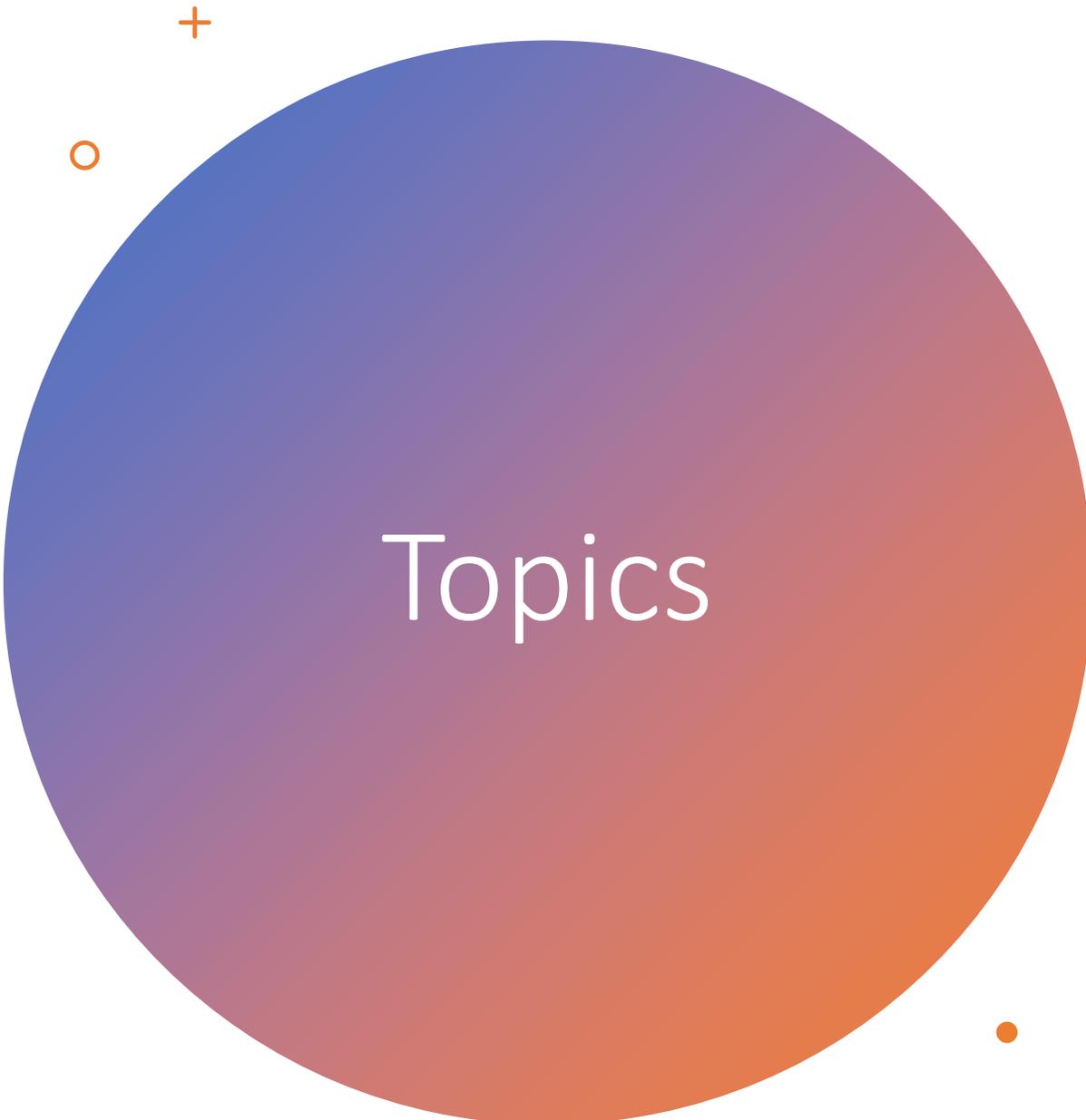


Fermi Paradox

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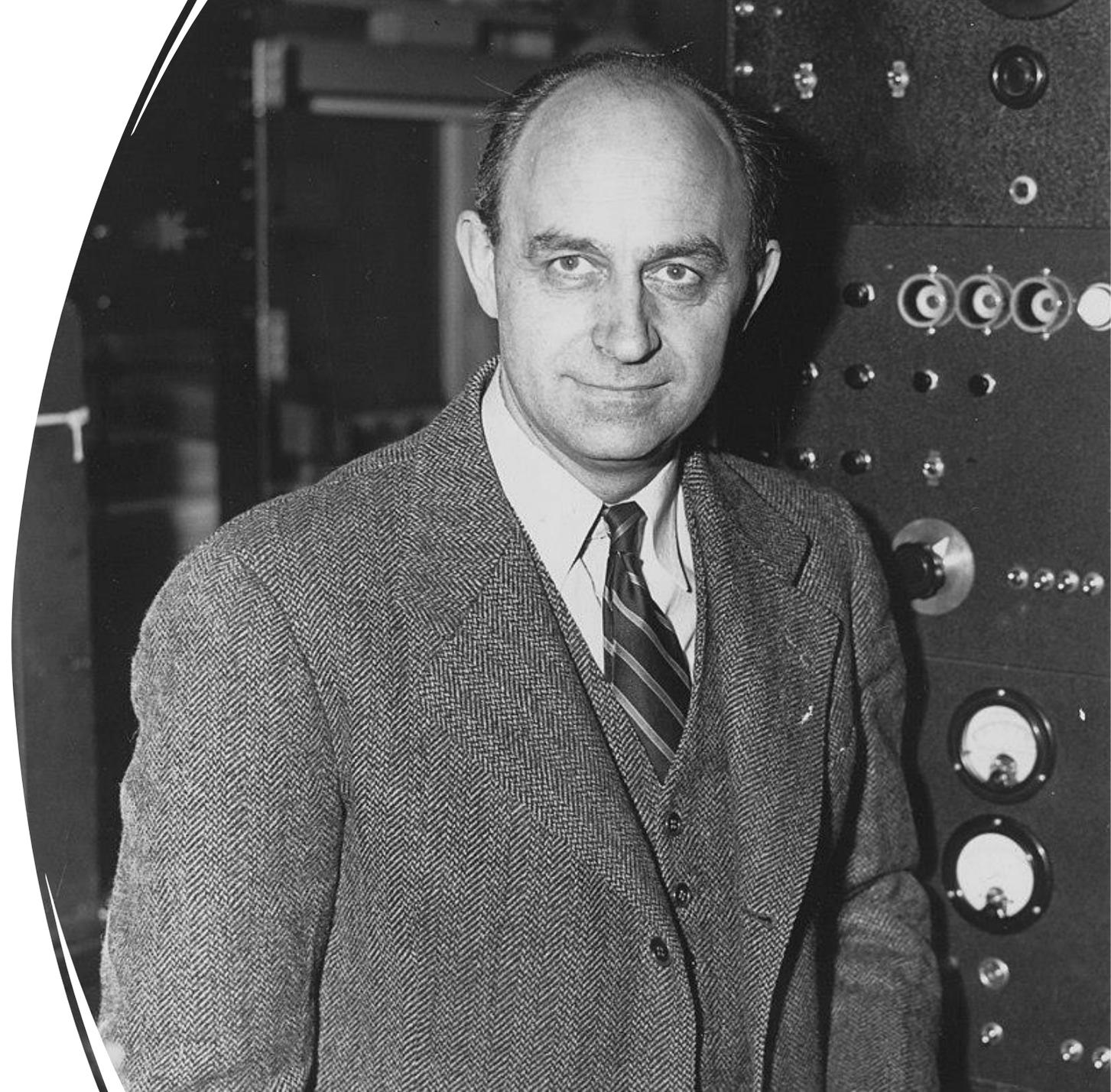


Topics

- **Fermi parakdoks**
- **Ievads šajā tēmā – Recenzija «“Where are they?”: SETI and modern science fiction»**
- **Milan Cirkovic Grāmata - «The Great Silence»**
- **Tālāks skats**

Fermi paradox

- 1951. Fermi lunch with Edward Teller, Herbert York and Emil Konopinski reportedly said "But where is everybody?"
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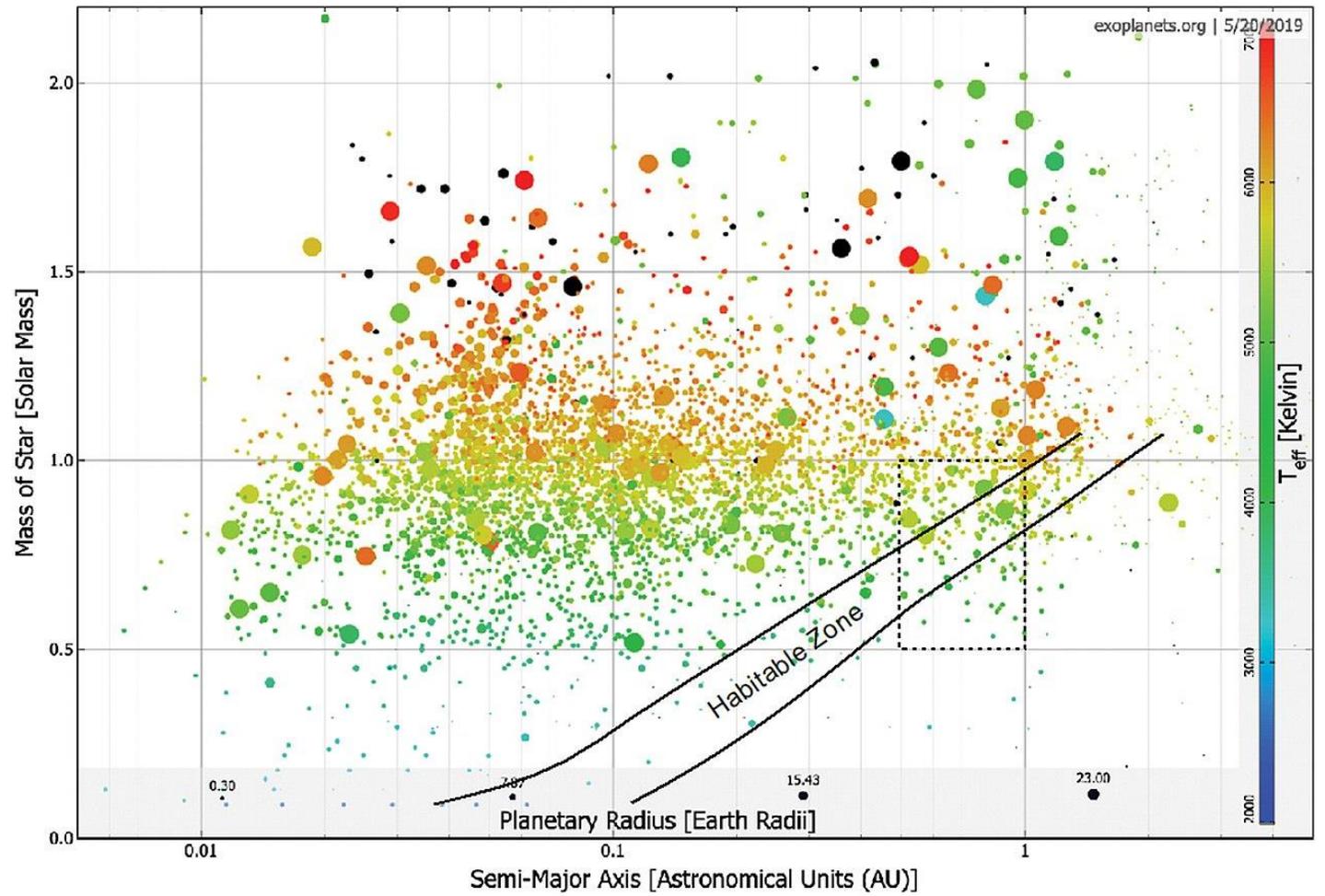


Drake equation

$$N = R \times f_s \times f_p \times n_e \times f_l \times f_i \times f_c \times L$$

- R average rate of star formation
- f_s fraction of good stars that have planetary systems
- n_e number of planets around these stars within an “ecoshell”
- f_l fraction of those planets where life develops
- f_i fraction of living species that develop intelligence
- f_c fraction of intelligent species with communications technology

Known 4500
exoplanets





300 million Habitable planets in Milky Way

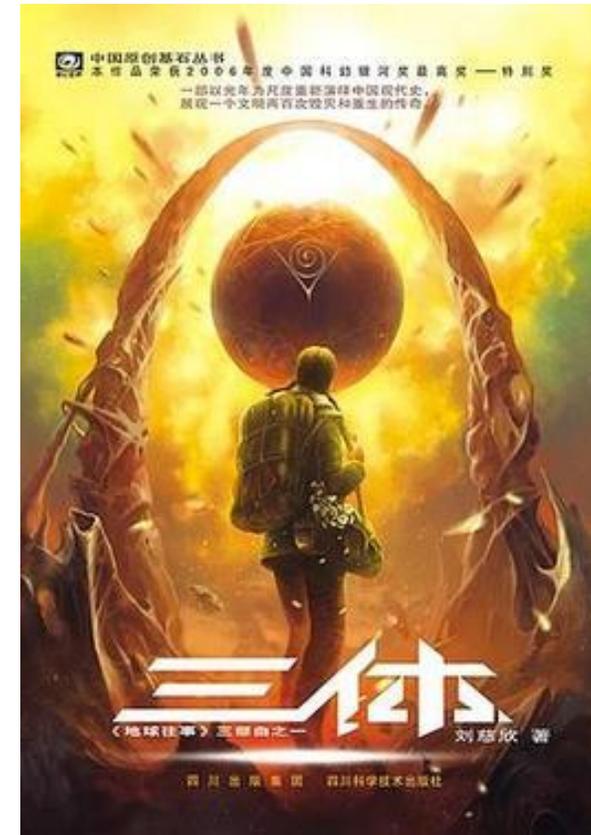
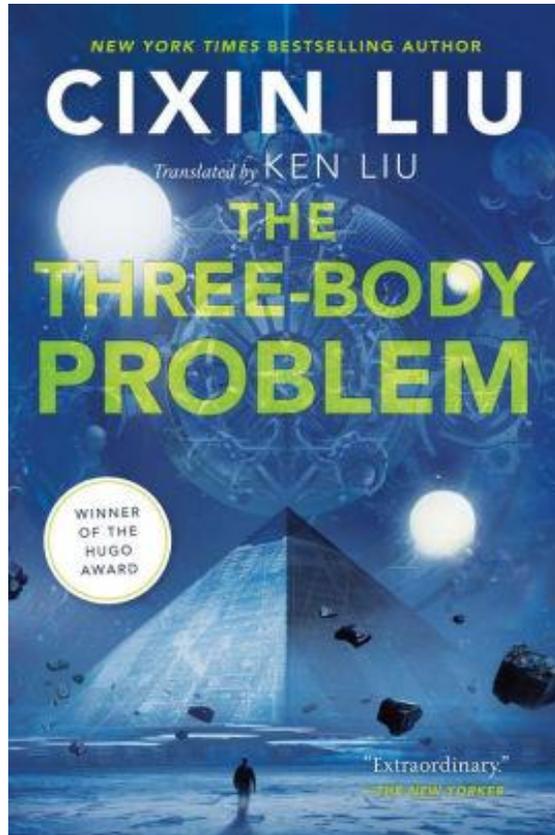
- "The Occurrence of Rocky Habitable Zone Planets Around Solar-Like Stars from Kepler Data" <https://arxiv.org/abs/2010.14812>
- "We present occurrence rates for rocky planets in the habitable zones (HZ) of main-sequence dwarf stars based on the Kepler DR25 planet candidate catalog and Gaia-based stellar properties. We provide the first analysis in terms of star-dependent instellation flux, which allows us to track HZ planets. We define η_{\oplus} as the HZ occurrence of planets with radius between 0.5 and $1.5 R_{\oplus}$ orbiting stars with effective temperatures between 4800 K and 6300 K. We find that η_{\oplus} for the conservative HZ is between $0.37+0.48-0.21$ (errors reflect 68% credible intervals) and $0.60+0.90-0.36$ planets per star, while the optimistic HZ occurrence is between $0.58+0.73-0.33$ and $0.88+1.28-0.51$ planets per star. These bounds reflect two extreme assumptions about the extrapolation of completeness beyond orbital periods where DR25 completeness data are available. The large uncertainties are due to the small number of detected small HZ planets. We find similar occurrence rates using both a Poisson likelihood Bayesian analysis and Approximate Bayesian Computation. Our results are corrected for catalog completeness and reliability. Both completeness and the planet occurrence rate are dependent on stellar effective temperature. We also present occurrence rates for various stellar populations and planet size ranges. We estimate with 95% confidence that, on average, the nearest HZ planet around G and K dwarfs is about 6 pc away, and there are about 4 HZ rocky planets around G and K dwarfs within 10 pc of the Sun."

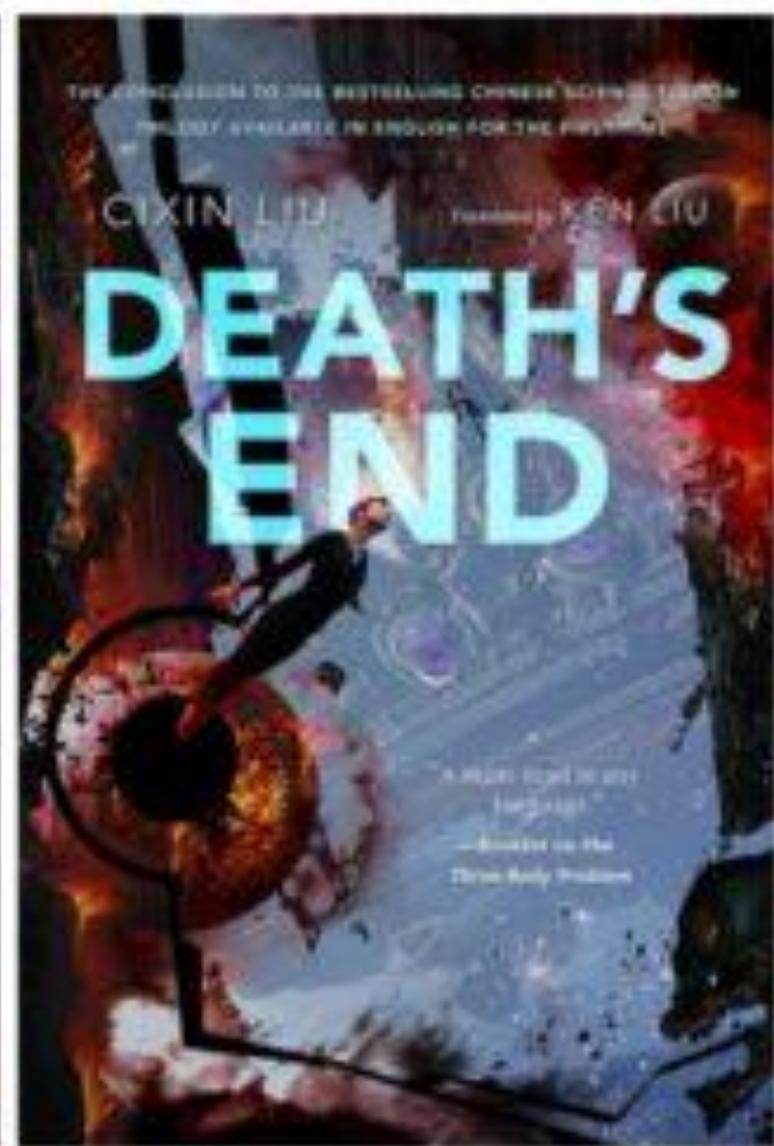
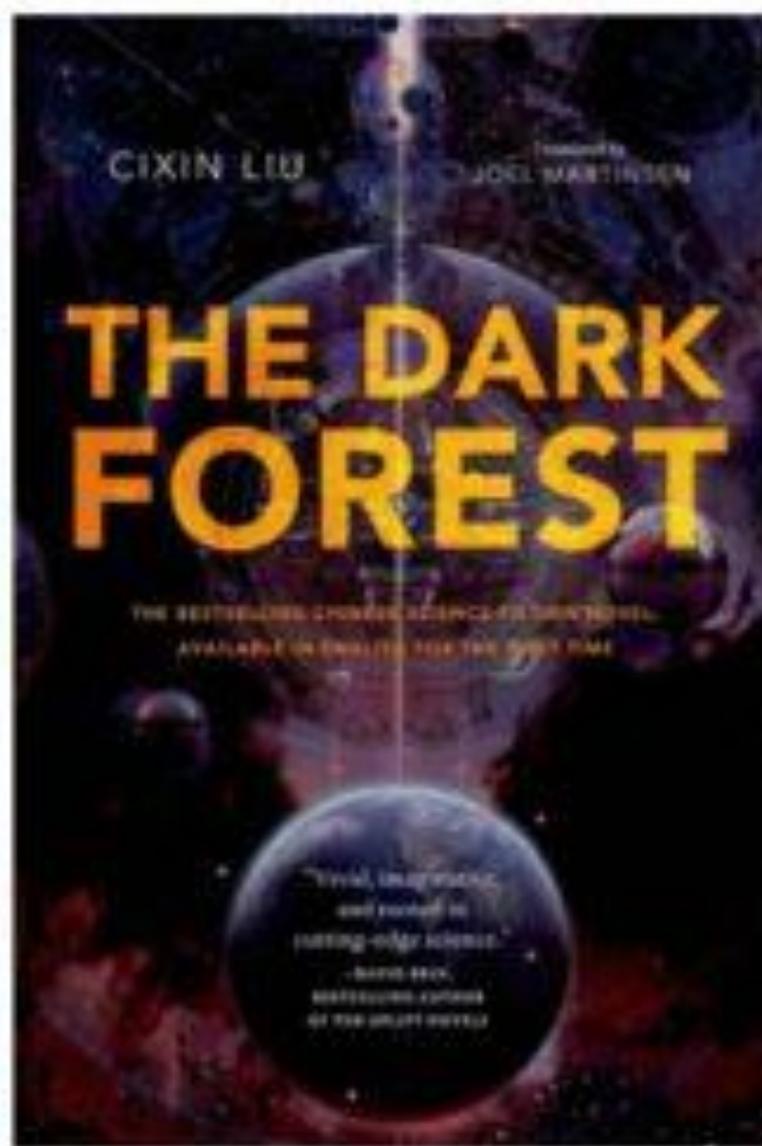
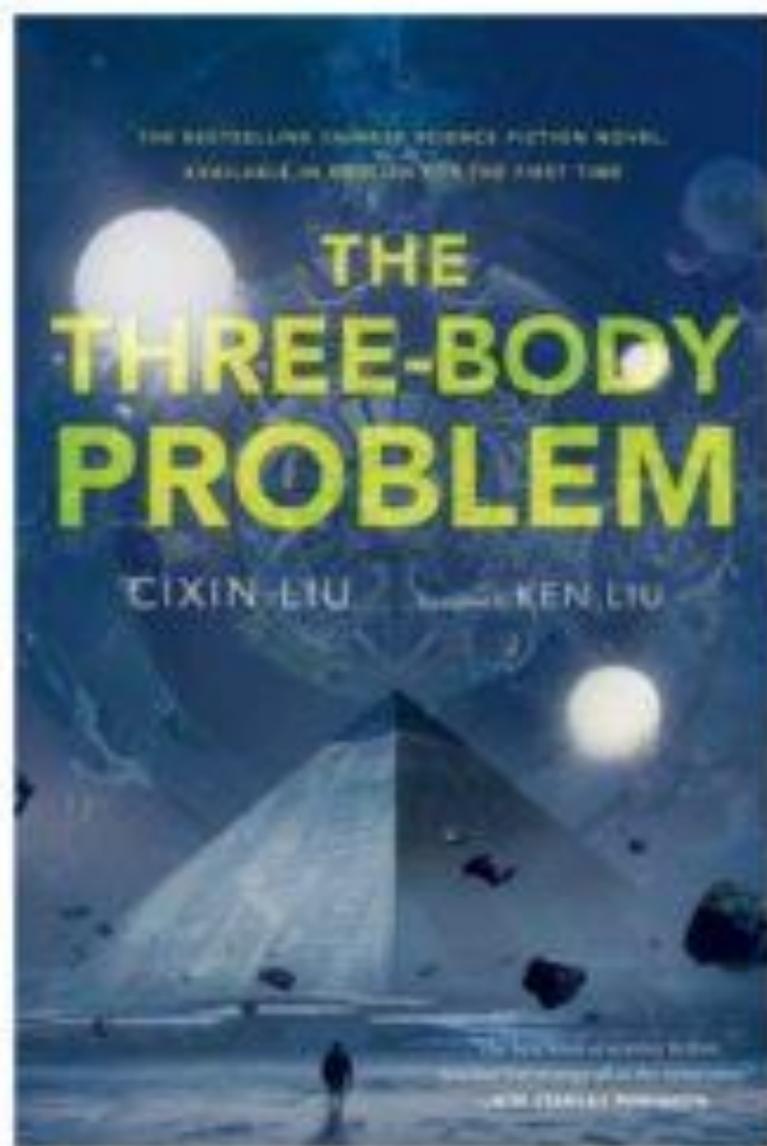
“Where are they?”: SETI and modern science fiction

- V. Beldavs, Review of Cixin Liu, “The Three-Body problem” , [The Space Review: “Where are they?”: SETI and modern science fiction](#)



English & Chinese





- Milan Čirković asked that I review his book
- Analyzes over 75 attempts at resolving the paradox and classifies them.
- The book is dense and well-written. Comparable in many ways to *Goedel, Escher, Bach* by Douglas Hofstadter

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THE GREAT SILENCE

*Science and Philosophy
of Fermi's Paradox*

Astrophysics, astrobiology postbiological evolution

- A catalog of solutions, without comparative analysis.
- http://alpha.sinp.msu.ru/~panov/webb_s_if_the_universe_is_teeming_with.aliens_where_is_every.pdf

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If the Universe Is Teeming with Aliens ... Where Is Everybody?

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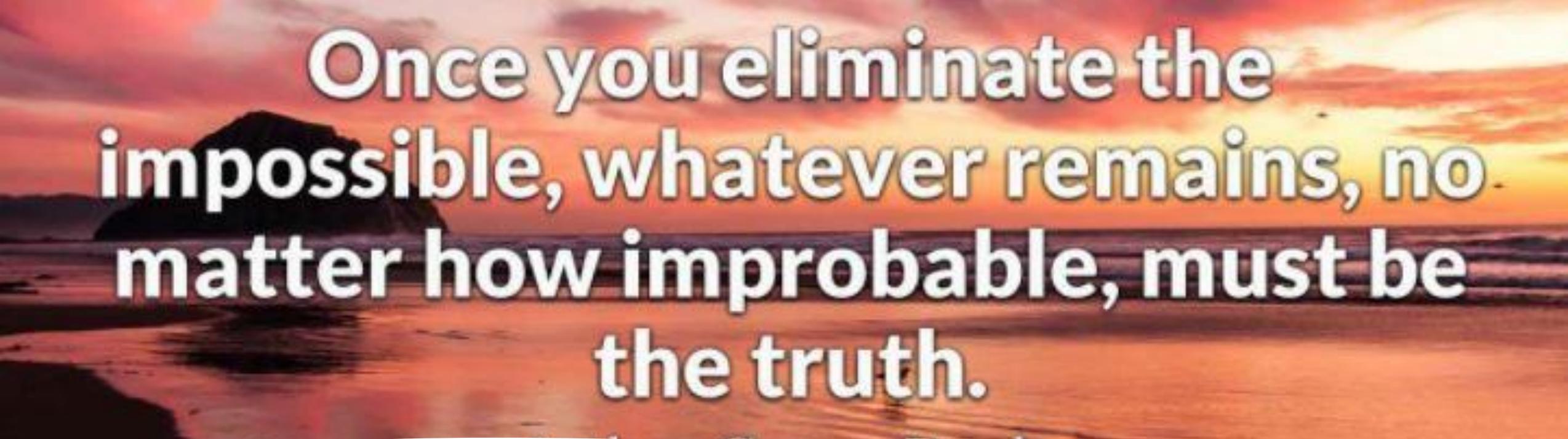
*With a Foreword by
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Copernicanism

- The Earth is not the center of the Solar System and the Solar System is not the center of the universe.





Once you eliminate the impossible, whatever remains, no matter how improbable, must be the truth.

The Noosphere Species Theory
(www.Werbos.com/religions.htm)

- Like noosphere theory deChardin/Verdansky but:
 - Origin in evolution of noospheres in cosmos is necessary for logical completeness as a scientific theory
 - Fits how our solar/earth noosphere “is a baby” (Terry not Gaia)

Thank you!
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