

# Modeling Science, Technology, and Innovation

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## Map of Scientific Collaborations from 2005-2009



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## Models of Science, Technology, and Innovation (STI)

STI models use qualitative and quantitative data about scholars, papers, patents, grants, jobs, news, etc. to describe and predict the probable structure and/or dynamics of STI itself.

They are developed in economics, science policy, social science, scientometrics and bibliometrics, information science, physics, and other domains.


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## Modelling Advantage

Models are widely used in the construction of scientific theories as they help

- Make assumptions explicit
- Describe the structure and dynamics of systems
- Communicate and explain systems
- Suggest possible interventions
- Identify new questions

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Government, academic, and industry leaders discussed challenges and opportunities associated with using big data, visual analytics, and computational models in STI decision-making.

Conference slides, recordings, and report are available via <http://modsti.cns.iu.edu/report>



## Forthcoming Special Issue of *Scientometrics*: Simulating the Processes of Science, Technology, and Innovation

Bruce Edmonds, Andrea Scharnhorst, Katy Börner & Staša Milojević (Editors)



- **Rogier De Langhe:** Towards the Discovery of Scientific Revolutions in Scientometric Data
- **Sabine Brunswicker, Sorin Matej, Michael Zentner, Lynn Zentner and Gerhard Klimeck:** Creating Impact in the Digital Space: Digital Practice Dependency in Scientific Developer Communities
- **Johan Bollen et al.:** An Efficient System to Fund Science: From Proposal Review to Peer-to-Peer Distributions
- **Petra Ahrweiler:** Agent-based Simulation for Science, Technology and Innovation Policy
- **David Chavalarias:** What's Wrong With Science? Modeling Collective Discovery Processes With the Nobel Game
- **Jeff Alstott, Giorgio Triulzi, Bowen Yan and Jianxi Luo:** Mapping Technology Space by Normalizing Patent Technology Networks

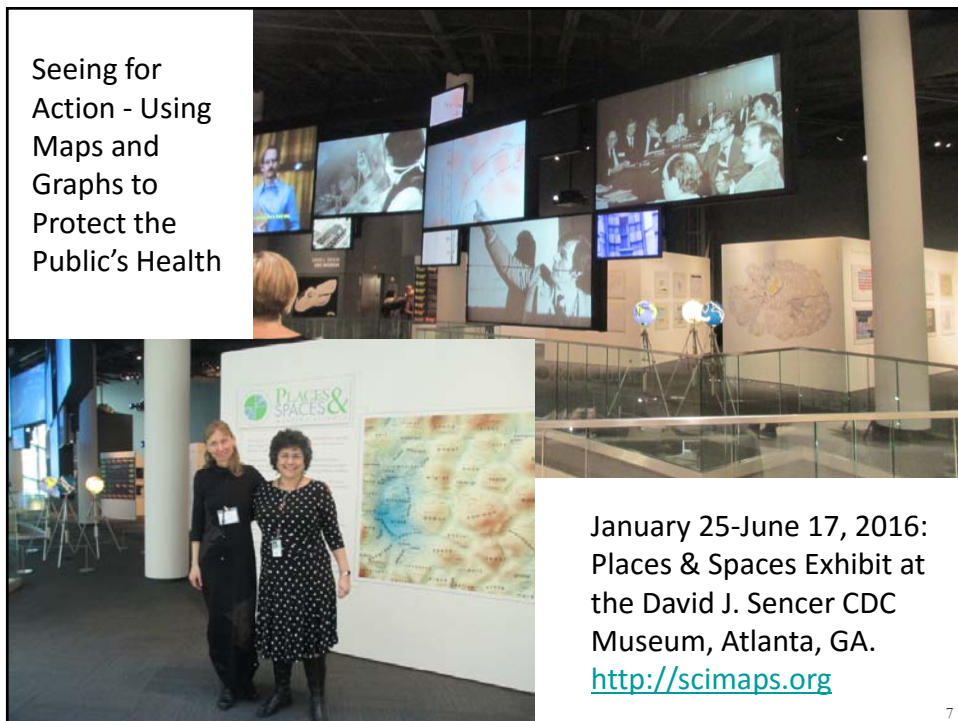
## Modelling Opportunities: Data-Driven Decision Making

Now available:

- high-quality, high coverage, interlinked data
- cost-effective storage and computation
- validated, scalable algorithms
- visualization and animations capabilities

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