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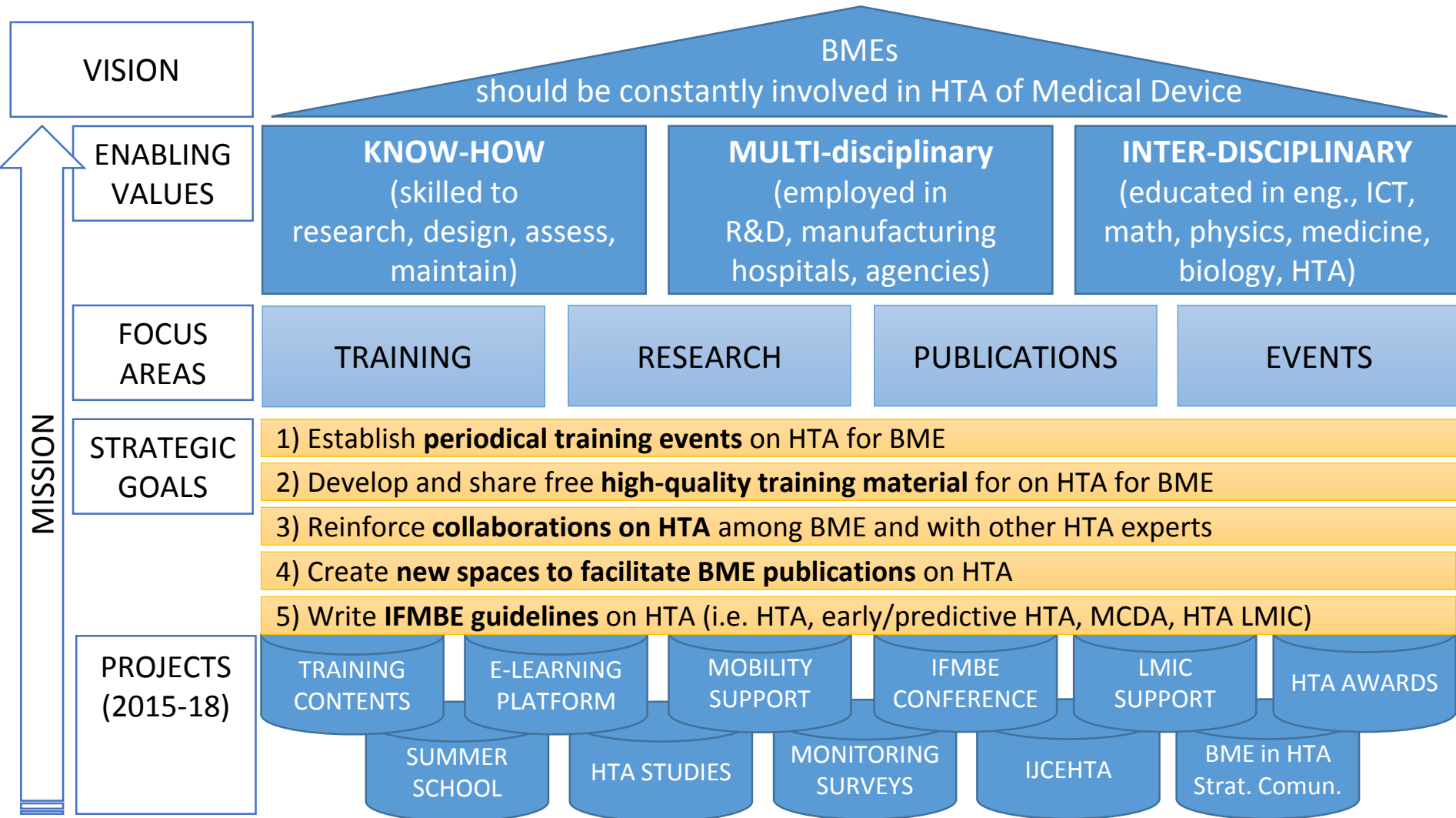
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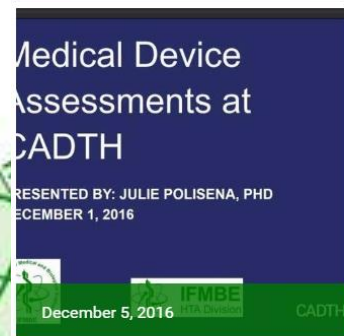
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1st IAS/IFMBE SUMMER
HEALTH TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT
8th-10th September 2015, University of Warwick

Institute

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Medical Device Assessments at CADTH

Dr Polisen presented the procedure currently adopted at CADTH for medical devices. Julie Polisen, Canadian Agency for Drugs and Technologies in Health, Canada. IFMBE HTAD Meeting, University of Warwick, 25th-28th November 2016.

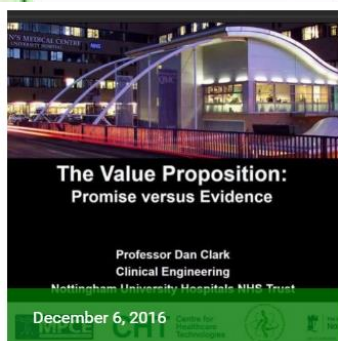
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The use of decision analysis in health technology assessment

Dr Hummel presented the procedure to use MCDA at the ISAHP2016 Research. ISAHP2016

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The Value Proposition: promise versus Evidence

The Value Proposition: promise versus Evidence. Dan CLARK, Head of Clinical Engineering, Nottingham University Hospital NHS Trust, United Kingdom. IFMBE HTAD Meeting, University of Warwick, 25th-28th November 2016.

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The role of HTA in low-mortality countries

Adriana Velazquez presented the role of HTA in low-mortality countries and the role of HTA in low-mortality countries. Senior Advisor, HTA Meeting, 28th November 2016

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2nd Summer School on
Health Technology Assessment



28th – 30th September 2017
University of Patras
Patras, Greece

- IFMBE HTAD eLearning:
 - <http://htad.ifmb.org/elearning/>

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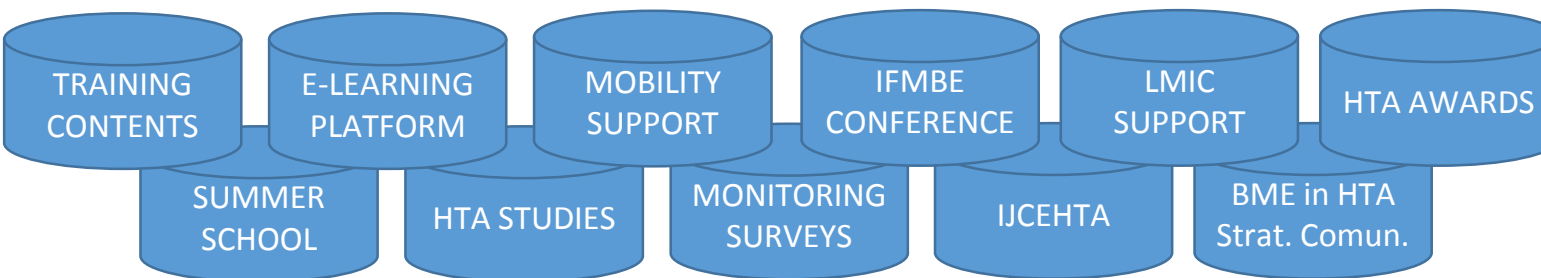
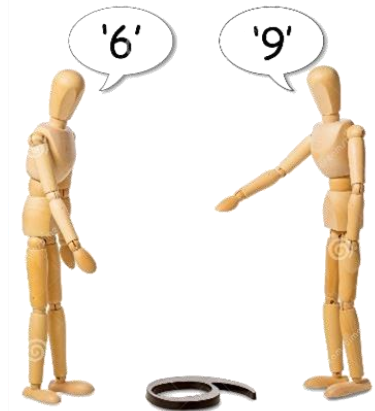
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- AIM: to develop IFMBE HTAD white papers/guidelines on:
 - HTA of Medical Devices
 - MCDA in HTA
 - Early/premarket/predictive HTA
- Two meetings:
 - Warwick, 25th-28th November 2016
 - 15 attendees
 - £6k (£3k IFMBE + £3k Uni of Warwick)
 - Tampere, 12th-15th June 2014
 - 12 attendees
 - £6k (£3k IFMBE + attendees institutions)



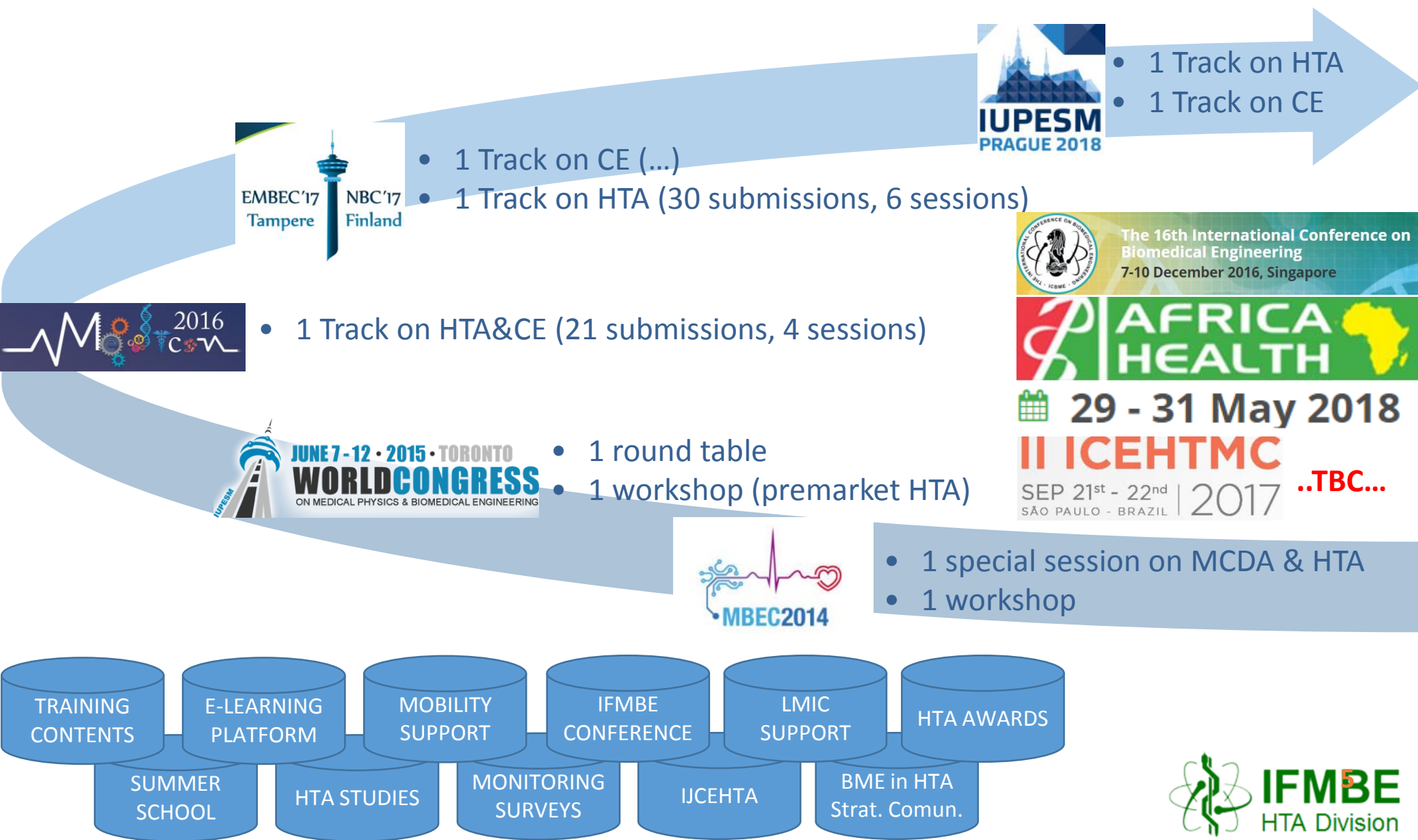


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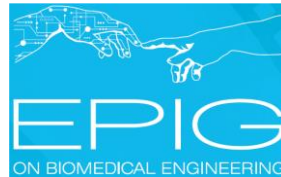
Third WHO Global Forum on **Medical Devices**

Centre International de Conférences Genève (CICG)
Geneva, Switzerland
10 – 12 May 2017
Programme

- IFMBE HTAD has been chairing the HTA Track (me)
- IFMBE CE has been chairing the HTM Track (Mladen)



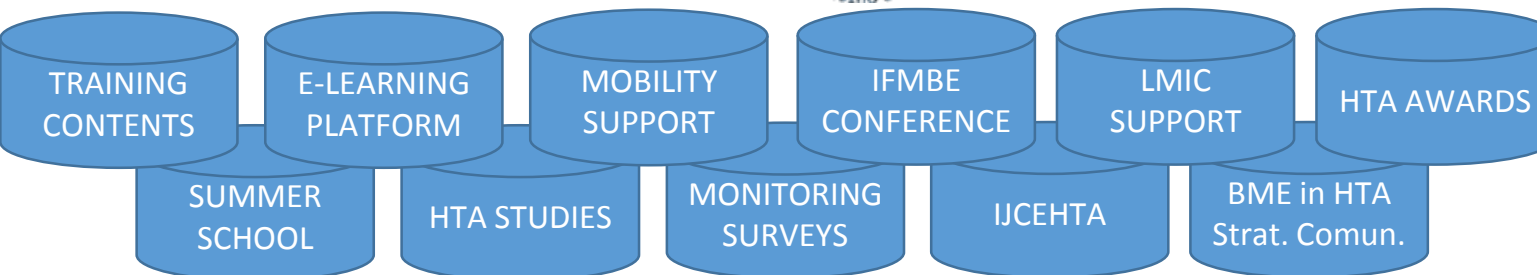
- IFMBE HTAD in 3 invited panels:
 - HTA of medical devices
 - Pre-market HTA
 - Patient involvement in HTA



- II EPIG Meeting, in Cooperation with EAMBES
(October 2017)



- we are discussing IFMBE-ISPOR cooperation
- IFMBE at the ISPOR2018 Congress





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Opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee on Promoting the European single market combining biomedical engineering with the medical and care services industry

(2015/C 291/07)

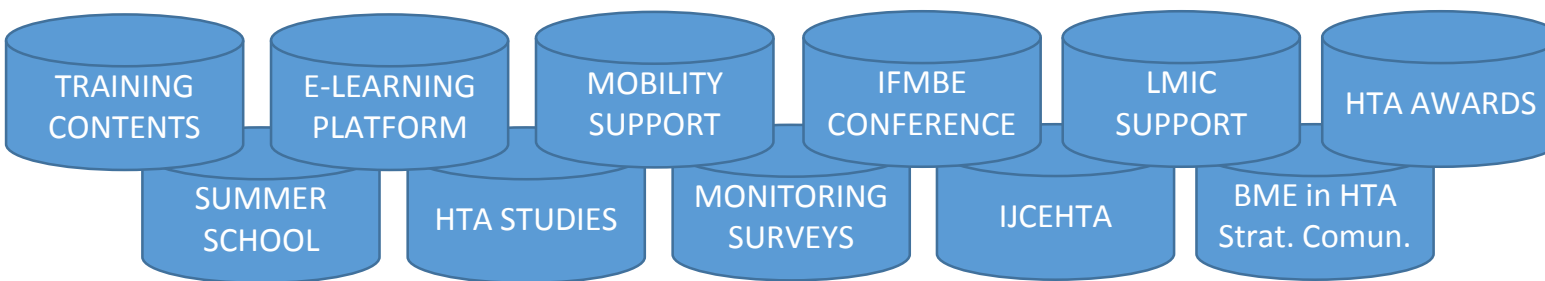
Rapporteur:
Edgardo Maria IOZIA

“Biomedical Engineering is not simply a subset of modern medicine. Modern medicine predominantly secures important advances through the use of the products of biomedical engineering”

(2015/C 291/07)



Brussels, 31st of May 2016





- Proposed discussion for AC (motions?):
 - **Appoint Editors for IFMBE (HTAD) websites**
The reason is that contents of IFMBE (HTAD) websites is fast growing, using and cited. There is a clear need to take responsibility for its quality having a reference person as we do for journals.
 - **Improve HTAD member selection**
In the past 2 periods we have significant number of dormant members
 - *in 2012-2015, 3 out of 7 dormant members*
 - *in 2016-2018, 1 out of 7 dormant members**and some 'less-competent' were elected.*
Should we add some implicit qualification points in the nomination form (e.g. papers in the field, h-index, HTA agencies employment...).



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WHO
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Collaborator



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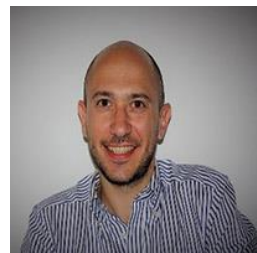
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