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Space missions consolidate UAE's position as a space tech destination

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The UAE mission to explore Venus and the asteroid belt is a milestone that will "attract local and regional investments as well as talents specialised in advanced technology and space industries to the country.

This was underlined by Sarah Al Amiri, Minister of State for Advanced Technology and President of the UAE Space Agency,



■ Minister of State for Advanced Technology Sarah Al Amiri with other participants at the third virtual session yesterday.

during the third virtual session yesterday, following the announcement of the Projects of the 50. Al Amiri noted the space

mission will "consolidate the UAE's position as a destination for promising emerging projects in space technologies".

The latest space mission was launched by the UAE on October 5, as part of the "Projects of the 50", the new national agenda that establishes a new development cycle in various economic sectors. Improving quality of life

During the online session, Al Amiri stressed the importance of the new project in sustaining the growth of the space sector in the wider GCC region. She added space technologies and sciences generated by engineers and will contribute to improving the quality of life in future cities and societies around the world.

Al Amiri also commended the efforts of the Kingdom of Bahrain in empowering young talent and emerging projects in advanced technology sectors for the space sector.