



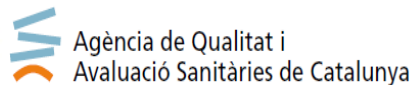
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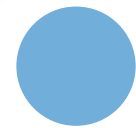
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Can we ensure Impact? Over time?

Why it matters?

How to communicate Impact?

How?

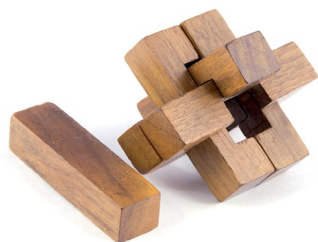
Impact of Research?

Is it measurable?

What?

Can we achieve a Common Understanding?

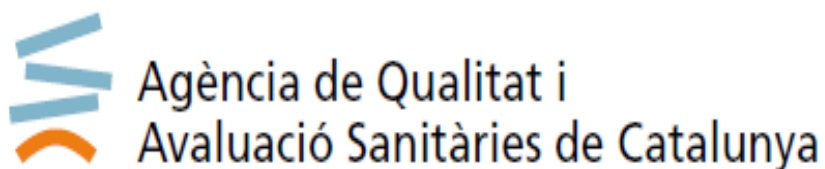




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SCHOOL VISION

ISRIA will be a leading global collaboration for excellence and innovation in research impact assessment in all fields of science



SCHOOL OBJECTIVES

- **EMPOWER** participants on how to plan, assess, and manage research impact assessments with the aim of optimizing returns
- **ADVANCE** knowledge about the breadth of existing frameworks, tools, approaches and the communications of research impact assessments
- **BUILD** collaborative capacity, networks and team building among a generation of Research and Development decision-makers



SCHOOL PRINCIPLES

- Neutral, transparent and open approach
- Deliver social value
- Useful, practical feasible and cost effective
- Build a community of practice
- Advance understanding the theory and practice
- Advance the evidence and practice base in RIA



SCHOOL HISTORY



Barcelona 2013



Banff 2014



Doha 2015



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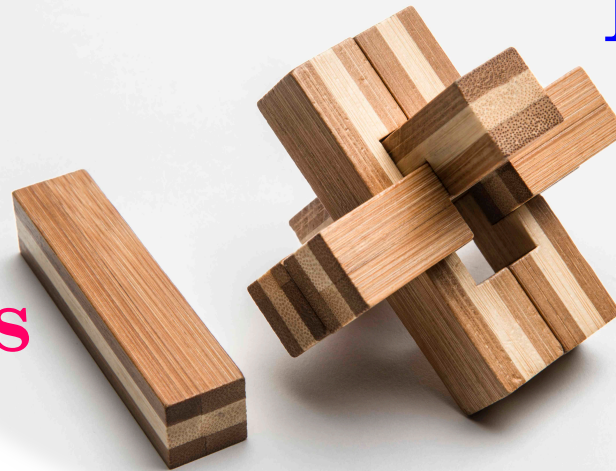


APPROACH

Step Wise

RIA Pillars

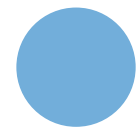
**Real RIA
Applications**



From Theory to Practise, including mentorship

Direct access to Faculty, Alumni and Suppliers

Present your RIA plan



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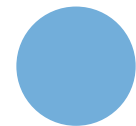


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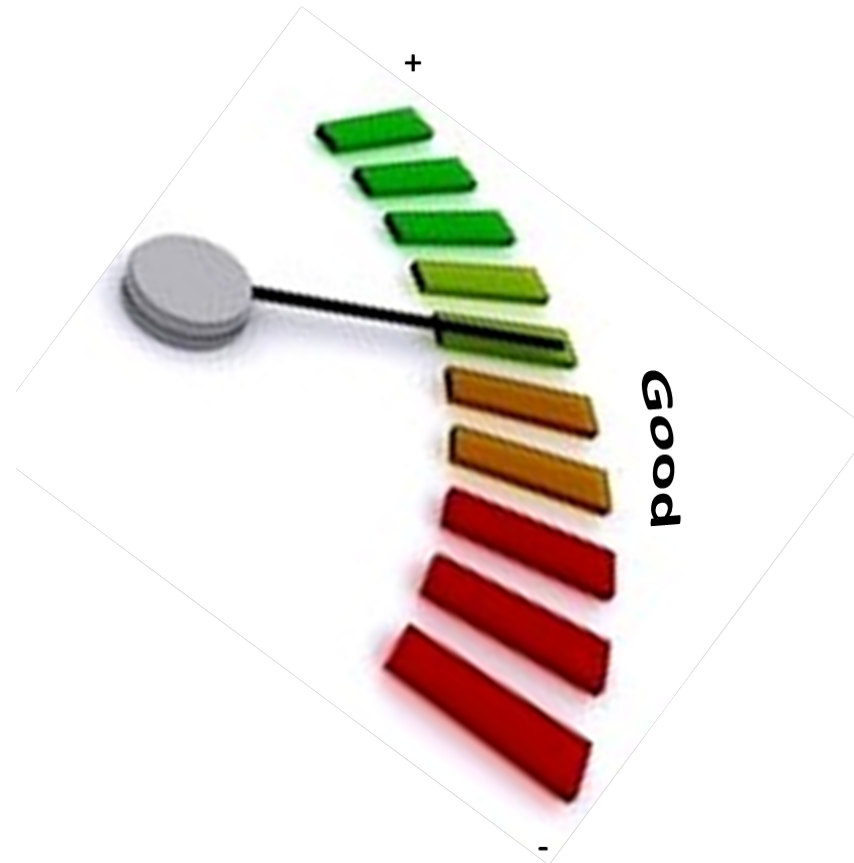


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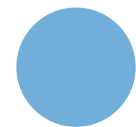


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- Expectations
- Daily Rating
- Comments, Q&A
- hashtag **#ISRIA_15**



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Let's meet at the RIA Café – Networking

FOLLOWED BY... WELCOME DINNER:



**Keynote Address:
Paula Adam & Jonathan Grant**

**Location: Mamig Restaurant – Katara Cultural
Village**



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