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# **Chile, the World Capital of Astronomy**

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## **Abstract**

A brief description of Chile and its advantages related to astronomy are introduced in the first part, altogether with a non-exhaustive list of astronomical projects in Chile. Also, an update on the current status of the Leighton Chajnantor Telescope is presented. The second part introduces the Astroengineering group at the Universidad Austral de Chile, its ongoing projects and describes its collaboration with CUHK and other institutions.