

Panelists Position Statements

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Synopsis of Presented Needs

Roy

- Simulation needs to be specification (reverse approach)
- No range of certified simulation components
- Obstacles
 - IP issues,
 - Liability issues,
 - How to define candidate models and submit for certification
 - Which body will operate the process
 - How to distribute the models
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 - How will the creation process be initiated
 - Which body? IEEE,SCS,SISO?
 - What should happen next?



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Synopsis of Presented Needs

- Jeffrey
 - ... computational models ...
 - Goals
 - Needs (is feasible)
 - International Advisory Board Framework (difficult, time-consuming, but feasible)
 - Forum (is feasible, it is what we have here)
 - "Digital library of mathematical functions"
 - ... funding is needed ...



Synopsis of Presented Needs

- Terry
 - Liability Going straight from simulation to a machine
 - No numbers, ... no statistics of like components
 - Compositionality: The combined behavior of components cannot be predicted from individual component behavior alone
 - Simulation: Today for analysis, tomorrow for synthesis
 - Actual implementation always deviates from design spec
 - Real-time simulation
 - Break down design complexity
 - Multi-rate simulation
 - Needs
 - Modeling standards
 - Benchmark models
 - Public library of models
 - A body international volunteer experts for all of the above
 - And ...



Synopsis of Presented Needs

Pedro

- "The end users need to sit down and write a specification of what is needed to make this model work for us"
- ... must include experiments ...
- "Finite differences are being used again instead of finite elements"
- Statistics, multi-model, multi-language, ...
- ... fault modes of models ... ?