Unknown Futures
- Limits of Our Knowledge

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Agenda

1. Why?
2. How?
3. Who?
Why?

This is why

The perceived probability of the financial market events in Sept 2008 was 0.00000000000000000000007

Strategic planning
Risk management
Resilience building

FORESIGHT
How - Systematic procedure
How: Values explicit, no normative solution

- **Low economic growth**
  - Efficiency of economy
  - Public debt
  - Success in the global markets
  - Scarcity of resources, climate change

- **CHALLENGE**
  - Night watch state, markets allocate resources
  - Role of central government minimized, local decisions
  - Investment on structural change
  - Degrowth

- **SOLUTION**
  - Automation, cheap energy, life expect. 120 years
  - Localization, soc. network technology, erosion of democracy
  - Globalization, Climate change, managed Individualism
  - Radical climate change, transition of values

- **DRIVERS**
  - Global connectivity
  - Decent life

- **World of Markets:**
  - Big Finnish Society.
How: What are the implications for me

1. Wealth
2. Social capital
3. Cultural capital

Source: BBC Great British Class Study
Who?
Thank You!

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