Abstract

In order to pose and design scientific policies, it is necessary to take into account the expertise’s point of view. Nevertheless, and due to the relevant role that scientific and technological knowledge plays in social and economical development, it is also necessary take into account the citizen perspective. Whereas scientific and technological experts are able to develop rational models, other agents should contribute in the analysis of what reasonability is. It could help us in the task of purging responsibilities when unnecessary risks have been taken.

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Rational, reasonable, uncertainty, risk.