Message from the WGBP 2010 Workshop Co-chairs

This volume collects articles presented at the International Workshop on Goal-based Business Process Engineering (WGBP). WGBP 2010 is the first of what we hope to be many events that bring together researchers and practitioners in the areas of goal modeling and business process engineering to discuss how these two complementary areas may be integrated. This way, we hope to contribute to the development of each of these areas, as well as to create a forum where works that combine them may be published and discussed.

For this first edition, we received 11 submissions from Austria, Canada, China, Brazil, Germany, Italy, Mexico and Sweden. A total of 6 of these submissions were originally sent directly to the workshop; the remaining 5 of them, have been rolled out from the main conference for consideration at the workshop, i.e., these were papers that had their merit recognized by the EDOC program committee but that could not be accommodated in the general program.

These proposals were carefully reviewed by the members of our international program committee such that (with one single exception) papers received 3 or 4 detailed reviews.

After this process, the following 5 articles were chosen for presentation at the workshop: (1) On the Support for the Goal Domain in Enterprise Modelling Approaches (by Evellin C. Cardoso, João Paulo A. Almeida e Renata S.S. Guizzardi); (2) Representing Immaterial Value in Business Model (by Paolo Ceravolo and Ernesto Damiani); (3) Towards a Framework for Business Process Compliance (by Sepideh Ghanavati, Alberto Siena, Daniel Amyot, Angelo Susi and Anna Perini); (4) Monitoring Business Processes with a Goal-oriented Approach (by Alicia Martinez, Nimrod Gonzalez and Hugo Estrada); and (5) Synergizing Enterprise Strategic Model and Business Processes in Active i* (by Tuoye Xu, Wenting Ma, Lin Liu and Dimitris Karagiannis).

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We would like to thank the authors who considered WGBP as a forum for presentation of their high-quality work. Finally, we would like to thank the EDOC 2010 organization committee for once more giving us the opportunity to organize the workshop in this fruitful scientific environment.

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