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Preface

Since 1997 participants in the Logica symposia have had the opportunity of publishing their contributions in The Logica Yearbook series. Last year was no exception and so we have the pleasure of introducing the latest volume of the proceedings which contains most of the papers presented at Logica 2011.

The international symposium Logica has a long and rich tradition and, in this respect, last year was very special because we were celebrating an important anniversary. Logica 2011 was the 25th event in the series of conferences annually held in the Czech Republic.

Logica 2011, held at Hejnice Monastery (North Bohemia) from 20th to 24th June 2011, was organized by the Department of Logic in the Institute of Philosophy of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic. As every year, the symposium brought together logicians from the whole world and besides the invited talks (invited speakers were Edwin Mares, Pavel Materna, Krister Segerberg and Gila Sher) about thirty other papers devoted to the various branches of logic were presented.

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