

# Proposal experimental plan draft - Version 0.1

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# **Proposal Goal**

#### Scientific

 To find out whether intelligent agents semantic-awareness help with emergence of better collective behavior (NULL hypothesis)

#### **Technical**

Scalable object transportation (and vertical landing in vertical mode)



# Semantic-awareness meaning

- A mutual understanding of the meaning of the language from which generative (Bayesian) models that agents use are derived
- Considering the meaning of different parts of this language in the context in which they appear to provide
  - Temporality semantics
  - Similarity semantics



## **Goal** - semantic perspective

Each agent receives sequences of generative models that neighboring agents have, are or will experience(d) and they decide for individual actions which emerges in a collective behavior to solve a problem.



# Related study area

- Bayesian self-aware Artificial Intelligence
- Collective adaptive systems
  - Collective object transportation
- Swarm navigation and Self-organizing
- Dynamic system modeling
  - Dynamic Bayesian modeling
- Discretization of continuous features
- Semantics



# Methodology

A Bayesian self-aware Artificial intelligence approach will be taken which must include

- Individual perception
- Discretization (using clustering methods) of state space and derive the alphabet of two languages
  - Alphabets of words describing interaction between neighboring agents
  - Alphabets of words describing individual dynamism
- Abnormality detection in individual motion

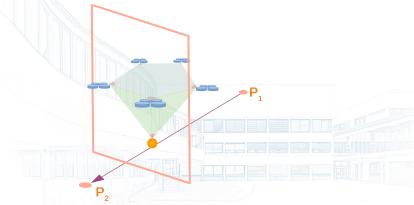


# Methodology - 2

- Abnormality detection in interaction
- Generative individual models
- Generative interaction models
- Descriminative models
- Control decision making according abnormality detection

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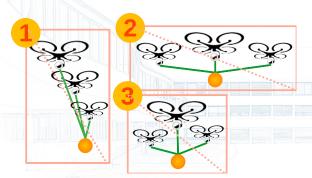
Reference transportation



The importance of such obstacles is that every surface can be divided to small, similar surfaces such that they approach the shape of the surface.

# Horizontal Frame Scenarios - Frame passage transportation

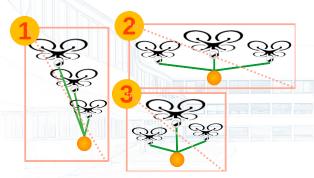
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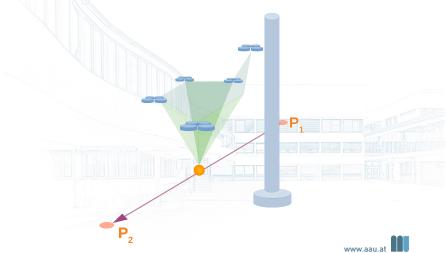
- **Scenario 1**: Row formation to pass through a vertically narrow frame
- Scenario 2: Line formation to pass through a horizontally narrow frame
- Scenario 3: Compact formation to pass through a small window

The goal is that through semantic transaction of generative models, such formations are achieved



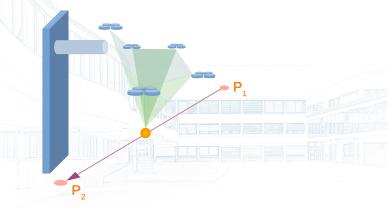
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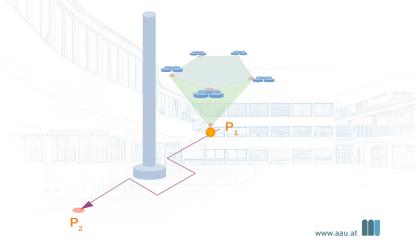
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## Scenario: Horizontal column avoidance

More scenarios could be devised such that interaction orientation changes between consecutive ranks is not necessary



## Scenario: Horizontal column avoidance

The goal of the last three scenarios is to prove that semantic communication not only helps better individual actions but also it can signify whether a communication is needed at all or not.



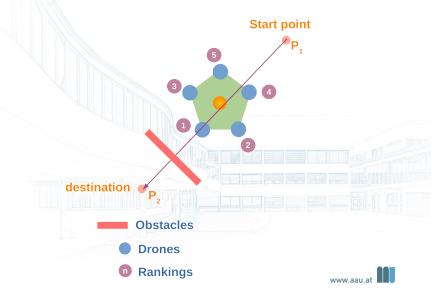
#### Communication rules

To keep communication decentralized, a ranking strategy according to closeness of agents to destination is needed and the following rules should be observed.

- No agent can transmit the generative models from other agents to the neighboring agent.
- Messages can be made of one generative model and the senders rank or more than one (for distributional semantics)
- Messages can only be transmitted to neighboring ranked nodes when the generative model an agent is practicing changes.



# **Communication rules - Ranking**



## Requirements

- At least three drones so that neighboring communication is meaningful, although the results could be evaluated a lot better using more drones
- Minimum two different sensors to establish a relationship between heterogeneous sensors. The best of such sensors for depth and obstacle selection in low speed are active sensors:
  - Lidar
  - Sonar

