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Agenda

- Introduction
- IBM CAS Portugal
 - 1992-96 IBM Hardware and software ► GIST
 - 2006 IBM SSME ► MESG
 - 2009 IBM CAS Portugal
- Mission and Projects of IBM CAS Portugal

University of Porto - School of Engineering



FEUP

- 15 Schools
- 60 graduate programs
- 120 master programs
- 100 doctoral programs
- 2200 lecturers and researchers
- 1600 administrative staff
- 27000 students, of which 7500 postgraduate
- One of the Top 20 in RI3 Ibero-American Ranking of Universities and R&D Institutes <http://investigacion.universia.net>
- One of the Top 500 in the Shanghai Jiao Tong Univ. Ranking of Universities
- 9 Departments
- 10 / 25 graduate / master programs
- 12 doctoral programs
- 450 lecturers and researchers
- 250 administrative staff
- 7000 students (2500 postgraduate)
- **Member of CESAER**
Conference of European Schools for Advanced Engineering Education and Research
www.cesaer.org
- Member of ERCIM
European Research Consortium on Informatics and Mathematics www.ercim.eu

IBM CAS Portugal

GIST ► OPT

GIST consortium (1990)



OPT
(1992)

R&D Project

with support from IBM

gist

Commercial Product

opt
(1997)

A Master Program in Services Engineering and Management at the University of Porto

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ABSTRACT

The education of professional engineers has been mainly oriented towards the requirements of industry, although many graduates will start and end up working in service organizations. Services always involve interaction, either directly between people or using machines. Most services now require the use of technology, including self service machines, Internet and mobile equipments and may involve complex social and organizational issues. Although engineering programs have evolved in order to accommodate changes in the economy, new proposals must be taken into new graduate and postgraduate education.

This paper proposes MESG¹, a Master program in Services Engineering and Management compatible with the Bologna European framework. It is still a program to educate professional engineers, in the sense that graduates will be prepared to Conceive, Design, Implement and Operate (CDIO) complex value-added engineering systems. But MESG has a strong emphasis on: (i) understanding the innovative technologies now required for service provision, (ii) understanding the functional and the experience requirements of people using services, and (iii) management of the service CDIO process and understanding its value. Knowledge and experience about people and about business, in social-organizational environments, are important components in the advanced education of service engineers and managers.

The Master in Service Engineering and Management (MESG*, in Portuguese) aims at *developing competences to conceive, design, implement and operate technology enabled service systems.*

www.fe.up.pt/mesg
English (and Portuguese...)

* Mestrado em Engenharia de Serviços e Gestão



MESG Courses

1st Year - 1st Semester

Management

Business Process Modelling

Information Systems

Organizational Behaviour

Decision Support Systems

Human-Computer Interaction

Data Base Systems and Inf. Management

Creativity

1st Year - 2nd Semester

Service Operations Management and Logistics

Services Marketing

Requirements Engineering for Services

Accounting and Financial Management

Multimedia and New Services

Human Resources Management

Cognitive Psychology

Introduction to Research Project I

2nd Year - 1st Semester

New Service Development and Design

Information Systems Architecture

Capital Budgeting

Enterprise Management Architecture

Corporate Strategy

Customer Relationship Management

Project Management Laboratory

E-Business Technologies

Introduction to Research Project II

2nd Year - 2nd Semester

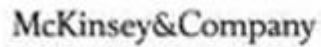
Dissertation – Research or Internship Project

Not elective

Elective

Dissertation

www.fe.up.pt/mesg (English and Portuguese)





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REPRODUÇÃO DO SINAL

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**The World is Getting Smarter – As we build better service systems
SSME educates people about *complex systems that serve customers*
...about a diverse ecology of types of service systems that all interact**



Smart traffic systems



Intelligent oil field technologies



Smart food systems



Smart healthcare



Smart energy grids



Smart retail



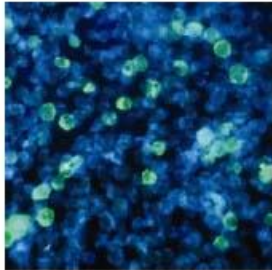
Smart water management



Smart supply chains



Smart countries



Smart weather



Smart regions



Smart cities

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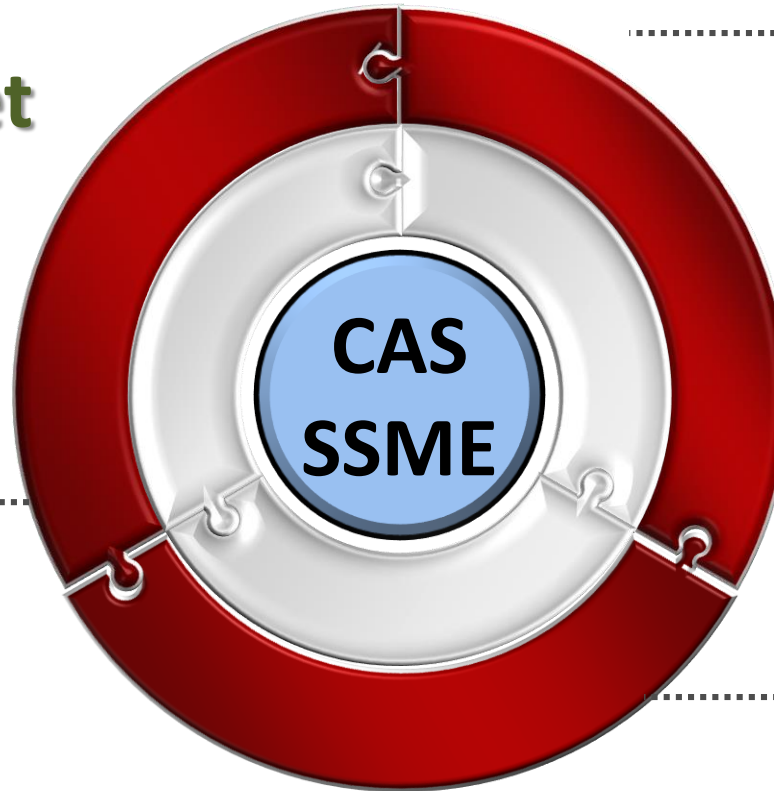
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**Smart Planet
Solutions**



**Health
Ecosystem**

**Smart Cities
& Mobility**

Public
*E-gov &
Education*

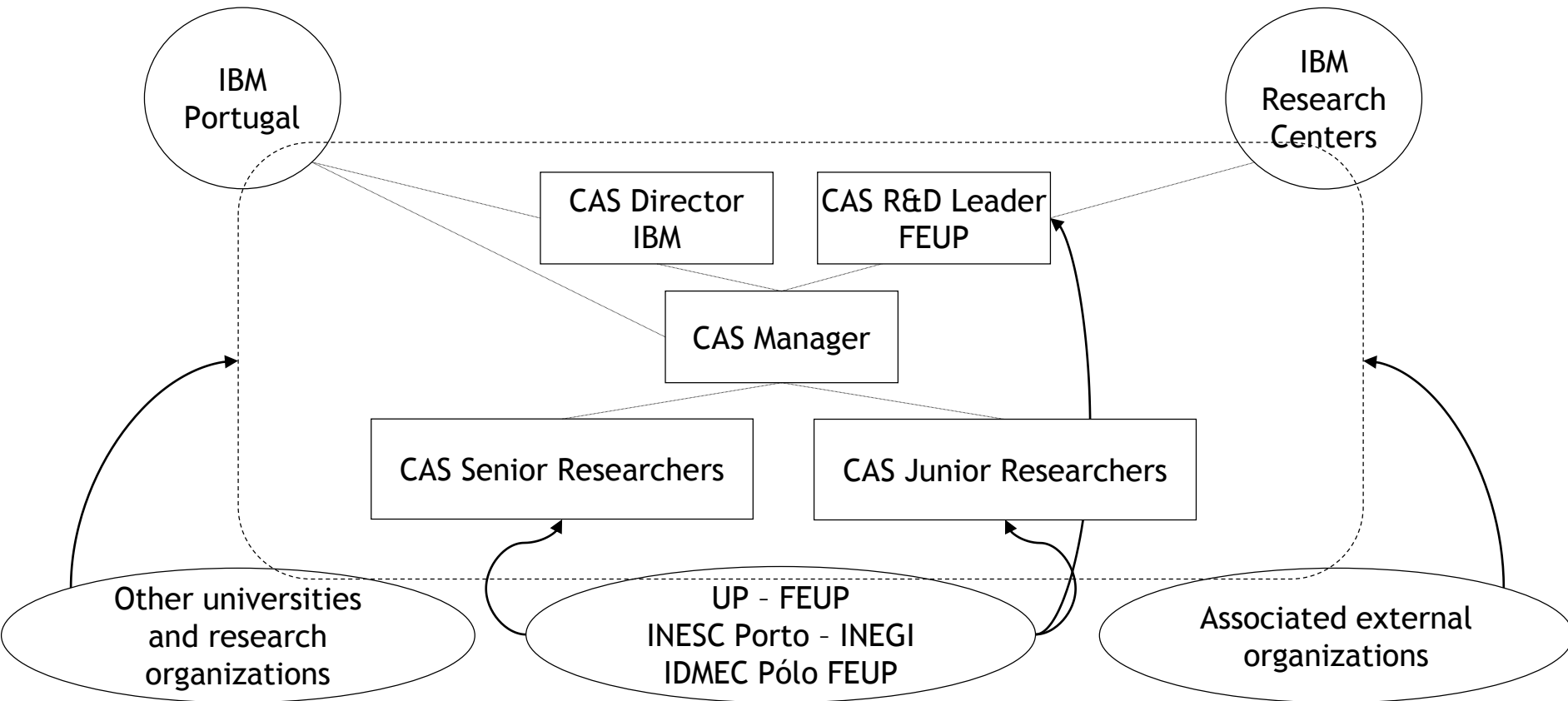
**Services Oriented
Architecture**

**Business Process
Modeling**

**Business Intelligence
& Analytics**

Cloud Computing

IBM CAS Portugal



IBM Centers for Advanced Studies – A Model for Collaborative Research

- **CAS Program started in 1990 at the IBM Toronto SW Lab**
- **It has played a significant role in bringing together worldwide academia, government and industry research organizations**
- **Model for facilitating the transfer of advanced technology into products and solutions**
- **CAS created a world class applied research program that offers a winning solution to its participants**
- **There are currently 25 centers for advanced studies around the world**
- **CAS at Porto** is the latest addition to the growing CAS community

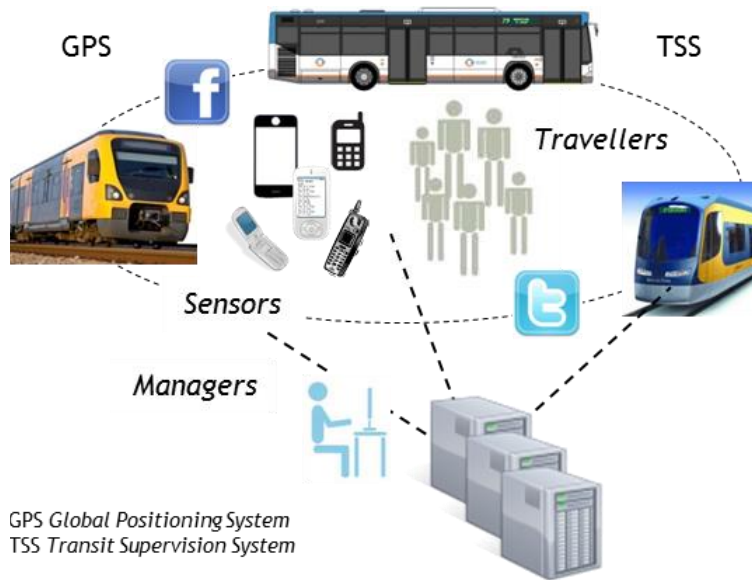
Current Projects

- One.Stop.Transport – INEGI QREN
- An integrated framework for operating room capacity planning and scheduling – FEUP FCT
- Designing a sustainable EHR – FEUP MS
- The dial-a-ride problem with split requests and profits – INESC Porto LA
- Mobipag – FEUP QREN
- Scientific Cloud Computing / NovaCloud – FEUP

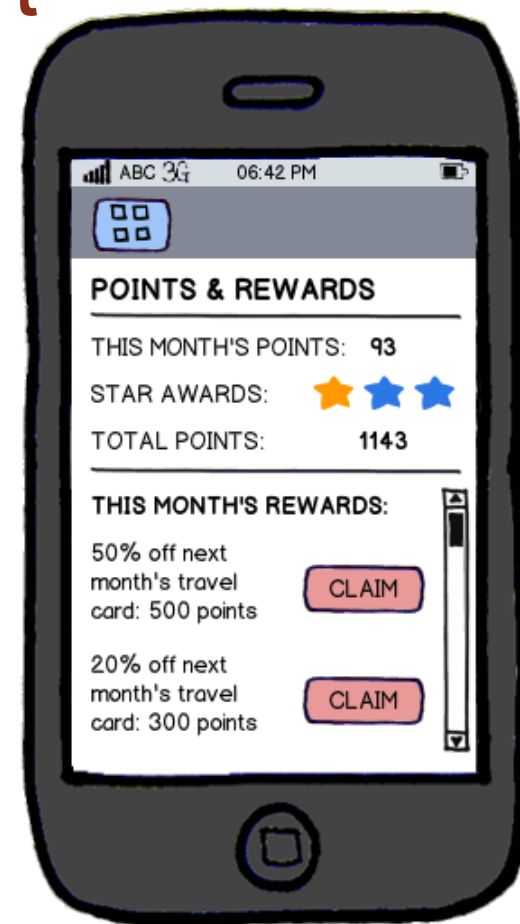
One.Stop.Transport



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GPS Global Positioning System
TSS Transit Supervision System



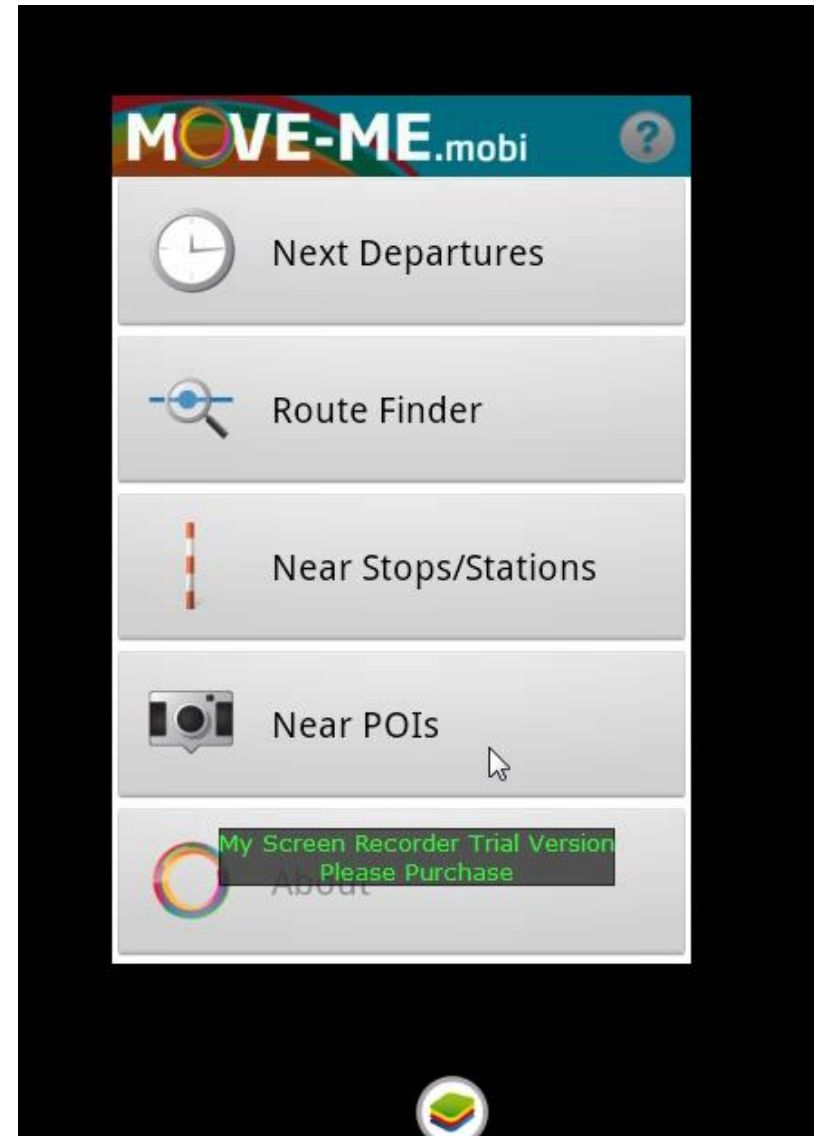
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MOVE-ME

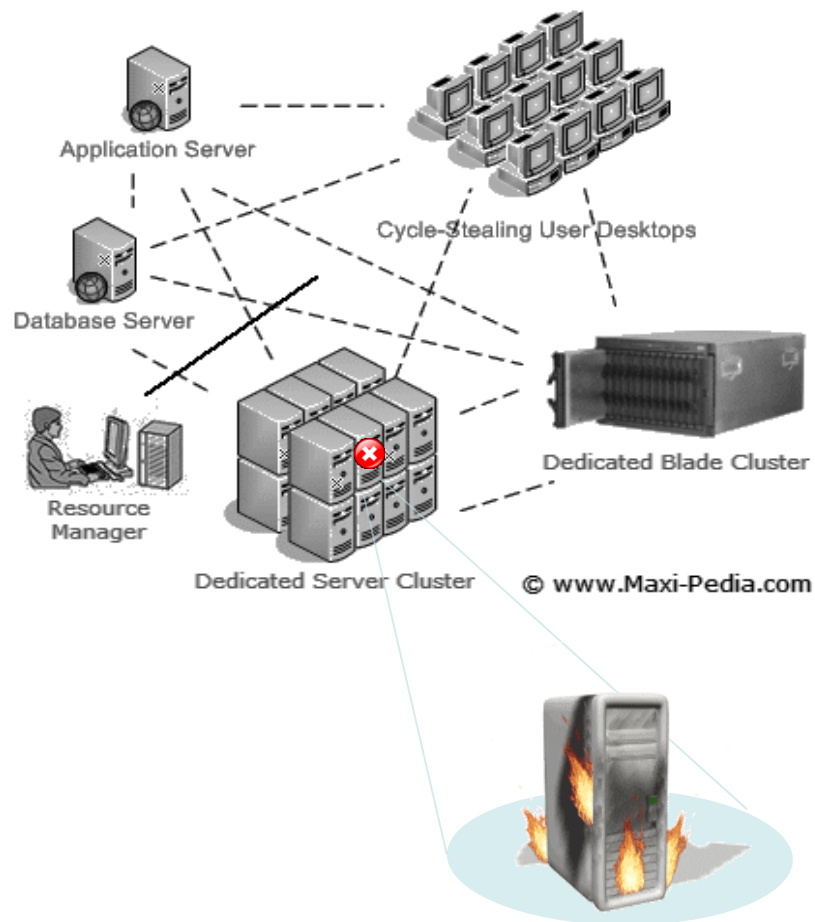
["Video MOVE-ME" 3 min.]

www.move.me.mobi

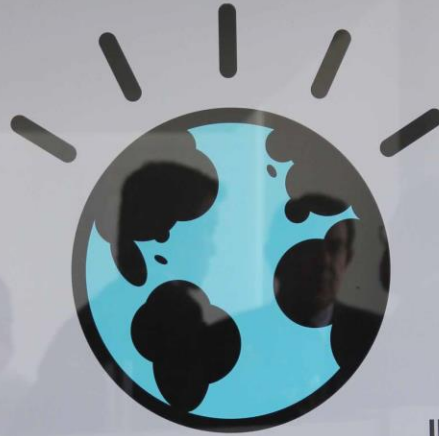


Scientific Cloud Computing

NovaCloud (country project 2011-12)



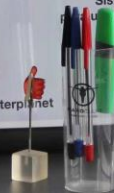
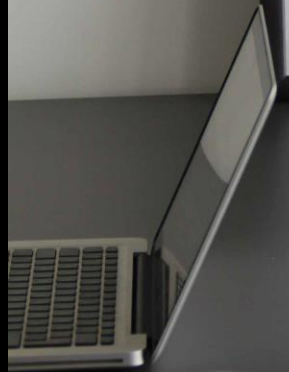
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