

# Danish-Bavarian Workshop on Robotics / ICT in Horizon 2020



# Agenda

- Introduction
  - Chair of Digital Industrial Service Systems (FAU Erlangen-Nuremberg)
  - Software, Data, People & Society (SDPS) Section (University of Copenhagen)
- Idea: AI + Declarative Notations
- Potential Topics



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# The University of Erlangen-Nuremberg is among the top 10

## Rankings

**Number 1 in Germany in the  
QS World University Ranking**  
*Most cited Researchers*

**Number 2 in the Reuters-  
Ranking of the *most  
innovative universities***



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# Chair of Digital Industrial Service Systems

## Our Team





# The research activities of our chair focus on three areas

## Main fields of research

### Digital Service Systems

- Development and modelling of services
- Design of information systems for services

Example:

“Industry-4.0”-services

- Information systems for cyberphysical systems (CPS)
- Dynamic business processes for CPS

### Business Process Management

- Business Process Monitoring
- Business Process Mining

Example:

Methods and information systems for:

- Design and analysis of business processes
- Execution of processes and monitoring of instances

### Information Management

- Modelling of data and processes for value creation networks
- Development of domain-specific modelling methods

Example:

Value Delivery Modelling Language

# THE UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN IN NUMBERS



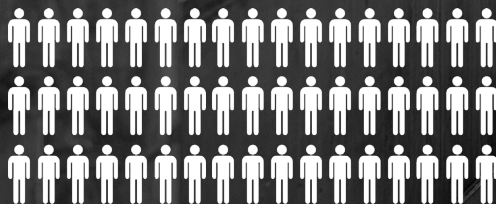
200+ BACHELOR'S AND  
MASTER'S PROGRAMMES



USD 1.3 BILLION  
IN REVENUE



STUDENTS AND STAFF



50,000+



38,000 STUDENTS

3,100 PHD STUDENTS

9,400 EMPLOYEES

Established in 1479

# Department of Computer Science, University of Copenhagen

- Established in 1970 by Turing Award winner Peter Naur
- First computer science Department in Denmark
- +100 researchers
- 6 Research sections:
  - Algorithms and Complexity,
  - Human-Centred Computing,
  - Image Analysis, Computational Modelling and Geometry,
  - Machine Learning,
  - Programming Languages and Theory of Computing,
  - ***Software, Data, People & Society***



## Participating members of the SDPS section

**Thomas Hildebrandt**, Professor, Head of Software, Data, People & Society (SDPS) Section

- Formal methods, Declarative & Reactive Process Technologies, Concurrent, distributed and mobile context-aware systems. Model-driven software engineering for reactive systems

**Marcos Vaz Salles**, Associate Prof. co-leader of Data Management Systems Group

- Reactive Databases, smart agriculture using satellite data, IoT, spatial queries

**Yongluan Zhou**, Associate Prof. & co-leader of Data Management Systems Group

- Real-time data management, Complex-event processing, Robustness

**Tijs Slaats**, Assistant Professor & head of Process Modelling and Intelligence Group

- Process Management, Modelling and Mining, Declarative Process Technologies

**Boris Düdler**, Assistant Professor & co-leader of Security and Privacy Group

- Synchronous digital shadows of agile production systems, formal verification and automatic generation of robot code and configuration, and robot integration in decentralized, dynamic production systems.





## Idea: Declarative Modeling + AI (1/2)

### ICT-46-2020 – Robotics Core Technology

- Today, complete autonomy of robots is not realistic
  - Some kind of **goal** has to be known **a priori** (build / move something)
  - Handling of **unexpected situations** (safety in human-robot collaboration)
  - Learning with unexpected situations requires **massive amounts of training data**
- However
  - Goals can be described as **services** or **pending artifacts**
  - **Assertions** for safe situations can be modeled in advance
  - **Less training data** necessary if parts of a process / procedure are known a priori

## Idea: Declarative Modeling + AI (1/2)

### ICT-46-2020 – Robotics Core Technology

- Idea
  - Combine **declarative modeling** approaches with **ML methods**
  - Apply training data within **bounds of safety measures / goals**
  - Find **optimal paths** for the current situation (flexible re-planning in unexpected situations, learn best practices)
  
- **Searching for...**
  - Robotics company with medium process volume
  - Industry plant with connected robotics appliances

# We are looking for industry partners!

## Potential topics

### ■ **ICT-46-2020**

- Research and Innovation Actions (RIA) – Robotics Core Technology
  - **AI and Cognition:** Declarative Modeling + AI
  - Socially cooperative human-robot-interaction
  - **Model-based design and configuration tools**
- Innovation Actions (IA) – Robotics for agri-food, and agile production
  - BPM: Experience in standards / norms / reference models

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## Potential topics

### ■ **ICT-47-2020**

- Development of intrinsically safe physical powerful robotic systems with proximity sensing capability for human-scale collaborative tasks
  - Formal models
  - Extensions for flexibility, safety bounds, non-atomic transactions
- Development of variable autonomy systems that significantly extend and enhance the operator's awareness of the working environment. Sharing autonomy between a human operator and a robot.
  - Same as above



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Here today



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