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SE DSIG,

The following is a summary status of the SE DSIG activity as of July 26, 2002. There is a lot going on since our last meeting in Orlando. I am trying to keep the SE DSIG site current with the latest updates at <http://syseng.omg.org> .

- \* Dave Oliver will be holding a review of the SE Conceptual Model at INCOSE next week. The intent is to begin to address the issues that were identified at the SE DSIG meeting, as well as others that have surfaced through the AP-233 Working Group. As you know, Dwayne did an excellent job of capturing the SE DSIG issues, and they have been posted to the SE DSIG site under the SE Conceptual Model link.
- \* While at INCOSE, we are holding a SE UML Panel discussion, which should be quite interesting, if last year's heated debates were any indication. There was excellent audience participation. Dave Oliver, Rick Steiner, Murray Cantor, Andrew Winkler, and Cris Kobryn are our panelists.
- \* Rick Steiner and his Prototyping & Evaluation Team is continuing to refine the SE UML Evaluation Matrix to identify alternative approaches for representing the SE concepts in UML.
- \* The Requirements Analysis for Systems Engineering (SE) UML has been updated to V0.3 (OMG doc # syseng/2002-07001), and is available from the Requirements Analysis for SE UML link on the SE DSIG site. I incorporated the comments from the SE DSIG meeting, and the follow-on comments to V0.2 that I received. I also attempted to reflect the inputs received from the RFI responses, although this will require additional work. I think this document is a good start towards capturing our requirements, issues, and approaches for SE UML. We will continue to evolve the document through the remainder of the year.
- \* We are tentatively planning to meet with representatives from the U2P team in September in Chicago, and hope to finalize the date shortly. We will be reviewing the draft requirements. This is in keeping with the follow-up coordination we discussed in Orlando with each of the V2 Submitters. Let Roger Burkhart and I know if you are

interested in supporting this meeting.

\* The next SE DSIG meetings will be held in conjunction with the OMG Technical Meeting in Helsinki, the week of September 30 - October 4. I tentatively plan to hold 1 day of meetings that week. The following OMG meeting is in Washington DC, the week of November 18 - 22. As you will recall, we plan to hold an OMG SE Information Day on November 18 - 19. A copy of the OMG SE Information Day flyer has been prepared, thanks to the help of Janice Gilman and Nicole Glazen, and is available on the SE DSIG site off the link to SE Information Day. We also are tentatively planning to hold

Thanks for all of your help. I think we are making good progress.

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