Professor Nejdl at Ideenexpo 2017

Participating at the Ideenexpo 2017 Prof. Nejdl took part in a discussion with the TV moderator Ranga Yogeshwar on the topic “Fake News” on 2017 June 18.

The number and spreading of fake news increased significantly over the past year, especially during the period of the American presidential election campaign. Fake reports have been spread up to a million times in social media, e.g Facebook and Twitter. Therefore, the ability to assess and identify fake news must be addressed as an indispensable aspect of digital education and media literacy.