



NSF Workshop

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Who Am I?



Research Interests

- Wireless world (everything connected)
 - <u>D</u>elay <u>T</u>olerant <u>N</u>etworks
 (<u>D</u>isruption <u>T</u>olerant <u>N</u>etworks, <u>D</u>isconnection <u>T</u>olerant <u>N</u>etworks)
 - Vehicular Ad Hoc networks (VANETs)
 - Pocket Switched Networks (PSN)



Delay Tolerant Networks, why different?

Intermittent/disrupted connectivity (occasionally connected)

Routing performed opportunistically (store-carry-forward)

Large end-to-end delay

Low reliability

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- Vehicular ad hoc Networks
 - Socio-aware mobility modeling

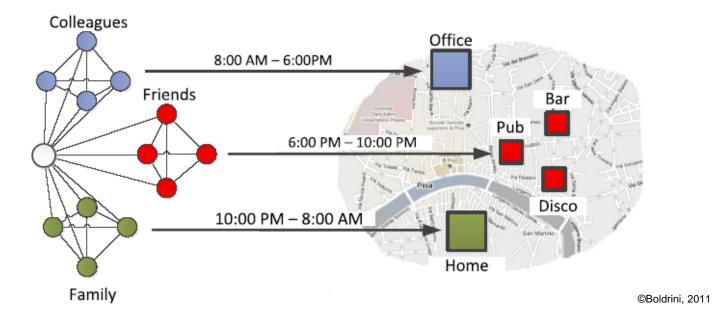


- Pocket switched networks (PSN)
 - Community detection
 - Social trust

Our Approach

Integrate:

- Spatial aspects (location)
- Temporal aspects (time)
- Social aspects (communities, social groups,...)



Social Trust

Node cooperation is assumed to be a "de-facto"

Truth is: not all nodes are willing to cooperate

Question:

How to use social aspects (community detection) to establish trustworthy communication in a delay tolerant network?

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Realistic assumptions

Nodes are different: some are more mobile, more popular

Humans tend to visit nearby locations more often. Most time spent in small subset of locations (work, home)

Different behavior over time (mornings vs evenings, weekends vs weekdays,..)

social relations??