Teaching of/with Agent-Based Models in the Social Sciences

April 8th -9th, 2010 45 rue d'Ulm, ENS ULM, Paris, 5è arrondissement, France



MAPS 2 CONFERENCE – PROGRAM

8st April

10:00-12:00	The MAPS experience:
	 Trainees' groups present their project model – 4 presentations.
	- Trainers present the pedagogic format used and its outputs.
12:00-14:00	Lunch break.
14:00-15:00	Uri Wilensky . NetLogo: a Multi-Agent platform for education and research.
15:00-17:00	Conference speakers – Part 1.
	- Christophe Le Page. <i>Teaching agent-based simulation for renewable resource management with Cormas</i> .
	- Rebaudo F, Crespo Pérez V, Dangles O. <i>Teaching pest management through agent-</i> based models in tropical socio-ecological systems: insights from the potato tuber moth in Ecuador.
	- Nicolas Brax, Frédéric Amblard, Nicolas Becu, Laure Santoni, Samuel Thiriot. <i>When</i> predictive modelling meet participatory simulation: a feedback on potential and issues of a combined approach.
	- Aristotelis Gkiolmas, Anthimos Chalkidis, Anastasia Papaconstantinou, Dimitrios Stavrou, Kostas Karamanos & Constantine Skordoulis. <i>Teaching concepts of Complex</i> <i>Systems to prospective Greek Primary School teachers, with the use of NetLogo</i> <i>models</i> .

9nd April

9:00-10:00	Keynote speaker : Volker Grimm. Protocols and methods to communicate with and
	about models.
10:00-12:00	Conference speakers – Part 2.
	- Françoise Gourmelon, Mathias Rouan, Anne Rognant. Role-playing game and learning for young people about sustainable development stakes: an experiment in transferring and adapting interdisciplinary scientific knowledge.
	- Matthieu Delage, Florent Le Néchet, Thomas Louail, Hélène Mathian, Sébastien Rey Coyrehourcq. Simulation of accessibility in urban setting and an experiment in teaching applications: the AccesSim model.
	- Christophe Sibertin-blanc. The Validity of Simulation Results in Social Sciences.
	- Alex Smajgl. Agent-based learning process for decision makers in Indonesia.
12:00-14:00	Lunch break
14:00-15:00	Michel Etienne : Co-learning and mediation through models: a companion modelling
	approach.
15:00-17:00	Round table : Modelling and pedagogy in social sciences.
	Animated by Dawn Parker (University of Waterloo, Canada)