledge, we can help develop critical thinking skills, promote STEM learning, and support problem-solving approaches that benefit society.

I believe that integrating astronomy into development efforts can strengthen local capacities, encourage curiosity among young learners, and provide new opportunities in technology and research. This course is helping me understand how astronomy can be applied to real-world challenges, and I look forward to learning more from the experiences and ideas shared by others in this discussion.