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**Ever since the first Sputnik moment, the space race has been dominated by warring super powers. Yet space has also led to a détente between the same two parties starting publicly from the historic 1975 Apollo–Soyuz docking that has led to decades of scientific collaborations in space even as relationships heated, cooled, reheated and cooled again. This talk aims to outline how space research has been instrumental in the relationships between Russia and the US, and how that relationship has dictated the direction of treaties and laws, with much of the relevant space law created as a direct response of this inherent hostility. This talk will range from space warfare, to space research to emerging environmental issues.**

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