

# Re: Barack Obama Pits Space Explorers Against School Children

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On Dec 4, 12:03 pm, simberg.interglo...@xxxxxxxxxx (Rand Simberg) wrote:

On Tue, 4 Dec 2007 08:47:23 -0800 (PST), in a place far, far away, Eric Chomko <[pne.cho...@xxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:pne.cho...@xxxxxxxxxxxx)> made the phosphor on my monitor glow in such a way as to indicate that:

An engineer who is any good works things out. 90% of the world's population lives on 10% of the land surface. It takes far less mass to support a desert with SSP than it does to build an O'Neill colony. This is obvious to any engineer. You are clearly not an engineer.

That doesn't seem so clear to the many people who have hired me to do engineering.

I just got a shudder at the thought of that. So many it would seem that you change jobs a lot.

Yes, that's what consultants do, you moron.

Many "consultants" are corporate failures. You used to work in the corporate world now you have found enough fools to hire you as yourself. Amazing!

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You seem to lack any kind of scientific understanding.

I only "seem" that way to loons.

You keep using that line as your affirmation and see how the number of loons keeps growing.

Not very fast. The biggest problem is that the loon/useful poster ratio has increased dramatically here over the past few years.

Yes and your number of posts has been increasing, so by your own admission you've been adding to the fodder.

Too bad your blog sucks, as you tend to spend a lot of time here rather than there.

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