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**Autonomous Mobile Service Robots** 

# Model Driven Software Development in Service Robotics – *It really works!*

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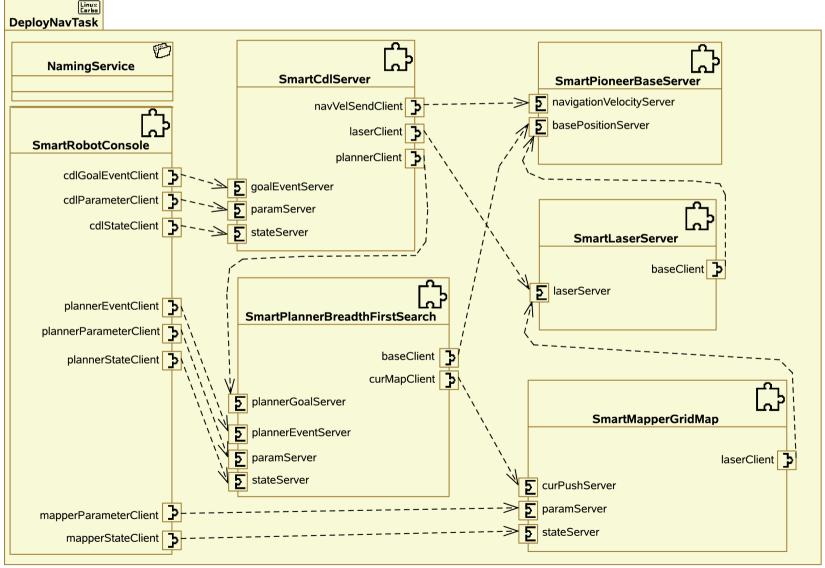
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# **Model Driven Software Development Example / Navigation Task**



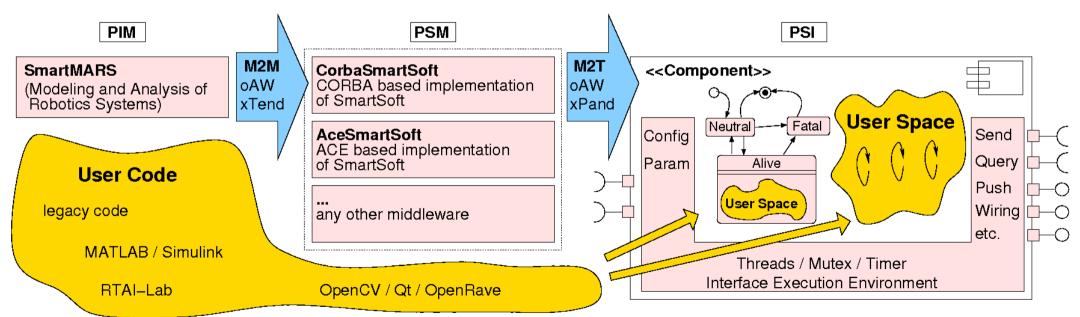




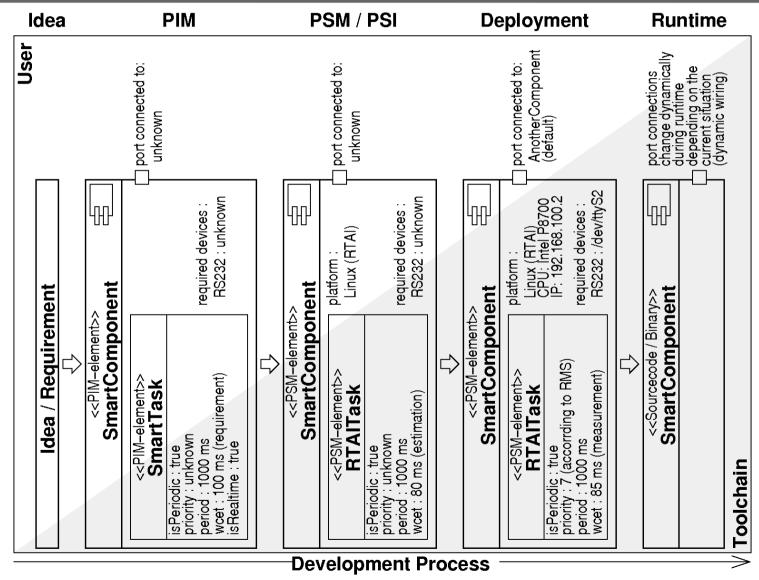


#### Illustration of our development process

- UML 2.0 profile for robotics component model
- covers component development, system composition, deployment
- based on standards: UML 2.0, Open Architecture Ware, Eclipse, etc.
- different runtime platforms, middleware systems etc.













#### Benefits of our development process:

- get rid of hand-crafted single unit service robot systems
- compose them out of standard components with explicitly stated properties
- be able to reuse / modify solutions expressed at a model level
- take advantage from the knowledge of software engineers that is encoded in the code transformators
- be able to verify properties (or at least provide conformance checks)
- be able to address resource awareness !! and many many more good reasons

Engineering the software development process in robotics is one of the basic necessities towards industrial-strength service robotic systems

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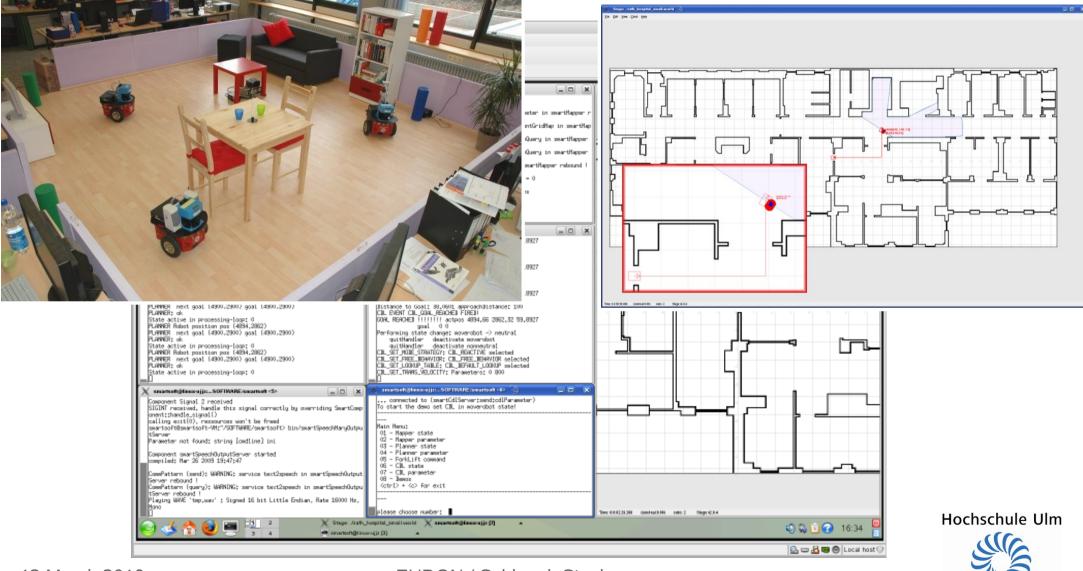
#### Experience made with our development process

- systematically handle integration of systems of the complexity of service robots and to overcome plumbing
- tools like OpenArchitectureWare, Eclipse etc. are matured enough to be used in robotics
- there are many experienced people out there being already familiar with the tools, can start immediately using them and can just focus on robotics
- design patterns, best practices, approved solutions can be made available within the code generators such that even novices can immediately take advantage from that coded and immense experience
- provides the perfect granularity for system design, component development, composability, freedom within components, tool support etc.



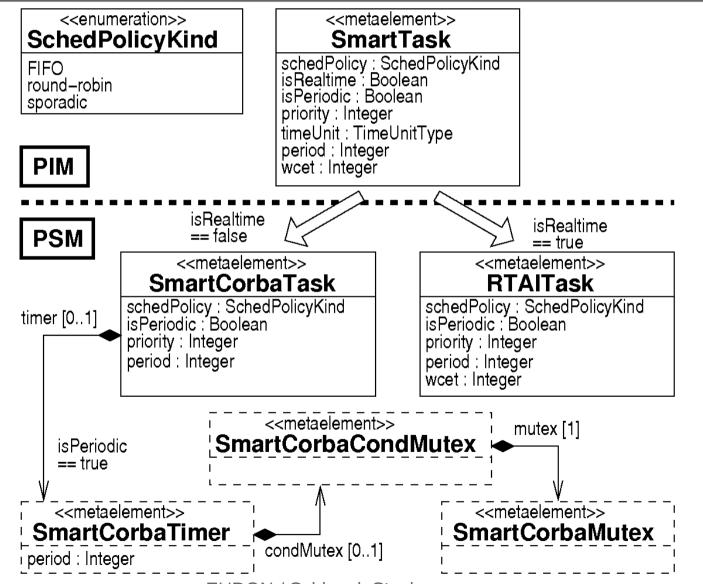


# **Model Driven Software Development Examples / Simulation Player/Stage**





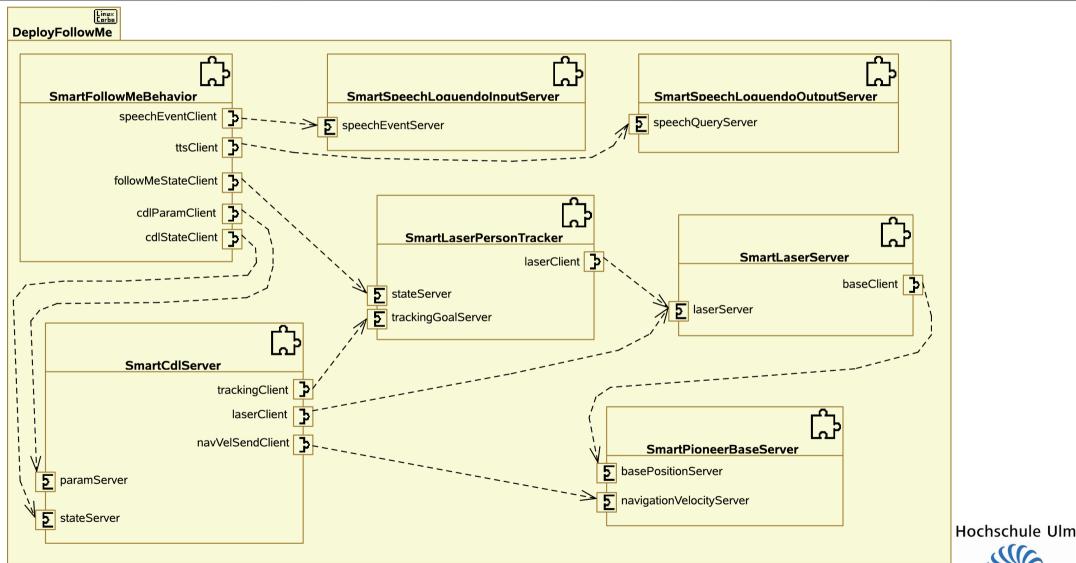
# **Model Driven Software Development Examples / SmartMDSD / Real-Time Task**



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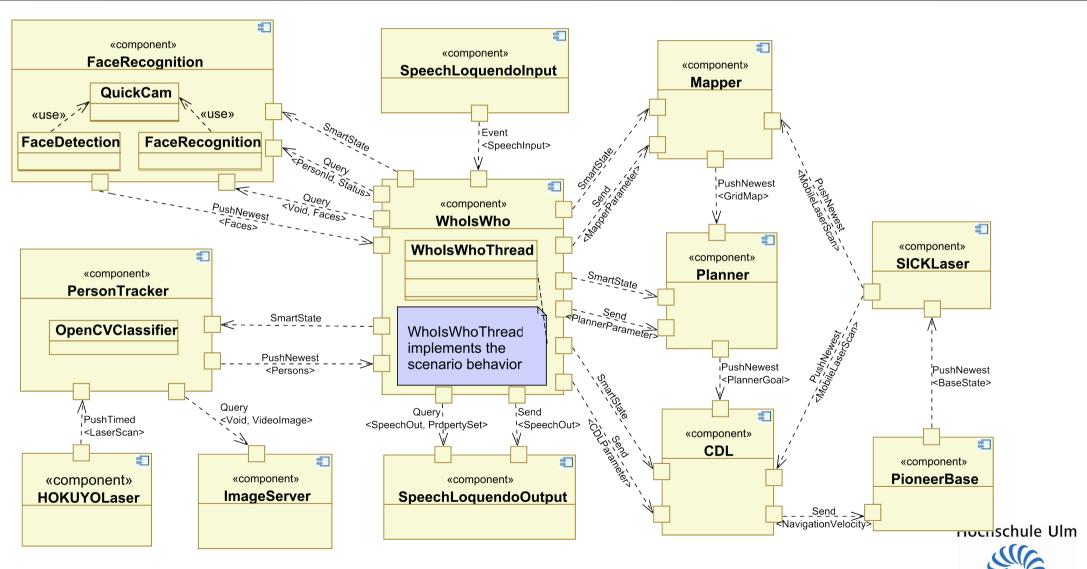


### Model Driven Software Development Examples / Robocup@Home / "FollowMe"



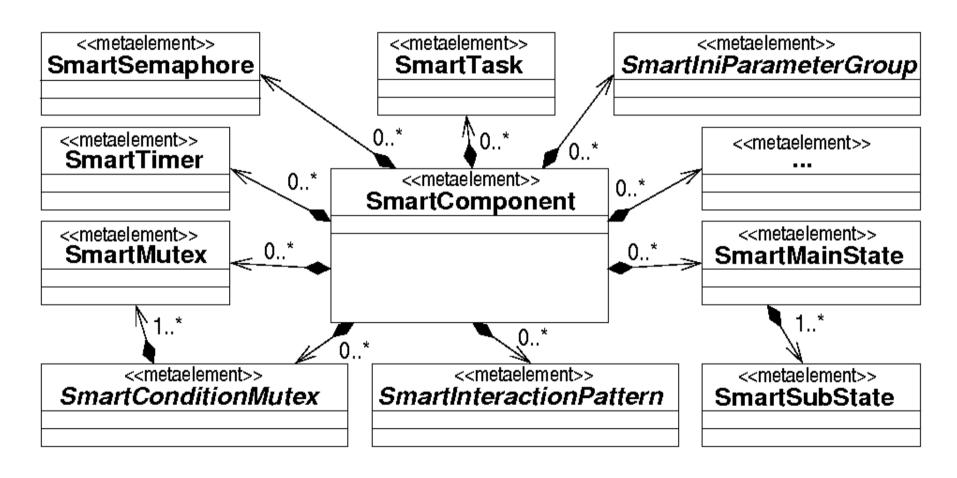


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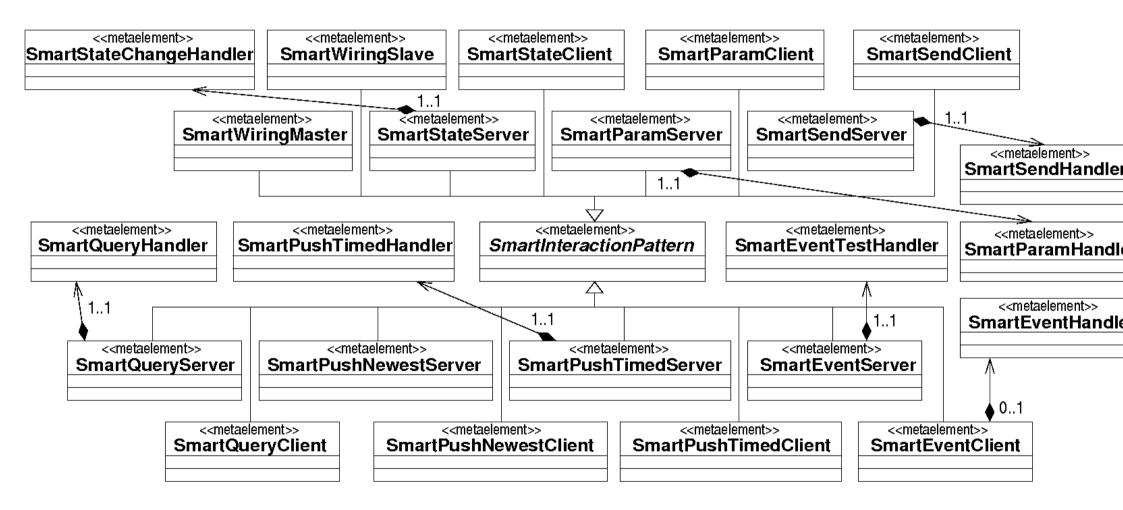
## **Model Driven Software Development Metamodels (partial view)**







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# **Model Driven Software Development It is all available (LGPL) ...**

- Toolchain based on Open Architecture Ware
  - fully integrated into Eclipse
  - http://www.openarchitectureware.org/
- MDSD Toolchain Example
  - PIM: SmartMARS robotics profile (Modeling and Analysis of Robotics Systems)
  - PSM: SmartSoft in different implementations but with the same semantics!
  - can be easily adapted to different profiles / profile extensions / PSMs
- Short Summary on SmartSoft [LGPL]
  - http://smart-robotics.sourceforge.net/
  - http://www.zafh-servicerobotik.de/ULM/en/smartsoft.php
  - CORBA (ACE/TAO) based SmartSoft
    - on sourceforge with various robotics components and simulators etc.
    - in use in research and industry
  - ACE (without CORBA) based SmartSoft
    - on sourceforge [Linux, Windows]
    - in use in research and industry
  - oAW Toolchain for SmartSoft
    - on sourceforge (including Screencasts and Tutorials)



