

Annual SIG reports February 2015

- Biomedical: received
- *Business*
- *Conflict, Defense, and Security*
- *Education*
- Energy: received
- *Environmental*
- *Health Policy*
- *Information Science and Information Systems*
- *Model Analysis*
- Psychology: draft received

Annual Special Interest Group (SIG) Report

<i>SIG:</i>	Biophysical System Dynamics
<i>Year:</i>	2013-2014
<i>Officers</i>	
Co-Founders:	Jim Rogers, Ed Gallaher, Ph.D.
SIG-society liaison:	Jim Rogers
Webmaster:	TBD
<i>Website:</i>	TBD
<i>Last update:</i>	This one is a first!

The past year

SIG development

Activities

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

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i># Attendees</i>
No Group Activities in 2014		
The LinkedIn Group under the same name grew to 132 connections on its own inertia.		

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.

<i>Publication</i>	<i>Type</i>
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McCarthy, James T., Hocum, C.L., Albright, R.C., Rogers, J.L., Gallaher, E.J., Steensma, D.P. Dingli, D. (2014 January). Biomedical System Dynamics to Improve Anemia Control With Darbepoetin Alfa in Long-Term Hemodialysis Patients. Mayo Clinic Proceedings, 89, pp. 87-94.	A
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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.

None at this time.

Institutional development

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

The constitution for the SIG has not been developed. However, founding documents laying out vision, purpose, mission etc. were drafted and submitted as a part of the process to establish the SIG in 2011.

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 (2015)	39
Total number of Associate Members this year	9
Number of new Associate Members this year	?
Number of new Full Members this year	?
Number of chapter members who were not Associate Members last year but are Full Members this year	?
Number of chapter members who were Full Members last year but are not this year	?
Number of chapter members who were Full Members last year but are not chapter members this year	?

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

None.

Please list the SIG's active members in the table below. (Thanks Erin: JR)

Last Name	First Name	15 Membership Date
Ahmed	Hassan	15-Oct-14
Domany-Funtan	Ulrike	05-Jan-15
Duma	Simphiwe	22-Jan-15
Escalante	Nicolas	26-Dec-14
Farr	Warren	10-Nov-14
Garvin	Jennifer	16-Oct-14
Gharibi	Mirmojtaba	21-Oct-14
Heffernan	Mark	20-Nov-14
Kidde	Saul	31-Oct-14
Kum	Veasna	02-Dec-14
Lusigi	Patricia	24-Oct-14
Makina	Simbarashe	17-Dec-14
McManus	Michael	10-Oct-14
Meskovich	Allen	01-Dec-14
Patterson	Patrick	05-Dec-14
Plunkett	Alan	29-Oct-14
Power	Darius	10-Oct-14
Prochaska	John	18-Nov-14
Qi	Liang	08-Oct-14
Rotaru	Virgil	19-Jan-15
Samavedham	Lakshminarayanan	07-Nov-14
Sepulveda Estay	Daniel	14-Jan-15
Sianipar	Corinthias	31-Dec-14
Sola	Alejandro	27-Jan-15
Stewart	Iyala	17-Oct-14
Stuart	Deidre	13-Jan-15
Wakeland	Wayne	01-Dec-14
Zavodny	Denis	10-Dec-14
Zawadzki	Tomasz	26-Dec-14
Zou	Xia	09-Oct-14
Blogg	Ken	
Bruno	Nicholas	
Can	Melike Hazal	

Perez	Francisco	
Thienne Colombo	Victor	
Wollersheim	Robinson	
Wu	I-Ju	
Yalcin	Ozgun	
Yoder	Jamye	

Your assessment of the closing year

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

Over the previous year, it was surprising to see 130+ LinkedIn people express interest. A survey of this group to determine awareness/involvement/membership of/in the SDS would be relevant to 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?

- Build some sort of foundation for communication/collaboration using existing resources.
- Determine the makeup of the SIG membership, segment and lay the foundation for relevant relationship building.
- Refine our working definitions of specific and generic "inside the skin" SD models via examples and presentations.

Planned activities

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

Gallaher is conceptualizing 4 Webinars: Basic Structures Found in Biomedical System Dynamics; Applications of Basic Structures Found in Biomedical System Dynamics; Two State Equilibrium Concepts and Dynamics; Applications of Two State Equilibrium Concepts and Dynamics. The

intent of the material to begin conversations about generic structures which support inquiries into a wide variety of biomedical applications.

Rogers is interested in establishing working patterns of communication among members which could support design, execution, and implementation of BPSD applications in real world clinical settings.

Support required

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

No formal support is needed at this time.

We will seek informal networking with other SIG leaders and experienced SDS folks who could provide some lightweight mentoring on how to mobilize SIGs.

This SIG might actually be awarded, "SIG Most Needing Improvement". Opportunities for improvement appear boundless at the moment.

Annual Special Interest Group (SIG) Report

<i>SIG:</i>	Energy	
<i>Year:</i>	2012 - 2013	
<i>Officers</i>	Before ISDC'14 in Delft, NL	After ISDC'14 in Delft, NL
President:	Isaac Dyner	George Matthew, R. Maximilian Happach
SIG-society liaison	Stian Blackstad Hackett (assistant to Isaac Dyner)	
Webmaster:	María Camila Ochoa (LinkedIn forum)	
<i>Website:</i>	http://sigs.systemdynamics.org/energy/ https://www.linkedin.com/groups/Energy-SIG-System-Dynamics-Society-4030084/about	
<i>Last update:</i>	January 19 th (Post on LinkedIn, new members February 1 st)	

The past year

SIG development

Activities

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

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i># Attendees</i>
LinkedIn discussion group – various topics	Throughout the year	Group has grown to 334 members

Publications

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<i>Publication</i>	<i>Type</i>
Simulation for assessing the liberalization of biofuels Franco, C.J., Zapata, S., Dyner, I. Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews 41, pp. 298-307.	A

Relationships with other societies or institutions

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UK SD chapter (George Matthew is member)
German SD chapter (R. Maximilian Happach is board member for communication)
GEE – German chapter of the International Association of Energy Economics (R. Maximilian Happach is member)

Institutional development

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

The former representatives Isaac Dyner and Stian Blackstad Hackett decided not to continue their functions as representatives. George Matthew, R. Maximilian Happach and Sadegh Shahmohammedi were voted to take over (but Sadegh Shahmohammedi did not join the group of representatives). Since then the representatives meet on a monthly basis. We work on a monthly discussion topic to post in the LinkedIn-Group to stimulate discussion and exchange. Further, we are in the process of changing the website into a more modern design.

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 your best estimate of this information and any additional reflections you deem relevant.

Total number of Full Members this year	104
Total number of Associate Members this year	26
Number of new Associate Members this year	
Number of new Full Members this year	
Number of members associated to our Likedin network	334
Number of chapter members who were not Associate Members last year but are Full Members this year	
Number of chapter members who were Full Members last year but are not this year	
Number of chapter members who were Full Members last year but are not chapter members this year	

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

We do not know where to find that data and how to track it most efficiently. We simply considered the data on the Chapter/SIG Representative Menu for Energy SIG.

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Your assessment of the closing year

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

Conference participation was significant in number of papers and concurrent sessions and plenary presentations.

The coming year

Challenges

What are the opportunities the SIG plans to take, or challenges you plan to approach during the coming year?

- We are planning to stimulate more exchange and discussion between all members of the SIG and LinkedIn Group. We plan to post monthly discussion topics in the LinkedIn Group to create better synergy between the member and prospective members.

Planned activities

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

- R. Maximilian Happach will organize a PhD workshop in cooperation with the German chapter of the International Association of Energy Economics in Stuttgart, Germany.
- Continue to post discussion topics and news into the LinkedIn Group
- Redesign the SIG's website
- Collect a list of energy journals where SD articles were published before
- Annual meeting at the International SD conference

Support required

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

- This report was completely new for us. It would have been nice to have had guidelines about the responsibilities of the SIG representatives. So far we simply did what we believed is best for the group
- Support for putting in place a content management system for the webpage – either wix or wordpress

Annual Special Interest Group (SIG) Report

Draft (3 Feb 2015)

<i>SIG:</i>	Psychology
<i>Year:</i>	2014 - 2015
<i>Officers</i> Co-Chairs	David Lounsbury
	Pascal J Gambardella
<i>Website:</i>	
<i>Last update:</i>	

The past year

SIG development

Activities

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

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i># Attendees</i>
Psychology SIG Roundtable and Annual Meeting	During Delft Conference 2014	15
Judged Best Poster in Human Behavior category at Delft Conference	During Delft Conference 2014	
Created a Psychology SIG Poster	7/13/2014	

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.

<i>Publication</i>	<i>Type</i>
Systemic Coaching: Coaching With Whole Person With Meta-coaching, Michael Hall & Pascal Gambardella, Neuro-Semantic Publications (August 30, 2012)	B

Relationships with other societies or institutions

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Institutional development

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Members

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We added the information available for the SIG from the System Dynamics Society on Jan 24, 2015. It is not clear what a full or associate member is since the database does not distinguish between them

Members of SIG who are members of the SDS	17
Members of SIG who are NOT members of the SDS	55
Total number of SIG members	72
Total number of Full Members this year	
Total number of Associate Members this year	
Number of new Associate Members this year	
Number of new Full Members this year	
Number of chapter members who were not Associate Members last year but are Full Members this year	
Number of chapter members who were Full Members last year but are not this year	
Number of chapter members who were Full Members last year but are not chapter members this year	

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

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Please list the SIG's active members in the table below. Add rows as needed.

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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?

Planned activities

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

We are working on a workshop and tutorial on the Use of Psychological and Sociological Concepts and Variables in Models.

We plan on giving the workshop during the System Dynamics Society Conference and also in webinars after the conference for those who are unable to attend the conference session. We hope to bring new insights to the topic.

Support required

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

Provide capabilities to provide webinars to SIG members.