

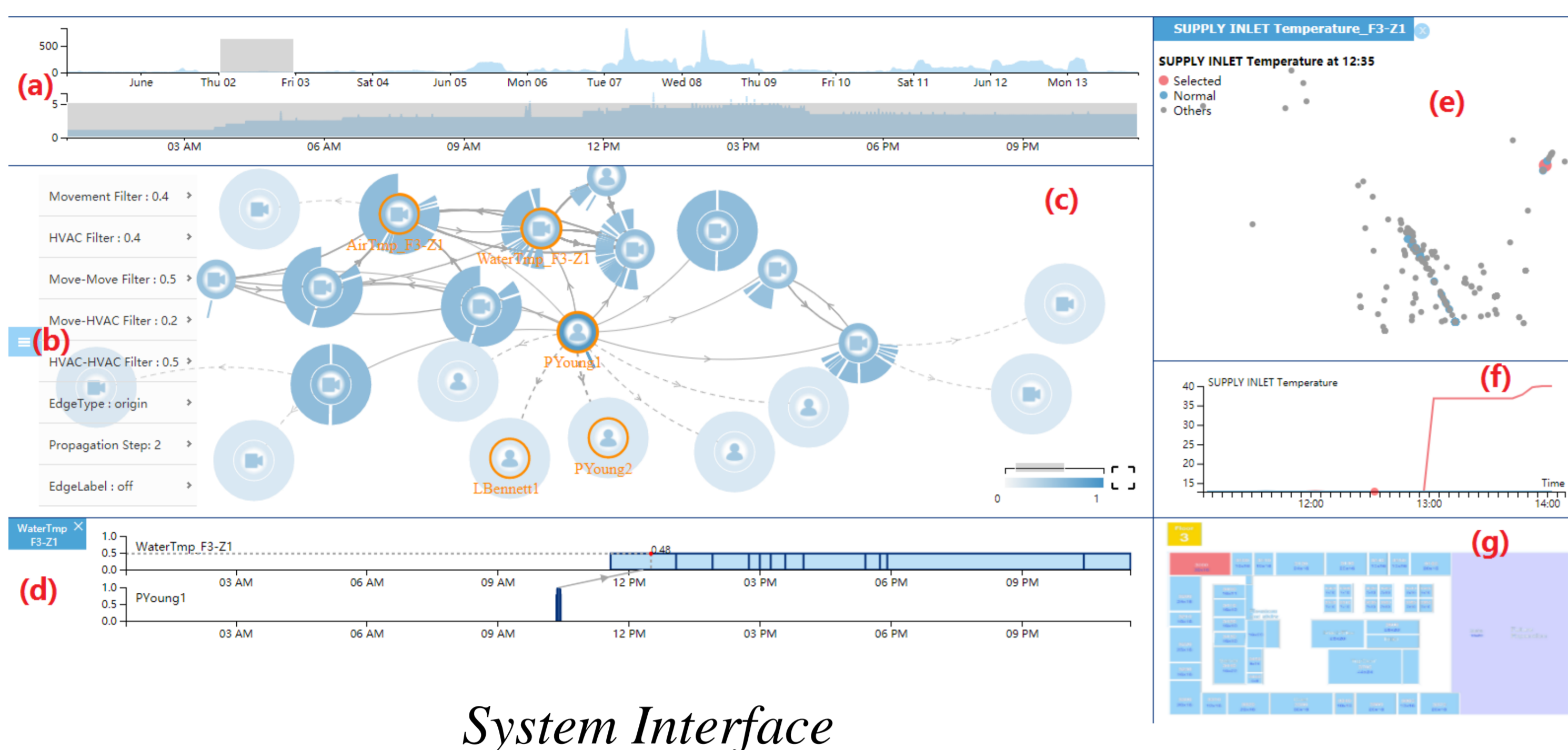
Visual Analysis of Collective Anomalies Through High-Order Correlation Graph

基于高阶关联图的群体异常可视化分析系统

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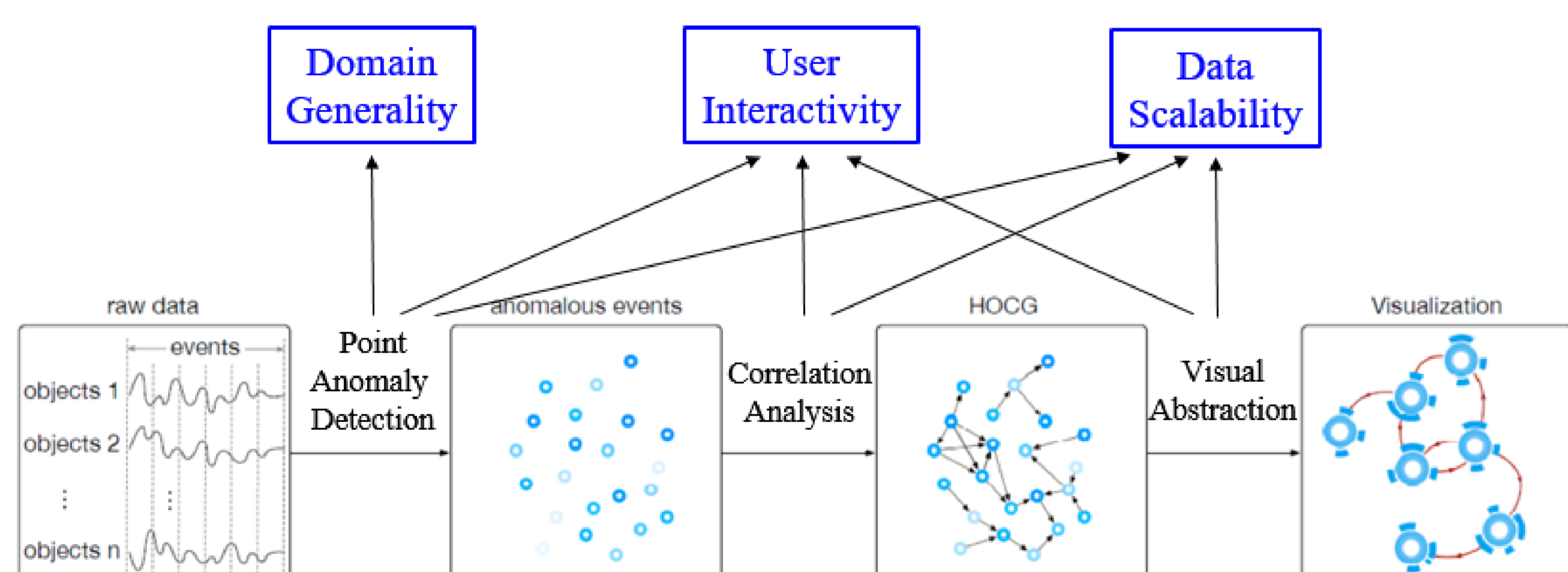
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System Interface

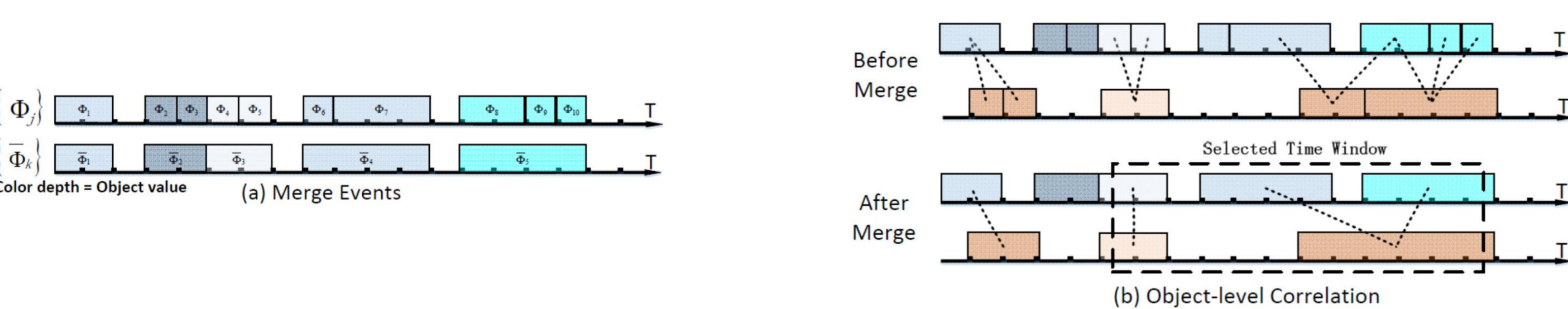
Background

- Anomaly Types
 - Point anomaly: e.g., an illegal overwrite of memory
 - Contextual anomaly: e.g., high CPU usage in the resting state
 - Collective anomaly: e.g., ssh->buffer-overflow-> ftp
- Detection algorithms: collective anomaly is the most challenging
 - Classification-based
 - Statistical model-based
 - Nearest Neighbor-based
 - Information-theoretic-based
 - Clustering-based
 - Spectral-based



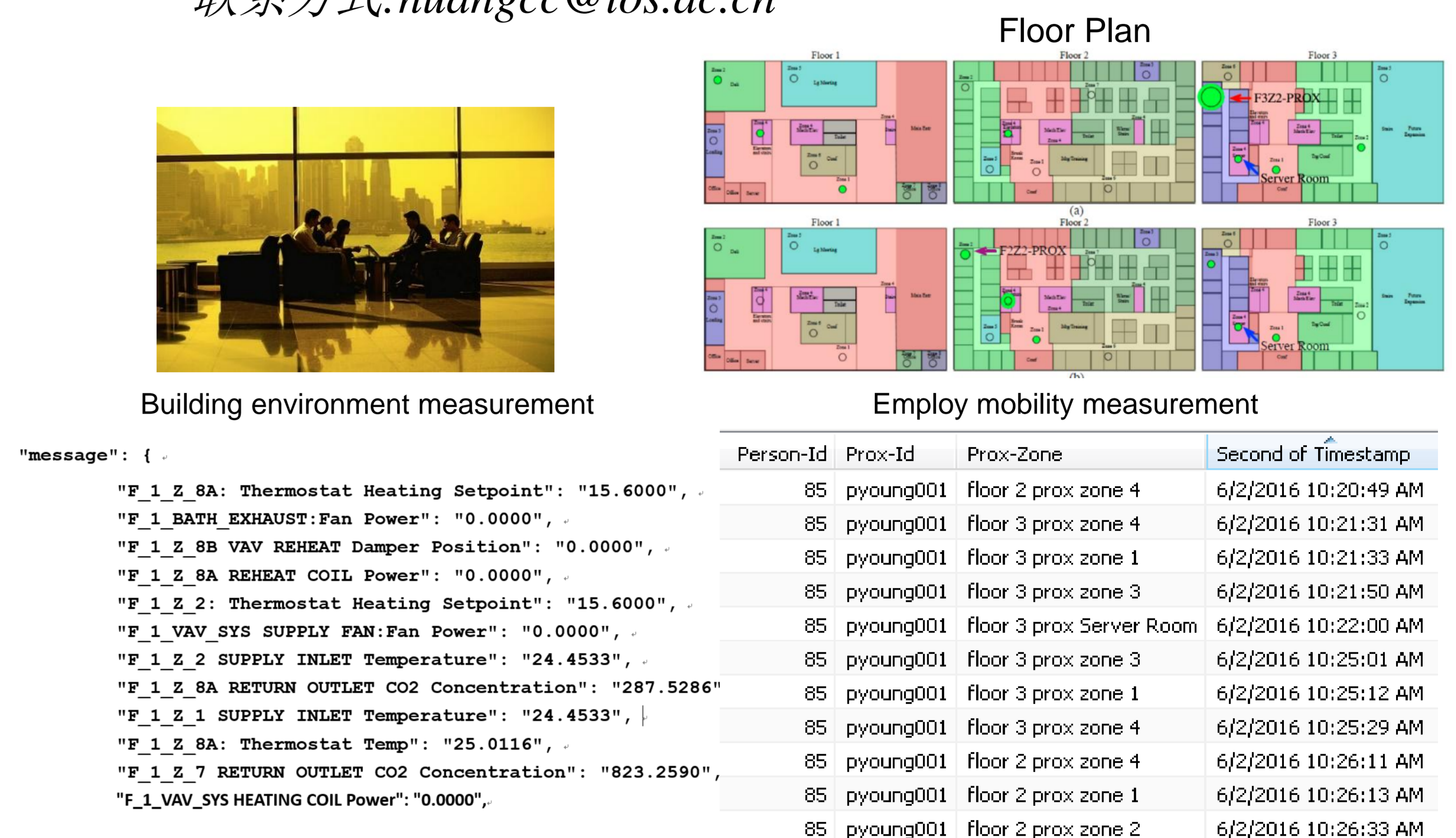
Research Problem

- Design a visual analytics technique for detecting the collective anomaly on a group of interrelated objects from their observed behaviors

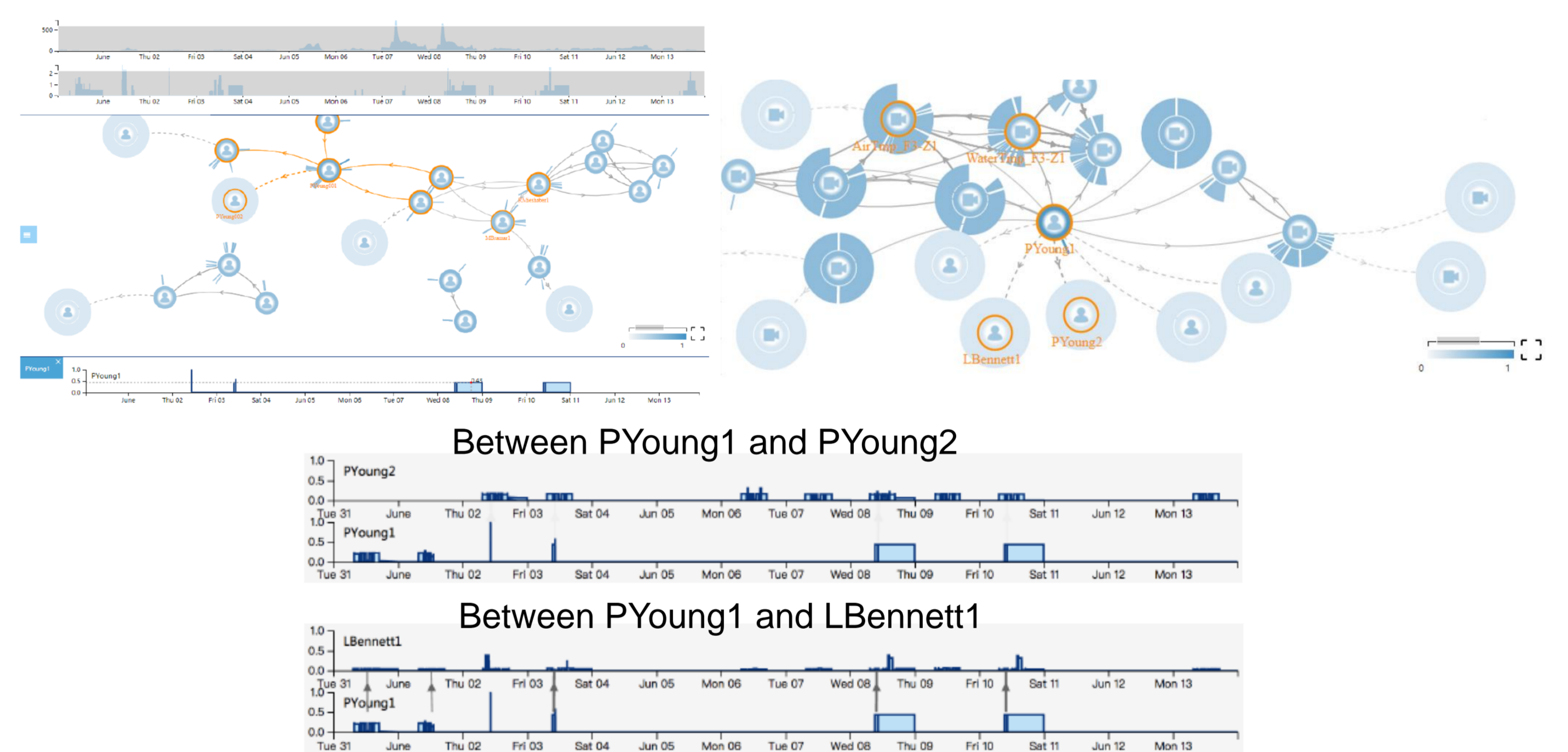


Visual Abstraction

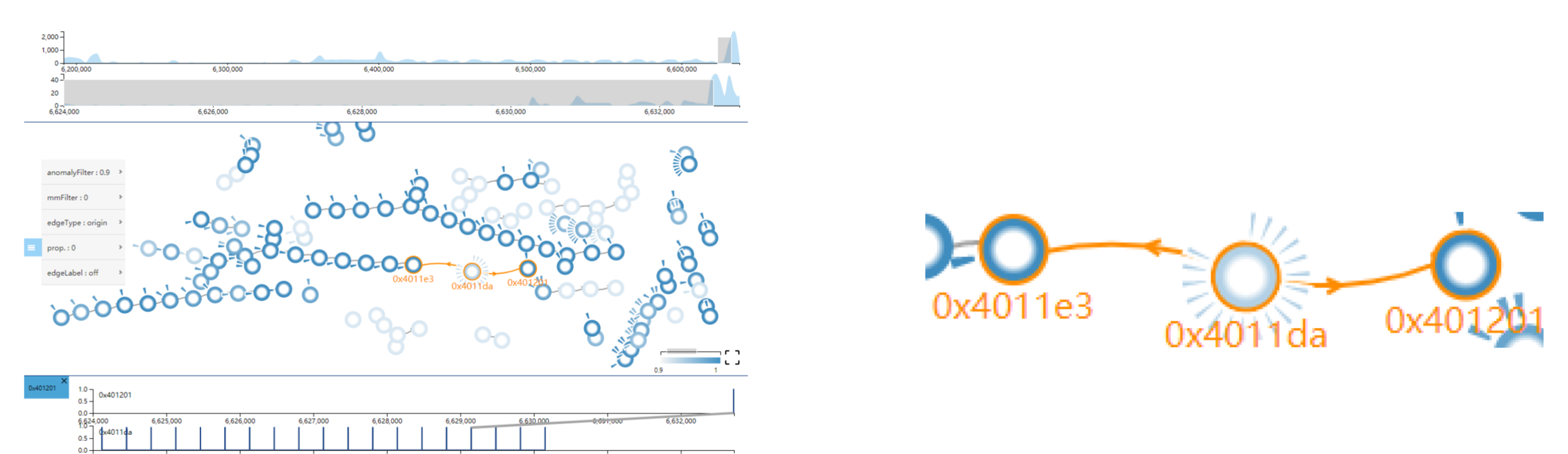
- Filtering of HOCCG
 - Selection of events based on time and anomaly/correlation threshold
 - Augment HOCCG to include highly related events to the selected ones
- Object-centric abstraction
 - Aggregate events belonging to the same object into one group node
 - Aggregate event-level correlations to object-level correlations



Two datasets



Case Study: Facility Monitoring



Case Study: Software Crash Analysis

Conclusion

- We propose the concept of high-order correlation graph
 - Generality: detect correlations among objects with heterogeneous data types, incorporate domain knowledge
 - Scalability: support to scale to huge number of objects, dimensions, and events
 - Interactivity: customize the HOCCG for flexibly analysis anomaly
- We design a visualization interface to explore HOCCG for collective anomaly detection
 - Wedge-based visual metaphor
 - HOCCG view, event view, detail view