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▶ **Second Indian to go into space after Rakesh Sharma (1984)**
Shubhanshu Shukla

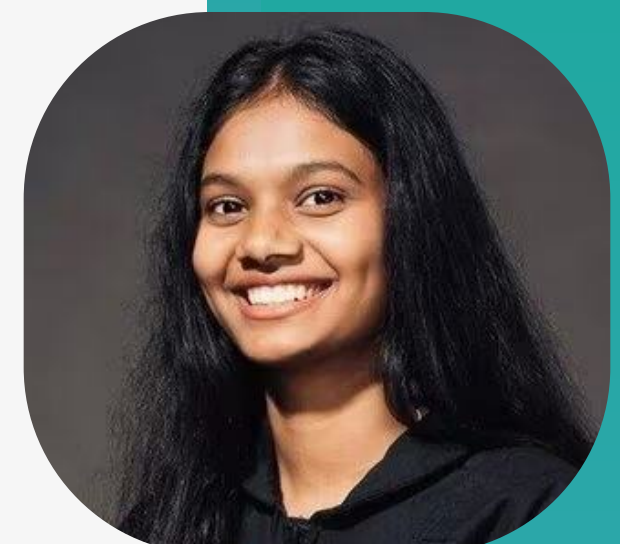
- Shubhanshu Shukla also became the first Indian to go to the International Space Station (ISS).
- Shubhanshu Shukla went into space as part of the Axiom-4 mission.
- Axiom-4 is a joint mission between NASA, ISRO, and private company Axiom Space.
- NASA astronauts Peggy Wittson, Tibor Kapu (Hungary), and Sławosz Uznanski-Wisniewski (Poland) are among the other astronauts on the Axiom-4 mission.



Shubhanshu Shukla



▶ **Indian woman selected as Astronaut Candidate (ASCAN) for future space missions by US-based private agency Titan Space Industries**
Dangeti Jahnavi



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▶ **The scheme launched by the Kerala government to improve the housing conditions of plantation workers**
Layam Housing Scheme

▶ **Indian hockey player who announced his retirement from international hockey in June 2025**
Lalit Kumar Upadhyay

- Lalit was a member of the Indian team that won the Olympic bronze medal twice. The Indian team that Lalit was part of won the bronze medal at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics and the 2024 Paris Olympics.



Lalit Kumar Upadhyay

▶ **Venue for the 2025 Khelo India University Games**
Jaipur, Rajasthan

- Fifth edition of the Khelo India University Games

