



# *SSUAS Proposal*

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- Proposal: The ISSRI will fulfill the same purpose as the SSUAS, therefore allow the SSUAS to expire after the ISSRI is established (~October 2005)
- Chartered purpose of SSUAS:
  - Assist NASA in planning and preparing for the optimum utilization of ISS for science, technology, and economic development
  - Act as an effective channel for the user communities to provide input to ISS equipment development and operational procedures and capabilities
  - Foster communication and coordination among the NASA Advisory Committees and Subcommittees relative to ISS utilization
  - Periodically review the match between developing ISS capabilities and current user requirements
  - Assist in understanding the relationship between NASA's projected research programs and plans for the evolutionary enhancement of ISS capabilities
  - Enhance the coordination of user programs across international boundaries through participation with advisory bodies from the other ISS Partners in the International Forum for the Scientific Uses of Space Station (Move to BPRAC)
  - Assist in the coordination with the ISS user communities of other US science and technology agencies.