

dr Elizabeth Rose Mercer (USA) studied master of chemistry at the University of Antwerp, and did her PhD in our group from 2021 till 2025, on  $CO_2$  (and  $CH_4$ ) conversion in microwave plasma reactors, including the effect of dual injection (reactive quenching by  $CH_4$ ), and gas preheating, as well as the combined  $CO_2$  and  $N_2$  fixation for conditions mimicking Martian atmosphere, to investigate in-situ resource utilisation. She will stay a few more months in our group as postdoc.