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Requirements by Collaboration is one of the best books I've read about identifying, exploring and documenting requirements. Ellen Gottesdiener describes a plethora of real-world, proven techniques for working together effectively in facilitated requirements workshops. Offering pragmatic advice for getting requirements right and building a solid foundation for your team, *Requirements by Collaboration* shows you how to choose the right model for your situation by following the AM practice of Applying the Right Artifact(s). The book also boasts a useful collection of collaboration patterns such as "Wall of Wonder" (AM's Display Models Publicly) and "Decide How to Decide." If you're serious about modeling, you need Requirements by Collaboration.

Requirements by Collaboration: Workshops for Defining Needs by Ellen Gottesdiener (Addison-Wesley, 2002)

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