# 11th International Workshop on Value Modeling and Business Ontology

# Special theme: value co-creation in the Big Data era

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The importance of modeling the essence of enterprises on a level that abstracts from operational details is increasingly recognized. Business ontology provides abstract descriptions of enterprises in their business context, focusing on what is needed to create and transfer value. Value modeling is a business modeling approach that focuses on the value objects exchanged in business networks. Business ontology and value modeling research is conducted using instruments such as Business Model Generation, the REA (Resources, Events, Agents) ontology, Enterprise Ontology and the e3-value tool set.

The goal of VMBO is to bring together researchers with an interest in value modeling and business ontology in order to present and discuss the current state of enterprise or business modeling and to identify key areas for further research. A special theme that we want to highlight this year is value co-creation, in particular value co-creation by the use of (big) data. Is data an economic resource that can be valued and that obeys the usual stock flow axioms?

If you are interested in joining, please submit a short paper (maximum of five pages) describing your main ideas. We encourage you to focus on ideas in progress for which you would like to get feedback from other workshop participants.

Note that submitted papers will be only evaluated for their potential to enable substantive research discussions. The program committee will use the papers to put together a final program; the aim is to accommodate all relevant papers. If necessary, a selection will be made in such a way that an overall good balance is achieved.

## **Program Committee**

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## Topics of interest include, but are not limited to

- Value modeling/Business ontology fundamentals
- Value modeling/Business ontology applications and experiences
- Enterprise Ontology theory and practice
- Semantic Service Modeling and the Service-Oriented Semantic Enterprise
- · Role of business ontology in enterprise architecture
- Ontology-driven enterprise system development
- Business ontology / value models for planning, auditing and control
- · Business ontology / value models for strategy exploration
- Value co-creation (VCC)
- Data as a resource

#### Important dates

Jan 7, 2017Paper submission deadlineJan 31, 2017Notification of acceptanceFeb 18, 2017Registration deadlineMarch 6-7, 2017VMBO Workshop, Luxembourg

### How to submit

Please submit your short paper preferably in PDF format and following the (Proceedings) style of Springer LNCS using easychair https://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=vmbo2014

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