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1. **Karima Bourquard, IHE Europe. IHE is a worldwide standardisation initiative that delivers profiles to improve the sharing of digital information in healthcare**

Karima Bourquard (♀) PhD is IHE-Europe Director of Interoperability, and Senior Consultant and founder of IN-SYSTEM. She assists several regional/national projects on teleradiology and telemedicine or cooperation between Healthcare Professionals. She has a solid background on Healthcare IT as eHealth project director and on eHealth interoperability. During the last 15 years, she contributed to the creation and development of IHE (Integrating the Healthcare Enterprise) in France and in Europe. She is user co-chair of IHE-France and was IHE-Europe user co-chair (www.ihe-europe.net).

Karima is member of IHE International. She is currently Director of Interoperability of IHE-Europe and board member of InteropSanté in France, working on EU Affairs at IHE-Europe. She was involved in several European projects such as epSOS, Antilope (Karima was the technical coordinator), eHGI, and others and was leading maintenance shops in the EXPAND project and was

organising the EXPANDATHON (December 2015). Lately, Karima has been the scientific coordinator of EURO-CAS project (www.euro-cas.net). With the recognized expertise of ISO/IEC 17025, she contributed as IHE International team member to the design and development of the Conformity Assessment Scheme (IHE CAS). She also contributes to several European national programs in Europe or worldwide by providing her expertise on interoperability matterS. From 2000 to 2009, she led several projects on IT for hospitals (Patient Identification, EHR, Security, Healthcare Professional Directory, Change Management, etc.) as director of studies at GMSIH (Groupement de modernisation des systèmes d'information hospitaliers).

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2   Giorgio Cangioli, President of HL7 Italy and working on behalf of CEN in the IPS, international patient summary project. HL7 is a world-wide Standards Development Organisation, originating from the US, CEN the European SDO under ISO.

Giorgio Cangioli (♂) is a Senior Consultant, ICT Health and Social Care. More than 20 years of experience, consultant since 2009. Involved in several European, National and Regional digital social and health care and e-gov projects, as epSOS I and II; Trillium Bridge and II, OpenMedicine, UNICOM and several others. Strongly engaged with standard development organizations, in the past with IHE and DICOM WG 5; now mainly with HL7, and more recently with CEN/TC 251 and ISO/TC 215 (WG1, WG6). Co-facilitator of the International Patient Summary (IPS) HL7 project; member of the CEN IPS, of the IHE IPS and of the ISO 27269 (IPS) project teams. Author of several standard-based templates/profiles/guides for regional, national and European interoperability projects (including epSOS). CTO of HL7 Italy for 6 years, he has been elected on 2015 Chair of HL7 Italy. He is member of the HL7 Technical Steering Committee (2012; 2015-now) and of the HL7 European Strategic Advisory Board and ADDC. As chair of HL7 Italy is voluntary collaborating with Italian national agencies (e.g. AGiD) and regions for the development of the document specifications for the National EHR system (Fascicolo Sanitario Sintetico).

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3   Prof. Viorel Jinga from the "Carol Davila" University of Medicine and Pharmacy, which convenes under its umbrella 37 Hospital in Romania.

Viorel Jinga (♂) MD, PhD, Vice-Rector of the "Carol Davila" University of Medicine and Pharmacy is an experienced clinician and dedicated researcher in the field of urology, authoring many original research papers, books and lectures. Between 2014 and 2017, he occupied the position of project director on behalf of the project promoter, the "Carol Davila" University of Medicine and Pharmacy in the EEA-Grants "Genetic Epidemiology of Cancer in Romania" (RomCan), the University largest funded project at that time, with a budget of over 1.100.000 Euro.From his position as Vice-Rector, he manages also the IT department of the University, counselling the university hospitals and research centres affiliated to the university in structuring their Health Information Systems and communication structure with the National Health Insurance House through EHR. (Supporting letter in the Annex below).

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4   Sophie Lanoy of La Luss, an important patient association operating in Belgium

Sophie Lanoy (♀) Master in Economics and Social Sciences, Catholic University of Louvain (UCL) - Belgium. Since 2010 she works at the League of Health Services Users (LUSS) where she coordinates the Dialogue Cluster. LUSS is the independent French-speaking federation of patient and family associations. It works for access to high quality health care and services to all and promotes the active participation of users in health policies.

5   Yvonne Bronckart from GLAMO, an umbrella association of General Practitioners.

Yvonne Bronckart (♀) received her diploma as Doctor of Medicine in 1985 form the Liège University, Belgium. Since then, she has undertaken many activities around general medicine which she practices in the city of Liège. Several continuing education courses in ethics and economics as well as medical refresher lessons gave her tools for accepting to chair the umbrella practitioners' organization GLAMO since 2016.Together with her colleagues, she has set-up the medical guard post at the City of Liège, Belgium, which opened its doors on October 1st, 2007. At GLAMO, she has held various positions: Vice President from 2007 to 2016 and President of since May 2016.

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6   Frank Oemig, representing the German Chapter of HL7 (former president) and IHE Germany

Frank Oemig (♂) works currently as Senior eHealth Architect at Deutsche Telekom Healthcare and Security Solutions. In IHE international, he is ITI Caretaker on behalf of IHE Germany. Since 2009, he also leads the interoperabilityworking group of bvitg, the Assocation of the Health-IT Industry in Germany. He is a particular longstanding member of HL7 Germany and has devoted operational work in establishing and maintaining HL7 resources.

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7   Christof Geßner, representing EHTEL member gematik, Germany

Christof Geßner (♂) works at the National eHealth Comptence for Germany, Gematik GmbH and is at the same time a long-standing member of the HL7 community. He is particularly engaged in the collaborative efforts (CEN/HL7) on the International Patient Summary (IPS).

Christof Geßner has a background in medical informatics, medical physics, magnetic resonance. His Senior expertise is in the fields of healthcare information systems/technology, communications, integration, interoperability, terminologies and standards (HL7 versions 3 and 2.x, DICOM, IHE, LOINC, SNOMED, ICD. Christof also has expertise and experience in HL7 Interface development and system administration, C/C++, Java, XML, XSLT, XML-Schema, web services, system specification and implementation.

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8   Vincent Van Pelt, representing NICTIZ, The Netherlands.

Vincent Van Pelt (♂) works at NICTIZ, the National eHealth Competence Centre for the Netherlands. NICTIZ has a key role in defining eHealth specifications on a National level (using international standards and profiles). Vincent has as a background as physician, software developer, enterprise architect, product development manager and business consultant. He builds on vision, knowledge and experience on healthcare interoperability, architecture, standardization, interoperability and integration.

Vincent is member of numerous groups and task forces like: eHDSI Semantic Taskforce, Member, EHRxF group; co-author of CEN IPS (International Patient Summary); eHAction WP4 and WP7 deliverables; architect of Dutch NCPeH project 'PIEZO'; Member 'Zelfzorg Ondersteund' and 'Vitaal Thuis', Author / Co-Author of Author, 'Nationale XDS metadata set', 'Guidelines for Interoperability between XDS Affinity Domains; Co-author, 'Document Sharing Metadata Handbook' (IHE International), XTB-WD Profile; 'XDS metadata for exchange medical documents and images guideline' (IHE Europe); White Paper on workflow-driven, cross-enterprise medical information architectures; Models and templates for Interoperability levels and high level use cases (Antilope project); Structured Reporting for Oncology.

Standardization activities:

⇨   IHE: Main editor, International XDS Metadata Taskforce, Member of international IHE Technical Committee (PCC, ITI), Member of Dutch IHE Steering Committee, Chairman of Dutch IHE workgroup Patient Care Coordination

⇨   HL7: Member, Dutch FHIR-NL council

⇨   Member of Reference Committee 'Registratie aan de Bron' (university hospitals)

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9   Vesa Jormanainen, representing Finnish National Center for health and Welfare (and also Member of the EHTEL board of Directors and ELO Co-Chair)

Vesa Jormanainen (♂),has been educated as Specialist in Public Health 2008, M.Sc. 1994, M.D. 1989. His current Position ss Chief Specialist, Social and Health Systems Research, National Institute for Health and Welfare (THL) 11/2017. Former Position as Head of Unit, Operational Management (OPER), National Institute for Health and Welfare (THL) 8/2010–10/2017.

Working Positions: National Institute for Health and Welfare (THL) 2010–, Finnish Medicines Agency (Fimea) 2009–2010, Finnish Medicines Agency 2009, Finnish National Development Centre for Medicines 2008–2009, Pfizer Oy (Finland) 2005–2008, GlaxoSmithKline Oy (Finland) 1999–2005, Central Government 1993–2000, University of Kuopio 1990–1992.

Publications: Scientific publications in English or Swedish (30) and in Finnish (59), Scientific Abstracts (112), Chapters in Books (12), Other Publications in Finnish (43), Scientific Poster Awards (2008, 2004, 2003)

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10   Saara Malkamäki, Sitra, Finland (Data Governance Expert / Secondary Data Use)

Saara Malkamäki (♀) builds a fair data economy and engages people across Europe to create a common concept for data sharing and to set up European level rules and guidelines for ethical use of data. Saara's goal is to make data move across organisations with the consent of the individual. Saara's work covers a variety of sectors and different countries with the aim of generating smart services that could make everyone's life easier. Saara focuses on developing innovations and business ideas in the healthcare and social welfare sector.

Saara has expertise in planning customer-oriented services, business development and customer and stakeholder co-operation. During the past year, she has also worked with communications, new funding and co-operation models, social marketing and impact. She has successfully expanded networking activities and developed co-operation between the public, private and third sectors.

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11   Diogo Martins, representing EHTEL member SPMS. SPMS operates nation-wide EHR projects, also on mobile platforms, in Portugal.

Diogo Martins (♂) is EU/International Digital Health Projects Coordinator at SPMS EPE (Shared Services for Health of the Ministry of Health, Portugal). Diogo supports the coordination of the eHealthAction supporting joint action.

Diogo Martins, MD, Graduated in Health Equipment and Technology, academic background consists on Electronics, ICT & Medical Devices. Holds a MD in Healthcare Information Systems Management obtained in partnership between the Polytechnic Institute of Leiria (IPL) and Faculty of Medicine of Oporto (FMUP) with thesis a in eHealth field: "Impact of using mobile handheld technology in health care delivery: a Systematic review". He has worked as Medical devices consultant, key account manager and as ICT Project Manager in SPMS, working on Healthcare data sharing – Radiology and DICOM Imaging; Infrastructure for Healthcare data sharing - XDS, IHE and Telemedicine Platform. Most recently he coordinates (eHAction and HEALTHeID) and actively participates in more than 10 EU projects in the Digital Health-related to Patient Empowerment, Innovative use of Health data, Interoperability and eHealth Sustainability. He has been able to make a "bridge" between ICT expertise and how important is to engage Healthcare professionals and citizens to ensure healthcare enhancements. Currently he works at SPMS and is responsible for the International Projects as well as and International Cooperation.

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