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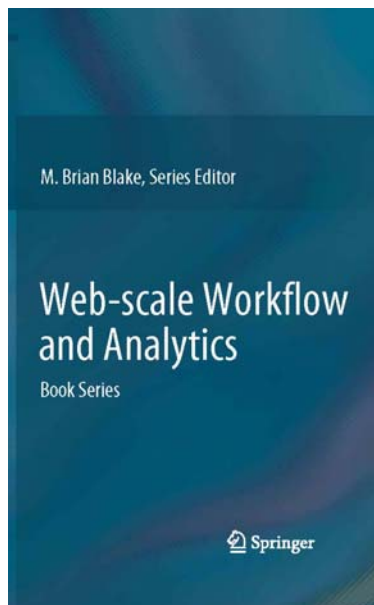
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This series encourages proposals on cutting-edge technology and science in the following topics (but not limited to):

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- Service-oriented architecture, service-oriented computing, web services, and innovative applications of software-as-a service
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- System integration for Internet-based business-to-business, peer-to-peer, and mixed systems
- Elastic computing and programming models for optimizing the use of human and software services together to solve web-scale challenges

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