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<u>The OMG's Expanded Mission :</u> <u>Model Driven ArchitectureTM (MDATM)</u>

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Format: Audio Conference

The Model Driven Architecture (MDA) provides an open, vendor-neutral approach to the challenge of interoperability, building upon and leveraging the value of OMG's established modeling standards: UMLTM, MOFTM, XMITM and CWMTM. MDA is also intended to address interoperability at the design level with many languages & platforms, including CORBA®, .Net, e-Speak, ONE, XML/SOAP and the like.

The Object Management $Group^{TM}$ (OMG) has invited some of its key contributing OMG Members to a press and analyst-only briefing on what the MDA is and how it is being used by customers. If you're interested in learning more about how the MDA is establishing the OMG as a place for streamlining the process of integration and development of new specifications, please join us on the telephone briefing.

Guest speakers include:

- Mr. Eric H. Castain, Business Object Services, Senior Vice President, Wells Fargo Bank
- Mr. David Frankel, Chief Consulting Architect, Advanced Technologies, IONA Technologies, Inc.
- Dr. Jishnu Mukerji, Senior System Architect, Middleware Division, Hewlett-Packard Company
- Dr. Richard Soley, Chairman and CEO, Object Management Group

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