## **Call for Papers: Special Issue on Social Media Processing**

Social media processing, as an interdisciplinary field at the crossroad of computer science and social science, is rapidly growing. Social media not only profoundly affects our life and silently changes our way of life, but also meanwhile generates big user data. Processing such big social media data provides us with golden opportunities to understand individuals as well as human behavioral patterns. Building and utilizing new technologies for efficient and effective social media processing is highly desired.

However, social media data possesses extremely complex characteristics, e.g., noisy, unstructured, and multimodality. This special issue serves as a forum for researchers and practitioners to present their original and high-quality works on social media processing. Topics include, but are not restricted to:

- Social Mining and Prediction
- Social Network Analysis and User Modeling
- Network Representation Learning, GNN and Applications
- Computational Social Sciences
- Computational communication
- Social Influence Modeling and
  Prediction
- Social Media Security and Privacy

- NLP in Social Media
- Multi-Media and Social Media
- Visualization in Social Media
- Sentiment Analysis and Opinion Mining in Social Media
- AI for Education, Finance and Law
- Computational History
- Social Robots
- Epidemic Analysis

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