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Round Robin: MBSE Patterns Working Group

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Focus of MBSE Patterns Working Group: S*Patterns



Configurable, re-usable system models:

- Models containing a certain minimal set of elements are called <u>S*Models</u> (S* is short for "Systematica").
- 2. Those underlying elements are called the S*Metamodel, which was inspired by the unmatched success of the physical sciences and impact of STEM.
- 3. S*Models using those elements may be expressed in any modeling language via formal mapping (e.g., in OMG SysML, or in other languages).
- 4. S*Models can be (have been) created and managed in many different COTS modeling tools using such diverse languages.
- 5. Re-usable, configurable S*Models are called <u>S*Patterns</u>.
- 6. By "Pattern-Based Systems Engineering" (PBSE) we mean MBSE enhanced by these generalized assets to enable model configuration from trusted patterns.
- 7. These are typically system-level patterns (models of whole managed platforms), not just smaller-scale component design patterns.



WG projects, discussed now, plus others

Patterns & Technologies:

- 1. Semantic Technologies for Systems Engineering (ST4SE) Project.
- 2. Adaptive Learning Ecosystem Pattern—the INCOSE ASELCM Reference Framework.
- 3. Universal Model Metadata Wrapper: Model Characterization Pattern (MCP), w/ASME VV Stds Cmte & V4 Inst.
- 4. S*Pattern Configuration Wizard.

Publications:

- 1. Minimal S*Models—A Primer (including S*Metamodel and its formal mappings to OMG SysML and tools)
- 2. S*Patterns Primer (second ed)
- 3. ASME Guideline for Managing Credibility of Models for Adv. Manufacturing, w/ASME VV50 Stds Working Grp.
- 4. AIAA Aerospace Digital Twins Case Studies Pub; Digital Twin Analysis and Planning Reference Pattern, w/AIAA.
- 5. AIAA Aerospace Digital Threads Position Pub; Digital Thread Analysis & Planning Reference Pattern, w/AIAA.
- 6. Handbook of System Sciences, for ISSS via Springer: Chapter: "Patterns in Science and Engineering", w/ISSS.
- 7. Handbook of Model-Based Systems Engineering, Madni & Augustine, eds, Springer, Chapter: "MBSE Patterns".
- 8. INCOSE SE Handbook, 5th Ed., for INCOSE, D. Walden et al, eds, material on S*Metamodel and ASELCM Pattern
- 9. Support for Vision 2035 Implementation Streams: Innovation Applications, SE Foundations.
- *10. INCOSE INSIGHT,* Dig. Engg. Issue, 2022, F. Salvatore, ed, Realizing the Promise of Digital Engineering: The Innovation Ecosystem Reference Pattern for Analysis, Planning, and Implementation.



The others

Adaptive Learning Ecosystem Pattern—the Learning Ecosystem (ASELCM) Reference Framework





AIAA's Related Application (Digital Threads)



<u>Consistency gap management paradigm</u> for innovation ecosystems

- The <u>consistency management paradigm</u> is the central information thread running through the ASELCM pattern's representation of <u>any</u> engineering/life cycle management / supply chain system's primary activities.
- Including the digital thread and its many precursors.



Related collaboration project across four societies:

- Different discipline communities (e.g., ISO 15288 SE versus ASME) VVUQ-1 computational modeling communities) have different consistency confirmation frameworks, nomenclatures, standards.
- This can present challenges to engineering rigor, when performed "together" for trust-critical integrated systems.
- Working groups of INCOSE, ASME, AIAA, and NAFEMS are disciplines. collaborating on a comparative "Rosetta Stone" mapping of different consistency confirmation frameworks of different communities:

		Upstream Artifacts							
		Artifact 1	Artifact 2	Artifact 3	Artifact 4	Artifact 5	Artifact 6	Artifact 7	
Downstream Artfifacts	Artifact 1								For one disciplin
	Artifact 2	Consistency Type A							
	Artifact 3		Consistency Type B						
	Artifact 4			Consistency Type C					
	Artifact 5			Consistency Type D	Consistency Type E				
	Artifact 6					Consistency Type F			
	Artifact 7						Consistency Type G		

Multiple

Merged multiple discipline mapping

Related application of Hamiltonians for IT and socio-technical systems

- Adopting W R Hamilton's "characteristic function" perspective enriches interpretation of the nature of momentum and energy, in additional settings:
 - By reasoning in the right order, Hamiltonians can be defined for IT (i.e., digital) and socio-technical systems, using observational data.
 - <u>Managed consistency gaps provide the potential energy part of the</u> <u>ASELCM System 2 Hamiltonian, characterizing the ecosystem.</u>
- A partial discussion during the Patterns WG meeting Sunday in Salon H.
- This summer in Dublin (Hamilton's home), we'll detail it further during IS2024.