



## The Privatization of Space Exploration: Business, Technology, Law and Policy

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Transaction Publishers. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 128 pages. Dimensions: 8.9in. x 5.9in. x 0.4in. Space was at the center of Americas imagination in the 1960s. President John F. Kennedys visionary statement captured the mood of the day: We choose to go to the moon in this decade and do the other things, not because they are easy, but because they are hard. The Apollo missions success in July 1969 made almost anything seem possible, but the Cold War made space flight the province of governmental agencies in the United States. When the Apollo program ended in 1972, space lost its hold on the public interest, as the great achievements wound down. Entrepreneurs are beginning to pick up the slack looking for safer, more reliable, and more cost effective ways of exploring space. Entrepreneurial activity may make create a renaissance in human spaceflight. The private sector can energize the quest for space exploration and shape the race for the final frontier. Space entrepreneurs and private sector firms are making significant innovations in space travel. They have plans for future tourism in space and safer shuttles. Solomon details current US and international laws dealing with space use, settlement, and exploration, and offers policy...



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