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I will discuss some of the striking parallels that have recently emerged in the structure theory of simple W^* - and C^* -algebras. (Received September 16, 2013)