Conference Office

MAPSP 2009 takes place in the Abbey Rolduc, located in the beautiful landscape of South Limburg, close to Aachen (Germany) and Maastricht (The Netherlands).

MAPSP is a biennial workshop dedicated to all theoretical and practical aspects of scheduling, planning, and timetabling. There will appear a special issue of the Journal of Scheduling with selected papers.

Open daily 8:30 – 9:00, and during the morning coffee break.

At any other time, please contact the organizers (Marc Uetz, Tjark Vredeveld, Johann Hurink, Alex Grigoriev).
MAPSP07- MAPSP09

Two very productive years
Marc became a father for the 2\textsuperscript{nd} time
The Family Planning and Scheduling Problem

Marc Uetz
Steef van de Velde
Question: Given a gestation period of $g$ time, how to avoid delivery between time $T1-x$ and $T2$, for given $x$?

We conjecture it is NP-hard ... and are now running simulations to get a feel of the difficulty of the problem.
Some good news this week
Herr Professor Dr Hurink, promoted per July 1, 2009
Wait ... I got a better picture
MAPSP: Full of Traditions
Jacek and his cane ....
Playing Soccer

30(!) people competing
Nothing changes:
Overconfident Germans
Unexpected Talents

Dirk “Wolverine” Briskorn
Nicest shirt
The usual suspects
Newcomers to the Game
I am innocent
I feel like Madonna
A lot of lousy players ...
“You are either a good guy, or a bad guy ....”
“I am drunk – hence, I am innocent”
Most likely the worst player
Most likely the best player ...
Some very good players
I am bad (again)
… but there can be only one Godfather

- Don Kirkeone
Mysterious Society

The MAPSP Steering Committee
Who are the members?
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“I am the Godfather – go ask my consiglieri”
So, I asked Cliff …

You know – the incisive head of the MAPSP09 program committee
Clifford “Sweeney Todd” Stein
Who are the members?

“I am the chairman, but I don’t know the other members”
My guess ...
They decide on the MAPSP11 location
It is going to be one of these two ...
It was another wonderful MAPSP

Thanks to all the Program and Organizing Committee Members
But special thanks to