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Network science and application to socio-economic systems

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Network science has been successfully applied in recent years in many worldwide systems and processes. These include financial systems [1,2] and social systems [3,4]. I will present and discuss some examples including (i) how network science can be useful to distinguish between fake news and real news [3], (ii) how to identify bottlenecks in urban traffic [5], (iii) how scientists switch between research topics during their career [4] and (iv) what are the advantages of working in fresh teams [6].

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