



## Verification and Testing at Run-Time for Online Quality Prediction

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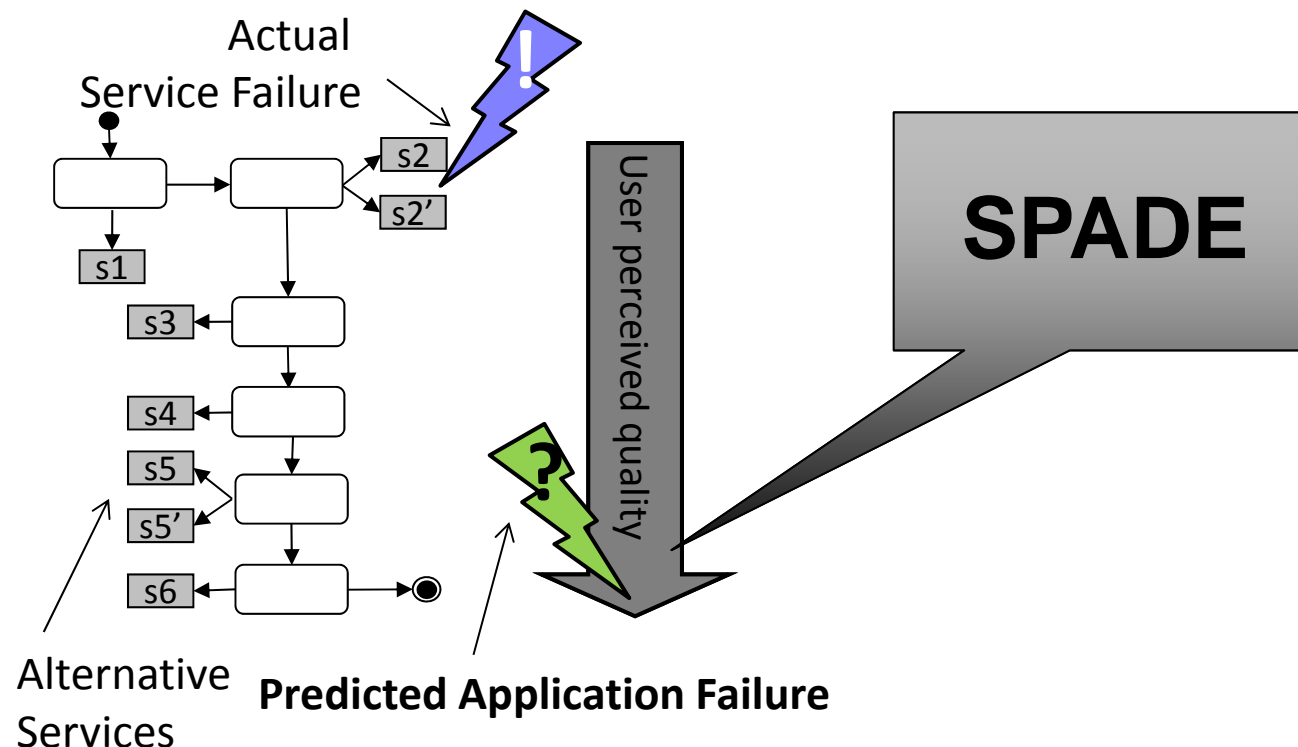


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# Motivation

## Use of Online Quality Prediction

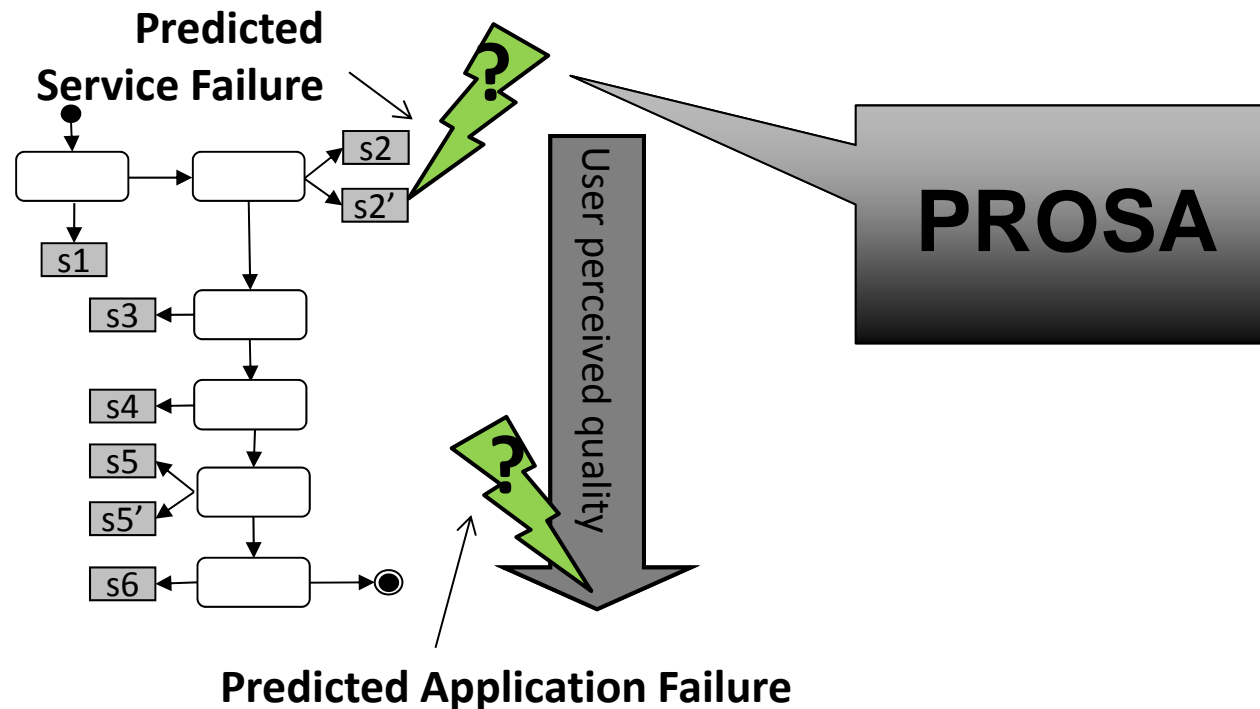
- **Observation 1:** Service failure needs action if (and only if) it may impacts on the expected application quality



# Motivation

## Use of Online Quality Prediction

- Observation 2:** Predicting failure of individual service allows avoiding compensation/repair actions



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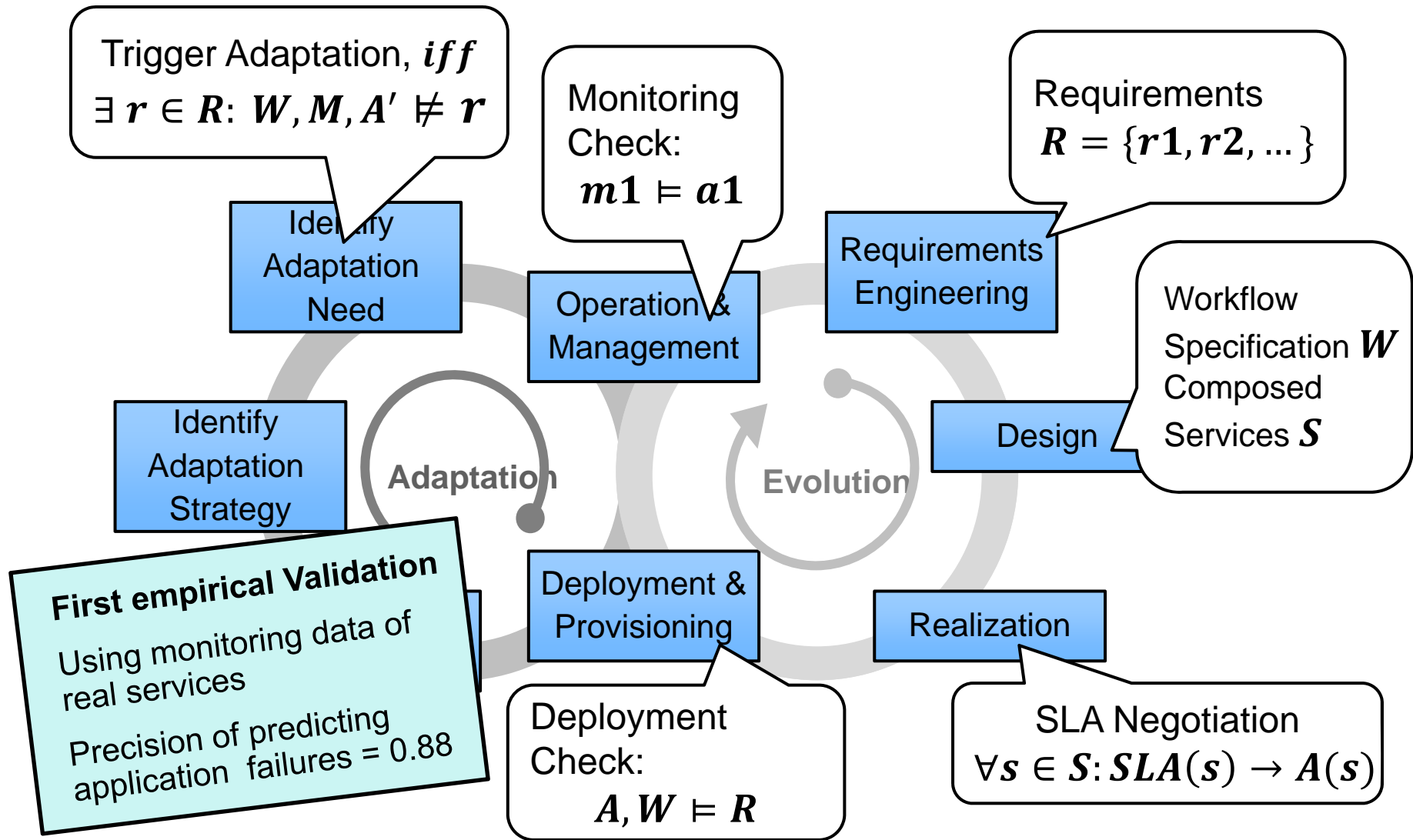
# Application Failure Prediction with SPADE

## *Related Work*

- Avoidance of failures of future instances by adapting the application model [GhezziEtAl2009, KazhamiakinEtAl2009, ZengingEtAl2011]
  - Achieved by e.g. alternating the service composition workflow
  - Focus on the model not on the instance
- Avoidance of instance failures by exploiting Machine Learning [LeitnerEtAl2009, LeitnerEtAl2010, LeitnerEtAl2011, LinEtAl2010]
  - Achieved by e.g. converting fragments, substitute services, etc.
  - Needs a large amount of training data
- Avoidance of instance failures by exploiting QoS-Aggregation and Constraint-Solving Techniques [IvanovicEtAl2011]
  - Allows to reason on the instance in order to reveal free time resources (e.g. used to determine allowed iterations)
  - Doesn't support to check the chronological order of events

# Application Failure Prediction with SPADE

*Assumption based Runtime Verification*



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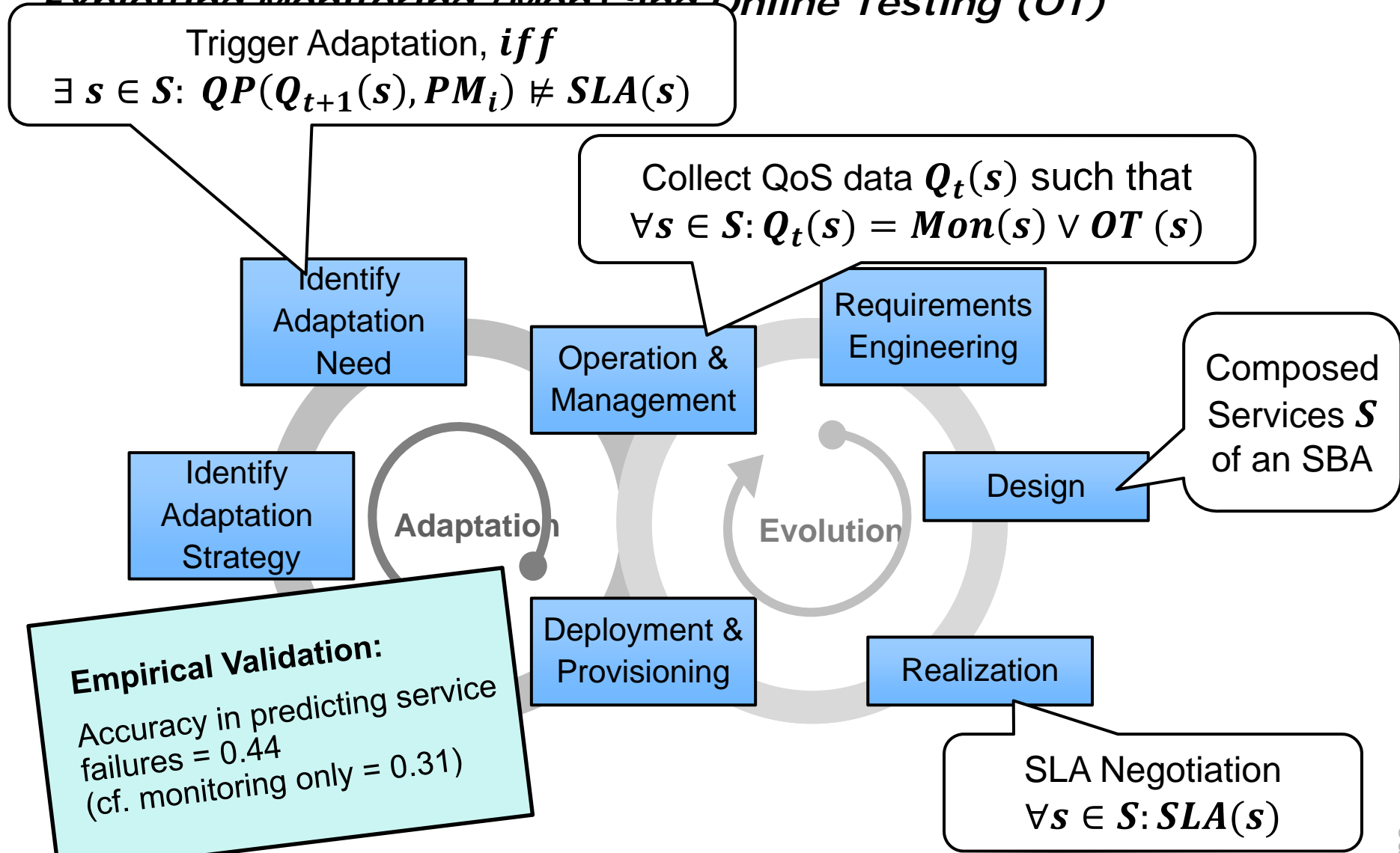
# Service Failure Prediction with PROSA

## *Related Work*

- Online Failure Prediction of Services (c.f., [ShaoEtAl2007, ZhengEtAl2008, ShiEtAl2011])
  - Rely only on QoS data from monitoring
  - ➔ Prediction may be challenged by little monitoring data
  
- Online Testing [PentaEtAl2007, BertolinoEtAl2010, TsaiEtAl2008, ChanEtAl2007]
  - ➔ Don't exploit online testing for online service failure prediction
  
- Combined Monitoring and Testing
  - Build usage profiles from monitoring data [ChallagullaEtAl2007]
  - Use monitoring data to define test cases for functional testing [BaiEtAl2008]
  - ➔ Don't complement monitoring data with online testing for service failure prediction

# Service Failure Prediction with PROSA

Exploiting Monitoring (Mon) and Online Testing (OT)



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# Conclusion and Outlook

- SPADE  
→ prediction of **failures of the application**
- PROSA  
→ prediction of **service failures**
- PROSPADE  
→ **Integrating PROSA and SPADE** to improve **failure prediction**

# Thank You!

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