

Proposal for Forming an IAA Study Group : S 6.2

Title of Study:

Education in Space / Space in Education

Proposer(s):

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Primary IAA Commission Preference:

(From Commission 1 to Commission 6)

Secondary IAA Commission Interests:

(From Commission 1 to Commission 6)

Members of Study Team

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Short Description of Scope of Study**Overall Goal:**

Support the implementation of the recommendation of UNISPACE III regarding education, prepare a position paper of the IAA on Space and Education; education in space and roles of space and space related activities in education.

Intermediate Goals:

- 1) present an overview of education in space in the world.
- 2) develop a first analysis of what space brings into education.

Methodology:

Meeting of the Study Group to structure the study (implies first the agreement of proposed members to contribute). Analysis of existing bibliography and past experiences – literature survey. Enquiries to complete the literature survey. Workshops to develop lessons learned and findings. Joint IAA/IAF conference / Symposium.

Time Line:

Three years

Final Product (Report, Publication, etc.):

Report leading to a position paper of the IAA.
A publication with presentations in specialized conferences.

Target Community:

Education at all levels, responsible of education, space agencies, professional societies.

Support Needed:

A secretary to support the work of the Study Group.
Financial support for the organization of workshops and meetings.

Potential Sponsors:

Space agencies, education authorities, producers and developers of space tools, space scientific community.

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Comments :

The Study Group is expected to provide progress status and final organization at the Academy Day, September 30, 2001 in Toulouse.

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