

## **Badger Visit to NASA/JPL**

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Badger Explorer ([www.badger.no](http://www.badger.no)) visited NASA / JPL, September 22, 2010 to learn more about NASA/JPL. The visit included meetings and a tour.

This was a return visit. Dr. Tara Estlin, NASA / JPL met in August, together with ARENA IO and SIMTANO, several companies in the Stavanger/Sandnes region. Badger was one of those. The purpose of those meetings was to show NASA/JPL that the region has a number of exciting technology companies, and that some of those have the potential of becoming collaboration partners.

The visit was organized by SIMTANO.



*The picture shows (from right), Kjell Erik Drevdal, Kjell Markman from Badger, and Dr. Khaled Ali from NASA/JPL. It was taken during the tour of NASA/JPL, and it shows the three of them looking down at the final preparations of the Mars Science Laboratory (MSL) robot (<http://mars.jpl.nasa.gov/msl/>) in the "high-bay". MSL is*

*planned launched, November 25, 2011. Picture @SIMTANO, 2010*