# Annual Special Interest Group (SIG) Report

SIG:	Psychology
Year:	Jan 1, 2015 through Feb 21, 2016
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Last update:	Feb 2016

# The past year

### SIG development

#### Activities

Please list all activities organized by the SIG as such in the table below; insert rows as needed.

Activity	Date	# Attendees
Created three hour <b>workshop</b> and presented it at SDS Conference: <u>"Modeling</u> <u>Psychological and Sociological Dynamics"</u>	July 2015	About 35
Held SIG Meeting at the SDS Conference and had guest speaker	July 2015	About 10
Created comprehensive <u>Annotated</u> <u>Bibliography</u> of resources to support Modeling Psychological and Sociological Dynamics.	July 2015	n/a
Create website for Psychology SIG and posted links to the workshop, annotated bibliography, <u>example models</u> (many created for the workshop) ( <u>http://sigs.systemdynamics.org/psychology/</u> )	February 2016	n/a
Met with Business SIG representative to discuss support for common interests.	February 2016	2

#### **Publications**

Please list relevant publications in form of books, chapters, articles and conference proceedings; add rows as needed. "Type" should be coded as follows: A=article; B=book; C=chapter; P=proceeding; S=software.

Publication	Туре
See Annotated Bibliography	

#### **Relationships with other societies or institutions**

Please indicate other institutions and professional or scientific societies your SIG maintains a relationship with. Add rows as needed.

Society for Community Research and Action (American Psychological Association, Div 27; <a href="http://www.scra27.org/">http://www.scra27.org/</a>)

Society for Public Health Education (SOPHE; <u>http://www.sophe.org/</u>)

African Organization for Research and Training in Cancer (AORTIC; <u>http://www.aortic-africa.org/</u>)

Michigan State University, Office of University Outreach and Engagement, Innovations in Collaborative Modeling Conference (<u>http://modeling.outreach.msu.edu/</u>)

#### Institutional development

If you have made changes to your constitution or other developments the Society should know about, please mention them here.

#### Members

The stock and inflow of SIG members are important information for the Society. We would like to be able to distinguish between (new) SIG members who are members of the SD Society (Full Members) and (new) SIG members who are not members of the SD Society (Associate Members). Please provide us you best estimate of this information and any additional reflections you deem relevant.

Total number of Full Members this year	70
Total number of Associate Members this year	16
Number of new Associate Members this year	1
Number of new Full Members this year	15
Number of SIG members who were not Associate Members last year but are Full Members this year	Info not available
Number of SIG members who were Full Members last year but are not this year	Info not available
Number of SIG members who were Full Members last year but are not SIG members this year	Info not available

Additional considerations concerning the members' characteristics or the dynamics of the SIG

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#### Your assessment of the closing year

Please elaborate concerning any particular development that may be relevant for the Society.

## The coming year

#### Challenges

What are the opportunities the SIG plans to take, or challenges you plan to approach during the coming year? Pascal is co-chair of the Human Behavior thread for the 2016 SDS Conference

#### Planned activities

Which activities (like workshops, courses or seminaries) does the SIG plan to perform during the coming year?

#### Support required

What would you ask the Society to do to help the SIG?