



“Master of the Galaxy” crowdfunding campaign to launch on July 18th

The campaign to fund the 4X board game of galactic conquest, a joint project of Ares Games and Igrology, will run on Kickstarter for three weeks. Watch the video



July 4, 2017 – [Ares Games](#) and [Igrology](#) unveil the dates of the Kickstarter campaign to fund “Master of the Galaxy”, a 4X board game (eXplore, eXpand, eXploit, eXterminate) of galactic conquest. The project will launch on July 18th, 2017, ending on August 11th – click [here](#) to watch the teaser trailer. The game is due to release in 1st quarter of 2018.

In “Master of the Galaxy”, nine Elder Races are expanding through space, ready to assimilate or exterminate anybody who stands in their way. Players are challenged to conquer the Galaxy, starting with one star system, one Species card and a modest supply of resources. Using at its core a “bag-building” mechanic, players will collect new resources to fuel their expansion and development to suit their strategy. Players can choose different ways to dominate the Galaxy - trying to quickly spread their people across the stars, developing science to a level unreachable by the opponents, or embarking themselves on a methodical extermination of the rivals.



Inspired by classic science-fiction, movies, and computer games, *Master of the Galaxy* uses a unique and innovative blend of bag-building, card-drafting and tech-tree development mechanics, in a colorful setting. Two to four players can play, and a complete game requires 30 to 45 minutes per player. The game can be tried in a digital version available on [Tabletopia](#), and the first [video preview](#) of the game was already published on Marco Wargame YouTube channel.

For more information about *Master of the Galaxy* and the Kickstarter campaign, stay tuned on the game’s page on Facebook - www.facebook.com/masterofthegalaxy/.

About Ares Games

Ares Games is an Italian board game publisher established in 2011 to create quality hobby products for the international audience. Ares Games is the publisher of the award-winning "War of the Ring" board game, of "Wings of Glory" range of airplane combat games and miniatures, recreating aerial warfare in WW1 and WW2, and more recently, of the award-winning tactical ship-to-ship miniature game “Sails of Glory,” and the cooperative tactical Sci-Fi miniatures game “Galaxy Defenders.” Ares Games’ catalog also includes Family & Card Games and Euro & Thematic Games. For further information, visit the website www.aresgames.eu and the Facebook page - <https://www.facebook.com/AresGames>.

About Igrology



[Igrology](#) is a Russian publisher founded in 2007. The company has published 32 board games so far and many of them become bestsellers in Russia. The next logical step is international expansion. In addition to the games, Igrology has launched several other projects aimed at making board games more popular - among them the digital platform for board games [Tabletopia](#) and the main database and community for board games in Russia, [Tesera](#) .

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