FM2009 is the sixteenth international symposium of the Formal Methods Europe association. Ten years after the world congress in Toulouse in 1999, FM2009 will be organized as a world congress again, a global platform for researchers and practitioners from a diversity of countries, backgrounds and schools to exchange ideas and share experiences. Several conferences are colocating with FM2009 within FMweek. As is tradition, the symposium will go together with an Industry Day, a Doctoral Symposium, a Tool Exhibition, an event on Teaching Formal Methods, as well as a wide range of workshops (see www.win.tue.nl/fm2009 for the latest information). In order to complete the programme, the organizing committee of FM2009 cordially invites proposals for one day tutorials in the wide area of formal methods.

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Tutorials should aim to provide conference participants with the opportunity to learn new techniques and gain insights in the use of formal methods. In particular, we welcome proposals addressing:

- novel applications of existing tools and techniques
- advanced topics in formal methods research
- uses of formal methods in emerging fields

Tutorials will take place on 2 and 3 November, preceding the symposium. FM2009 tutorial proposals should include:

- tutorial title and brief description of its scope and goal
- names and affiliations of the tutors
- format of the tutorial.

Proposals in pdf can be sent to the tutorial chair Jan Friso Groote at j.f.groote@tue.nl. Deadline for submission is 6 March 2009.

Proposals will be evaluated by the FM2009 organizing committee. Notification will be sent by 18 March 2009. Tutorials that have lecture notes, can be assisted in printing and distribution by the FM2009 organizing committee. Tutors of accepted proposals will receive a discount on their registration fee for FM2009. Tutorial participants are invited to register for FM2009 or one the colocated events within FMweek, but are not required to do so. See the website www.win.tue.nl/fm2009 for more information on the symposium, colocated events and venue. Further inquiries can be made to the tutorial chair.

FM2009 is part of the first Formal Methods Week (FMweek), which will bring together a choice of events in the area, including TESTCOM/FATES (Conference on Testing of Communicating Systems and Workshop on Formal Approaches to Testing of Software), FMICS (Formal Methods for Industrial Critical Systems), PDMC (Parallel and Distributed Methods of verifiCation), FACS (Formal Aspects of Component Software), CPA (Communicating Process Architectures), FAST (Formal Aspects in Security and Trust), FMCO (Formal Methods for Components and Objects), and the REFINE Workshop. For the latest information on FMweek, see http://www.win.tue.nl/fmweek.