# What is Schelling Game?

### The Schelling Game

- Schelling Game uses a *game-theoretic model* where participants are incentivized to vote honestly because:
  - They are rewarded if their vote matches the majority.
  - ► They are penalized if they vote differently.

#### **How It Works**

- Jurors are randomly selected from token holders.
- More tokens more chances of being selected.
- Jurors review evidence and cast votes.
- Honest jurors win rewards; dishonest ones lose tokens.
- This creates a self-correcting system that converges on truth.

# **Conviction Voting**

### A New Way to Vote

- Traditional voting: one person, one vote.
- *Conviction Voting*: voters lock tokens over time → gain more voting power.
- Long-term stakeholders have stronger influence.

#### Why Use It?

- Prevents spam proposals.
- Encourages long-term thinking.
- Balances power between large and small token holders.

# **Example Scenario**

Let's say there's a proposal to fund a new project in a DAO:

### With Conviction Voting:

- Alice locks 100 DOT for 4 weeks → her vote carries more weight.
- Bob casts a quick vote with 50 DOT → less influence.

## With Schelling Game:

• Jurors are randomly selected from token holders. More tokens more chances of being selected. • Jurors are financially incentivized to vote correctly.

### \* Summary \*

- Schelling Game uses a Schelling Point mechanism to ensure honest evidence review.
- *Conviction Voting* empowers long-term commitment in decentralized governance.
- Together, they provide tools for fair, secure, and community-driven decisions.