

**TITLE**

Large Scale Deliberation

**ABSTRACT**

The proposed short talk will introduce large scale deliberation as one of the research topics at the foundation of the CAPS initiative.

We will define the problem of decision making in large and open social contexts, differentiate it from traditional cooperative work and decision making, survey the open research issues in the field, and describe some notable approaches emerged in recent work both in the industry and in academia, as a contribution to understanding the research challenges posed by CAPS and the proper conceptual and technical tools that can be put to work to face them.