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This is an amazing paper in which the author offers 33 presentation topics with full paginated citations from 27 references. At Hamilton College, where the author teaches, students give oral presentations and this material provides a wealth of options for them, but in the context of SIMIODE and modeling first differential equations we are given a real treasure chest of rich resources. No doubt your library has access to this well-established and rich journal, *PRIMUS - Problems, Resource, and Issues in Mathematics Undergraduate Studies*. Get this article!!!

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