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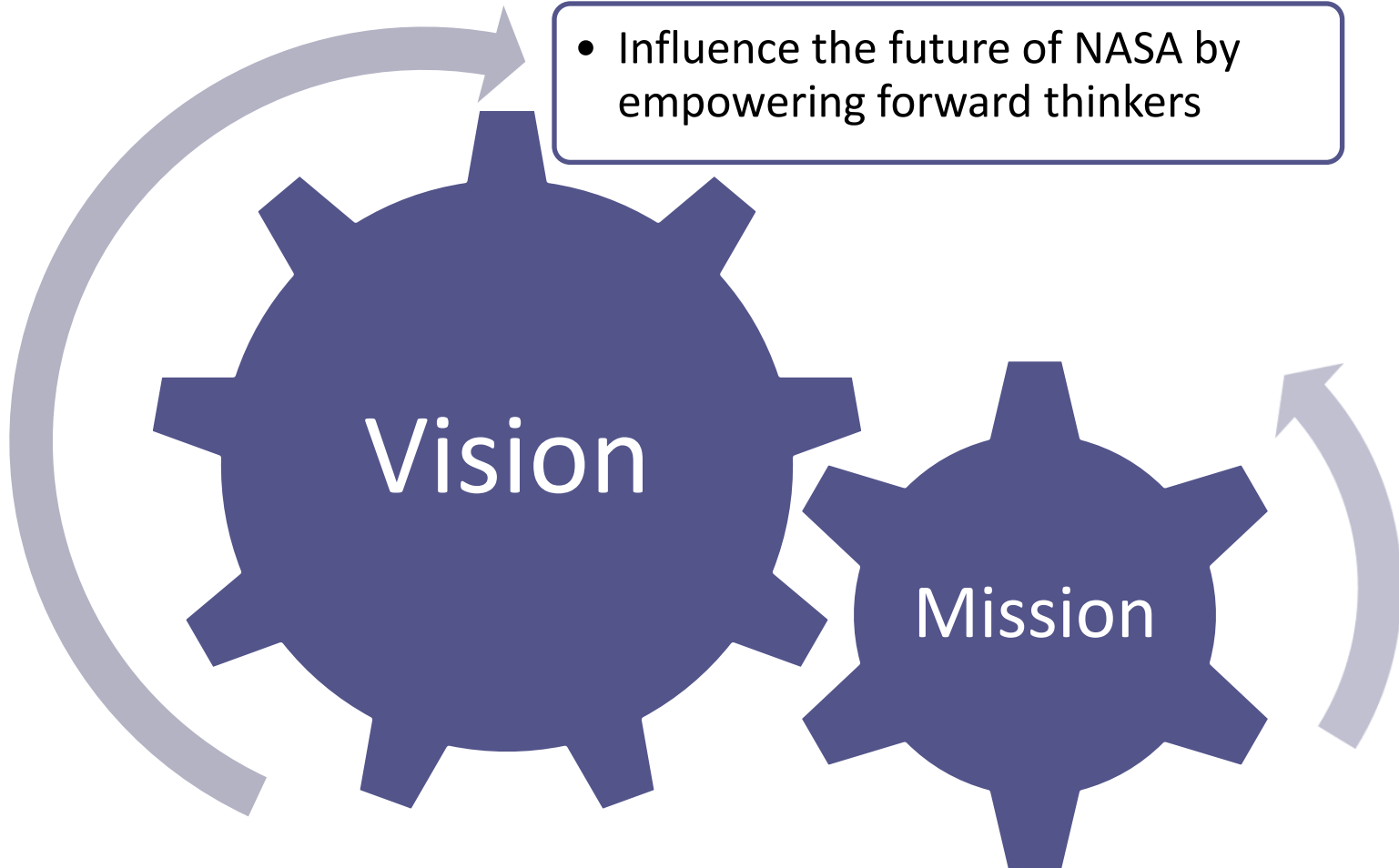
NASA FORWARD

Building networks for NASA's future

WE SAW NEEDS...



OUR IDENTITY



- Influence the future of NASA by empowering forward thinkers

- Create opportunities for establishing networks
- Overcome institutional barriers
- Serve as a resource to each other



EARLY INITIATIVES

Face-to-Face
Workshops

- TEDxNASA
- PM Challenge

NASA
Forward
Maker Camps



Future NASA
Project



WHAT NEXT?

Young professionals at NASA need a “gravity assist” to make it through this *period of uncertainty*.

We need your wisdom and experience.



BRIDGING TODAY TO TOMORROW



Storytelling

- Tell us the “Why?” so we can understand the context

Integrative Thinking

- Teach us how what we do fits in the big picture

Participation

- Share young professionals insight into NASA projects & planning that we’ll be expected to carry forward

IDEAS FOR UPCOMING PROJECTS

Virtual “Big Picture” Workshops

- Space policy and government affairs
- Advanced planning & strategy
- How to make a development roadmap

Case study groups

- Facilitated, local groups that meet at least monthly
- Bring in the practitioners when possible

Systems Architecture Camp

- Interdisciplinary training camp
- Teach the fundamentals of systems architecting through participatory exercises, challenges



WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER

NASA Forward exists to create connections across the agency, across disciplines, & across the generations.

This is to develop professional networks that will better serve NASA in the future and help everyone see the big picture.

We ask not what NASA can do for us, but what we can do for NASA.

