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Projective Representations of Mapping Classes of Surfaces coming from the Kauffman bracket.

We will discuss the ensemble of projective representations of the mapping class group of a surface with boundary coming from the extended TQFT underlying the Kauffman bracket. (Received August 08, 2011)