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DEVS Integrative M&S Symposium (TMS/DEVS 2011)
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The purpose of this symposium is to provide a forum to discuss recent advancements in Theory of M&S. The main focus is on theory of modeling, methodology, practice and software to cope with the challenges arising out of these, as well as lessons learned and challenges. The Symposium bridges different areas in the field of Theory of M&S, including formal modeling, model-checking, graph transformation, modeling methodologies. Topics of interest include (but are not limited to):

- **Theory**
  - DEVS, Petri-nets, Finite state machines, time automata, process algebras, etc.
  - Hybrid system modeling and integration of formalisms
  - Formal analysis and symbolic reasoning
  - Model Checking
  - Graph Transformations
  - Activity paradigm: Complex adaptive systems, tracking, awareness

- **M&S Software**
  - M&S Software, including frameworks and libraries for DEVS, Petri Nets, Finite State Machines, Timed Automata, Process algebras etc.
  - Education aspects of Theory of M&S

- **Methodology**
  - Parallel & distributed simulators and simulations
  - Interoperability simulators (grid, web services...)
  - M&S Engineering
  - M&S-Based development methods

- **Practice and Lessons Learned**
  - Military systems and infrastructures
  - Real-time and embedded systems
  - High performance computing
  - Software-intensive/networked systems
  - Transportation and traffic systems
  - Ecological and environmental systems
  - Standards

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