

# *Translational* Data Science for Population Health

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# Introduction: Marco Spruit



Engineer

1993

- Information Retrieval programmer, ZyLAB Europe

1995

- Big Data system developer, Royal Netherlands Navy (Intelligence & Security Service)

1997

- Product software developer/entrepreneur, Insertable Objects & Wizzer BV



Researcher

2003

- Ph.D researcher in Computational Linguistics, University of Amsterdam

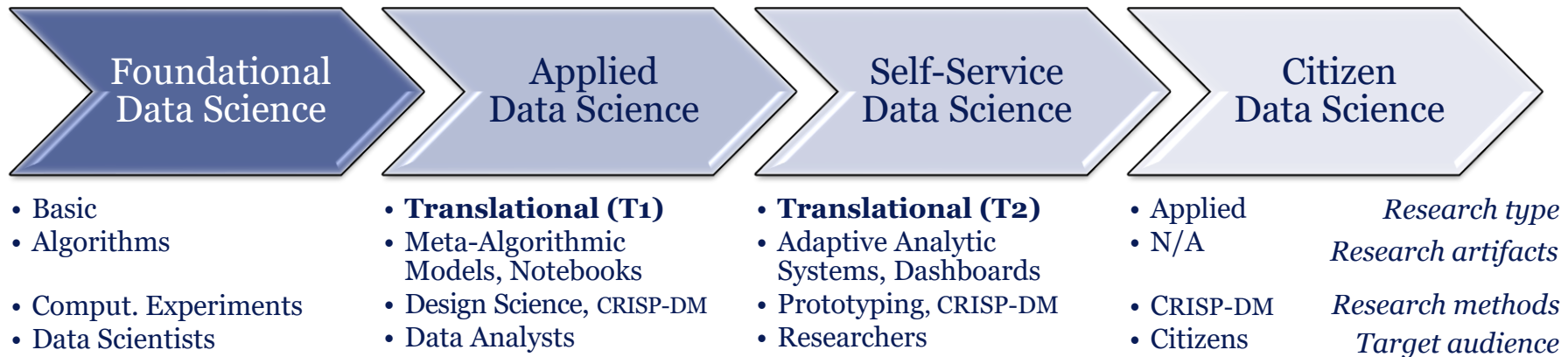
2007

- Assistant → Associate professor Information Science, Utrecht University
  - Applied Data Science Lab

2020

- Professor Advanced Data Science in Population Health, LUMC/Leiden University
  - PH Living Lab
  - CAIRE Lab

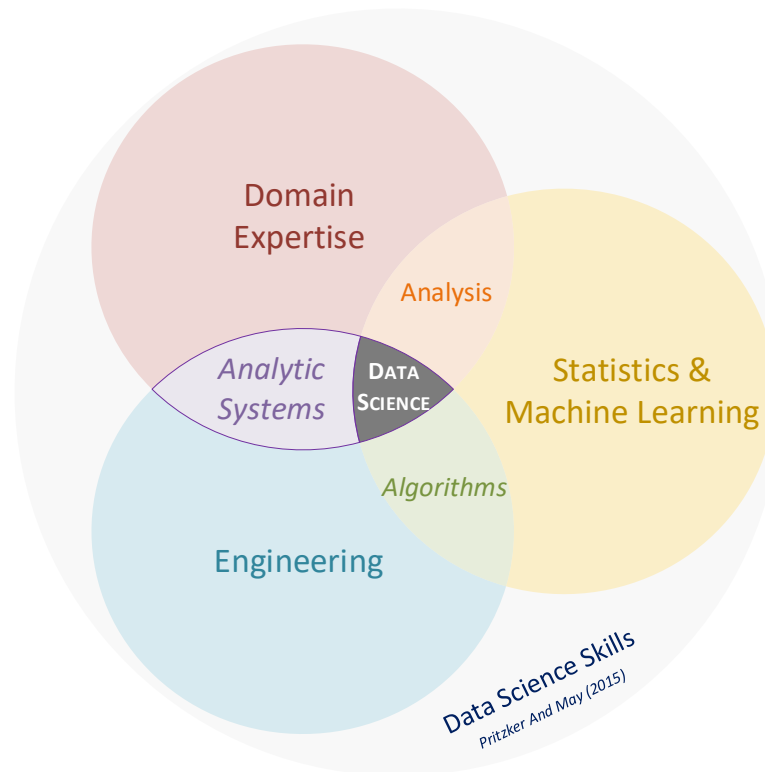
# Introduction: Data Science Continuum



- **Applied data science** is the knowledge discovery *process* in which analytical applications are designed and evaluated to improve the daily practices of domain experts (Spruit & Jagesar, 2016 ; Spruit & Lytras, 2018)
- **Self-service data science** is the knowledge discovery process in which analytic systems are designed and evaluated to empower domain professionals to perform their own data analyses on their own data sources *without coding* in a reliable, usable and transparent manner within their own daily practices (Spruit & Vries, 2020; Ooms & Spruit, 2020)

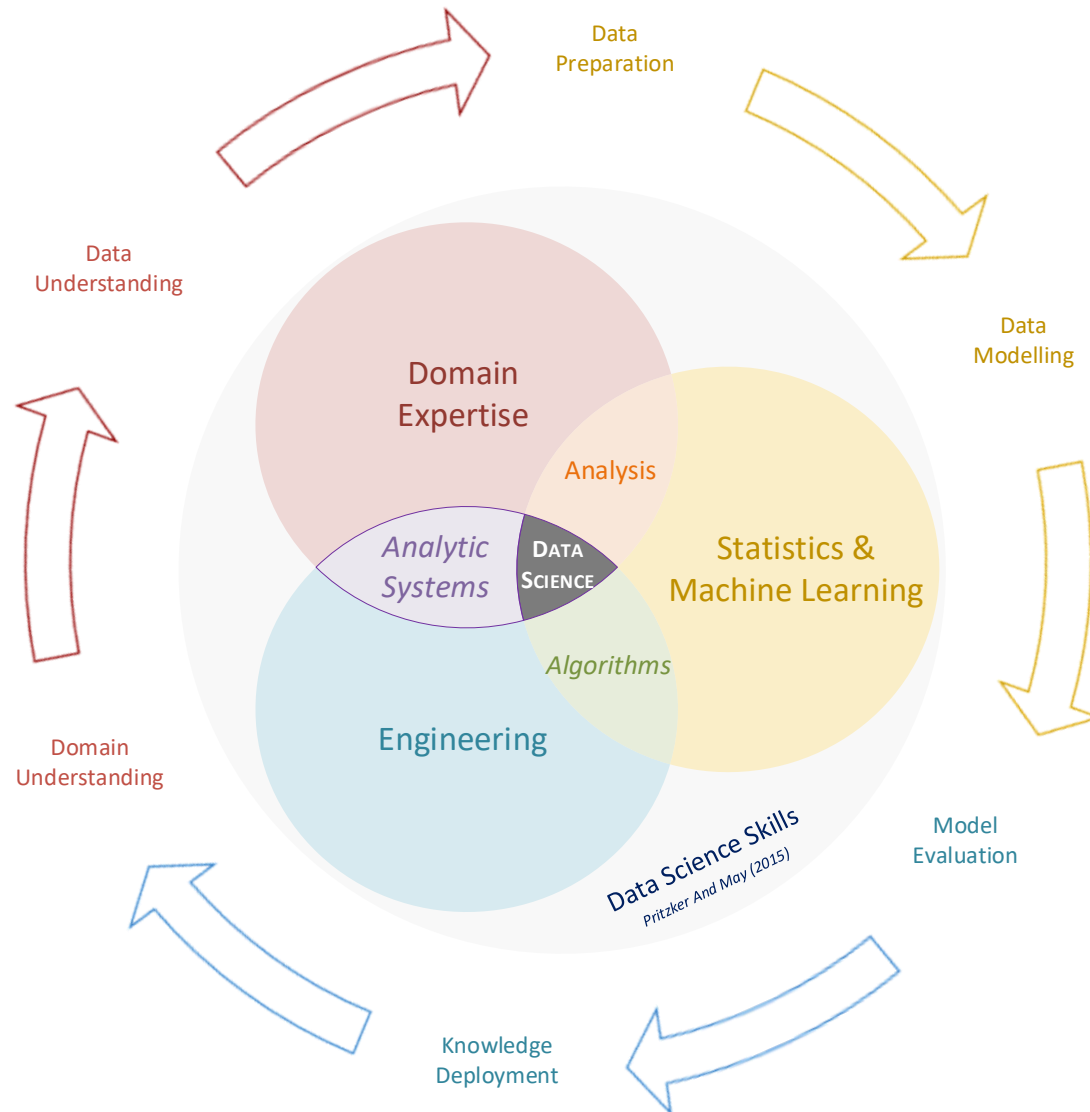
• **Translational Data Science** = *Applied + Self-service* data science

# Introduction: Data Science Skills



Pritzker, P., & May, W. (2015). NIST Big Data interoperability Framework (NBDIF): Volume 1: Definitions. *NIST Special Publication, 1500(1)*. <https://doi.org/10.6028/NIST.SP.1500-1r2>

# Introduction: Data Science Process



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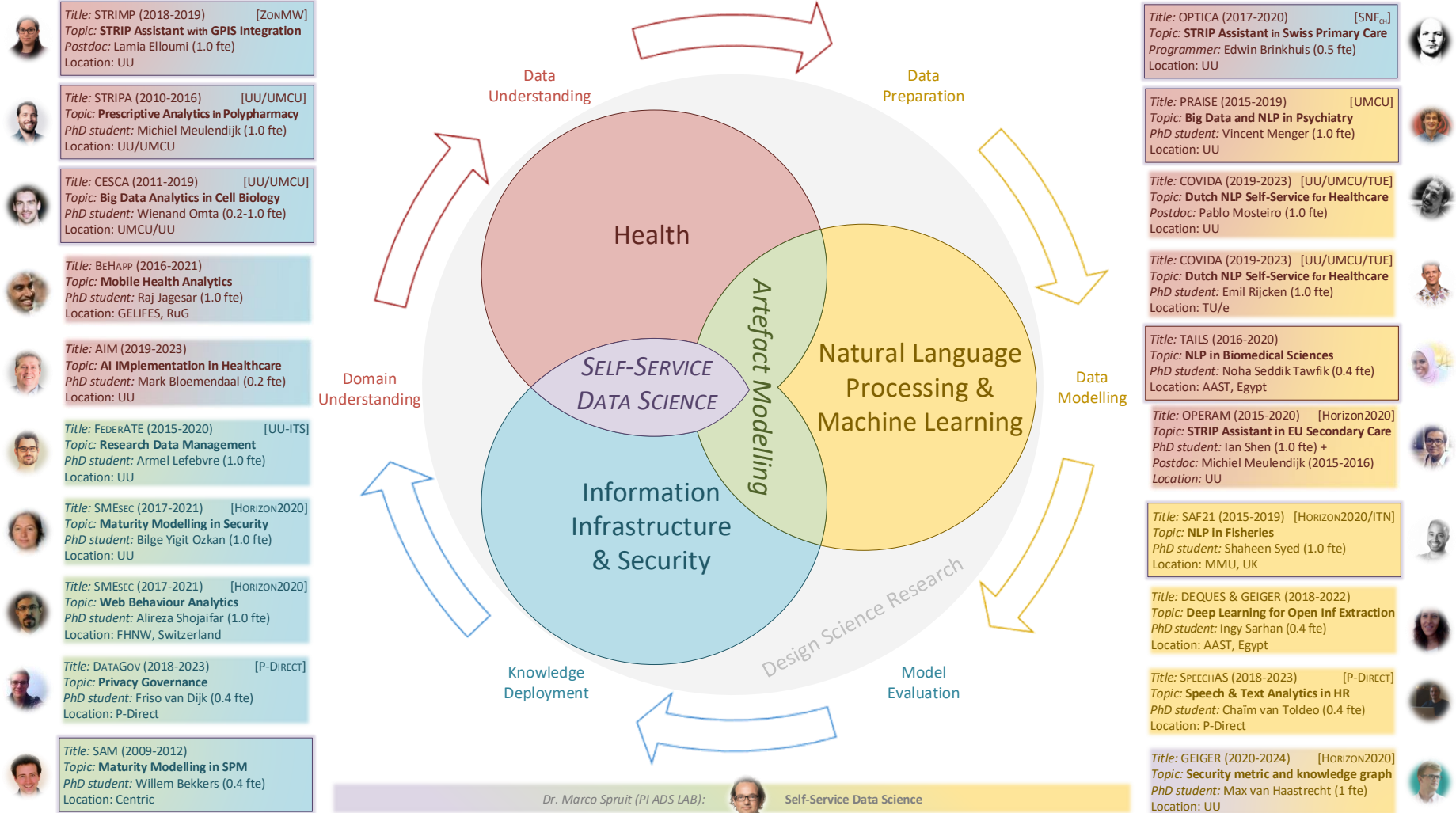
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# Projects: Applied Data Science Lab





# Projects: Analytic Systems

## Sample #1

**Title:** STRIP ASSISTANT  
**Location:** <http://stripa.eu/english/>  
**Description:** Prescriptive analytics in polypharmacy



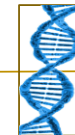
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**Title:** DEDUCE  
**Location:** <http://ads.science.uu.nl/deduce/>  
**Description:** Deidentification analytics in Dutch medical text



## Sample #3

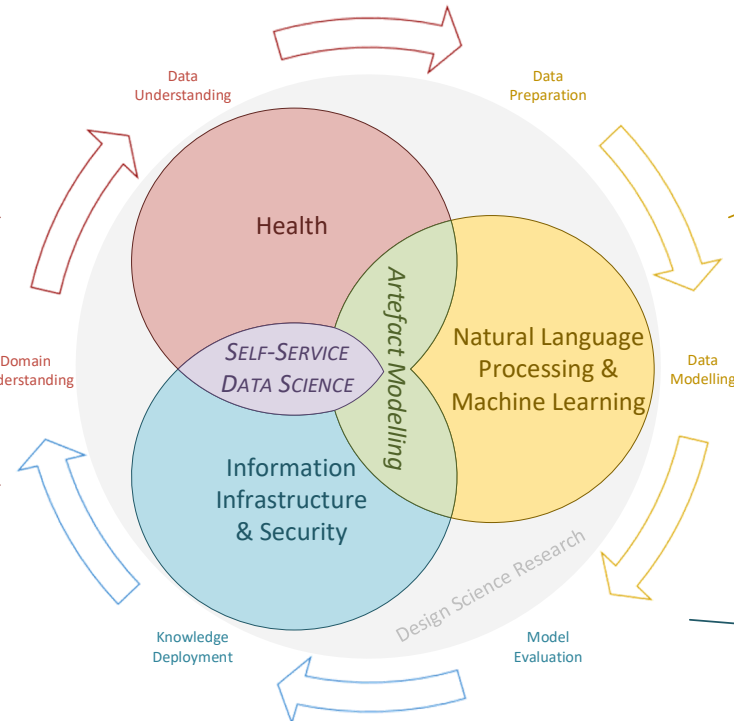
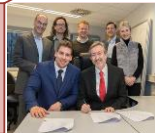
**Title:** SNPCURATOR  
**Location:** <http://snpcurator.science.uu.nl>  
**Description:** Text analytics in genome wide association studies



**Title:** BEHAPP  
**Location:** <https://behapp.org>  
**Description:** Passive mobile health analytics in psychiatry



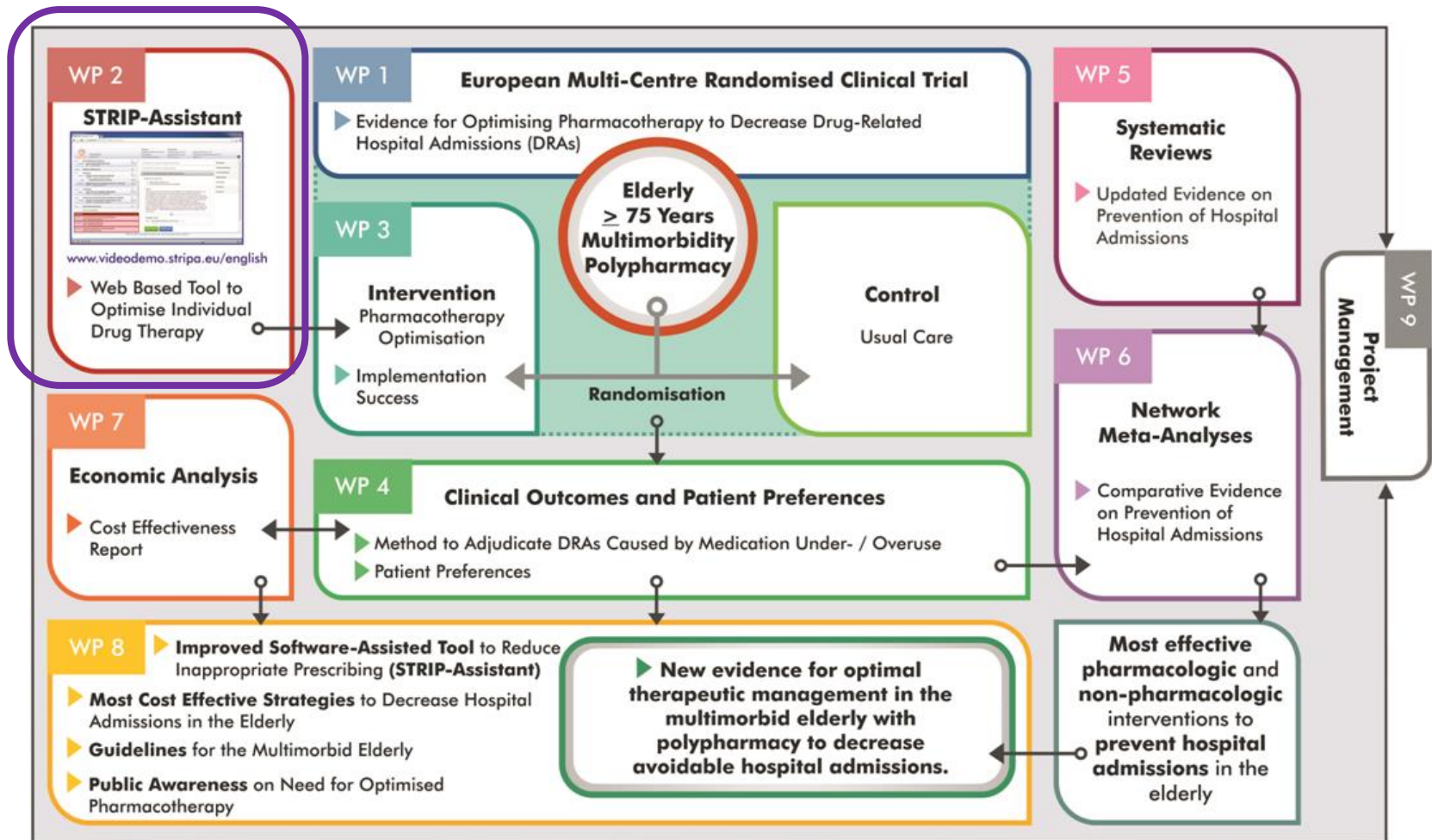
**Title:** HC StratoMineR  
**Location:** <https://corelifeanalytics.com>  
**Description:** Big data analytics in cell screening



**Title:** CySEC  
**Location:** <https://smesec.eu>  
**Description:** Behavioral analytics on cybersecurity advice for SMEs

# Sample #1: STRIP Assistant (STRIPA)

- A Clinical Decision Support System for Medication Reviews



url: <https://bit.ly/stripa3-nl-preview>

# Sample #1: STRIP Assistant (STRIPA)

OPERAM Dr. Marco Spruit managing							V2020.05b.04a / IE / EN / SS
Add new patient							
Patient 1	M	75	No	No	No	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 2	F	77	No	No	No	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 3	M	99	No	No	Yes	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 4	F	79	No	No	Yes	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 5	F	81	No	No	Yes	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 6	F	86	No	No	Yes	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 7	M	78	No	No	No	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 8	M	80	No	No	Yes	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 9	F	74	No	No	No	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 10	F	77	No	No	No	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 11	M	72	No	No	No	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 12	F	70	No	No	Yes	<a href="#">START</a>	
Patient 13	M	81	No	No	Yes	<a href="#">START</a>	
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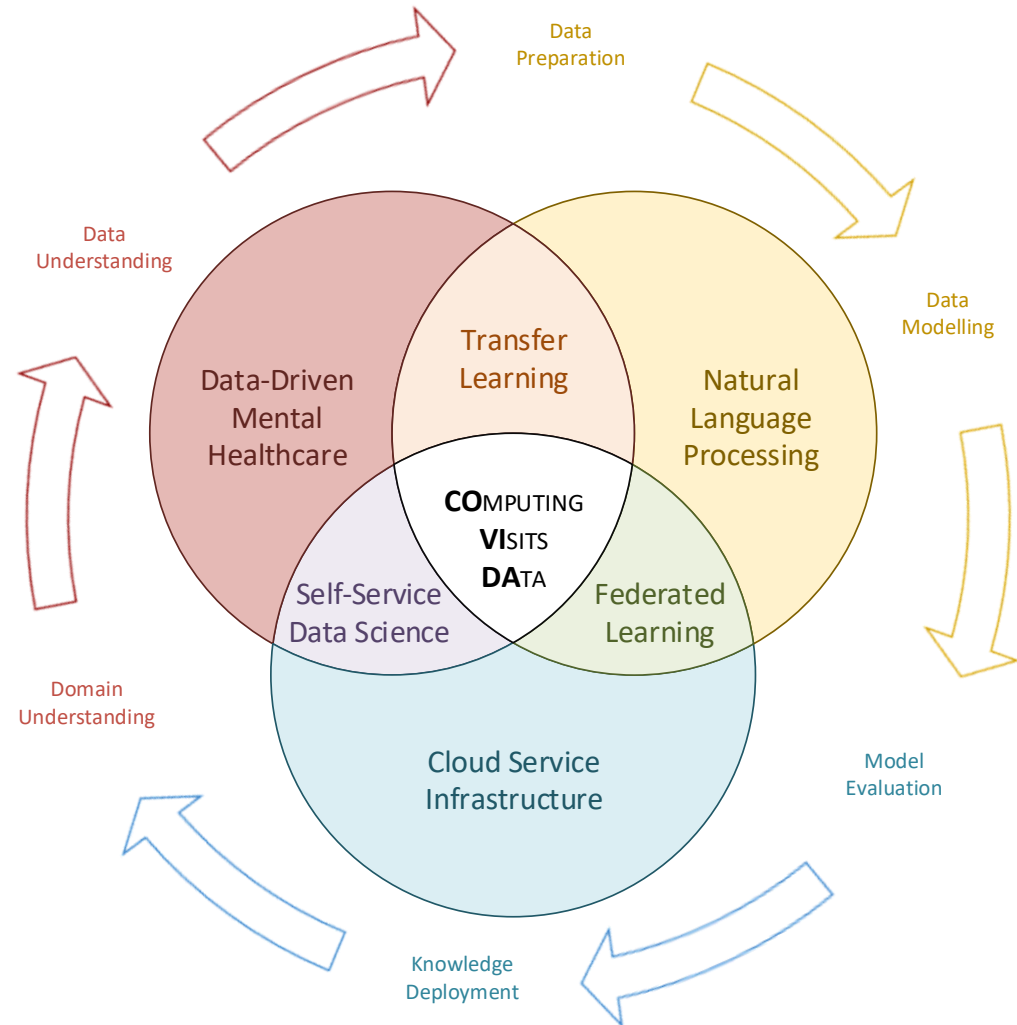
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*url:* <https://bit.ly/covida-poster>

## Projects & Showcase

# Sample #2: Computing Visits Data (COVIDA)

**COVIDA** investigates Transfer Learning for **Natural Language Processing** technologies with Federated Learning architectures for Self-Service Data Science in daily **Mental Healthcare** to enable medical practioners throughout the Dutch language area to safely and reliably reuse their daily clinical notes by nurses and doctors from patients' EHRs to predict inpatient violence risks, depression, and more.



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# Sample #2: Computing Visits Data (COVIDA)

- The DEDUCE method for de-identification of Dutch medical text

[ Legend: Patient Persoon Locatie Instelling Datum Leeftijd Patientnummer  
Telefoonnummer Url ]

## Annotated text

Intakegesprek met Jan Jansen (e:j.g.jsnen\_1966@email.com,  
t:0612345678, patnr:1243567). Het betreft een 51-jarige man  
die van 14 maart t/m 31 juli op de polikliniek van het umcu  
zal worden behandeld i.v.m. somberheidsklachten. Patient is  
woonachtig aan de Voorstraat 45b in Utrecht en zal hier onder  
behandeling komen te staan van Peter de Visser.

## De-identified text

Intakegesprek met <PATIENT> (e:<URL-1>, t:<TELEFOONNUMMER-1>,  
patnr:<PATIENTNUMMER-1>). Het betreft een <LEEFTIJD-1>-jarige  
man die van <DATUM-1> t/m <DATUM-2> op de polikliniek van het  
<INSTELLING-1> zal worden behandeld i.v.m.  
somerheidsklachten. Patient is woonachtig aan de <LOCATIE-1>  
in <LOCATIE-2> en zal hier onder behandeling komen te staan  
van <PERSOON-1>.

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# Sample #3: SNPcurator

- PubMed Literature mining of enriched SNP-disease associations

## SNP Curator

Results for **ibd**:

- A total of **1535** articles were fetched by PubMed.
- The extracted list of abstracts was shortened to **280** via selecting those comprised of SNP mentions.
- **150** PubMed article(s) had statistical results reported withing the abstract text with a total of **524** SNP pairs.

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SNP	PMID	Title	Date	Pvalue	ORvalue	Ethnicity	Patient group Size	Control group Size	Frequency	Text Evidence
rs61750370	<a href="#">29788244</a>	Nonsynonymous Polymorphism in Guanine Monophosphate Synthetase Is a Risk Factor for Unfavorable Thiopurine Metabolite Ratios in Patients With Inflammatory Bowel Disease.		0.031		Caucasian	264		2	-
The SNP rs61750370 was significantly associated with 6-MMP:6-TGN ratios $\geq 100$ odds ratio, 5.64; 95% confidence interval, 1.01-25.12; $P < 0.031$ in a subset of 264 Caucasian IBD patients. The GMPS SNP <a href="#">rs61750370</a> may be a reliable risk factor for extreme 6MMP preferential metabolism.										
rs61750370	<a href="#">29788244</a>	Nonsynonymous Polymorphism in Guanine Monophosphate Synthetase Is a Risk Factor for Unfavorable Thiopurine Metabolite Ratios in Patients With Inflammatory Bowel Disease.		0.031		Caucasian	264		2	+
rs16969968	<a href="#">29688464</a>	Smoking Interacts With CHRNA5, a Nicotinic Acetylcholine Receptor Subunit Gene, to Influence the Risk of IBD-Related Surgery.		0.05					4	+

url: <https://snpcurator.science.uu.nl/>

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# *Problem: Three Challenges to Appropriate Care*

- Regarding *Diagnostics*:

New, clinically relevant and personalised patient profiles are urgently needed as a starting point for diagnostics and treatment, that do justice to the impact of a patient's context and the dynamics of health. [i.e. NLP/ML]

- Regarding *Treatment*:

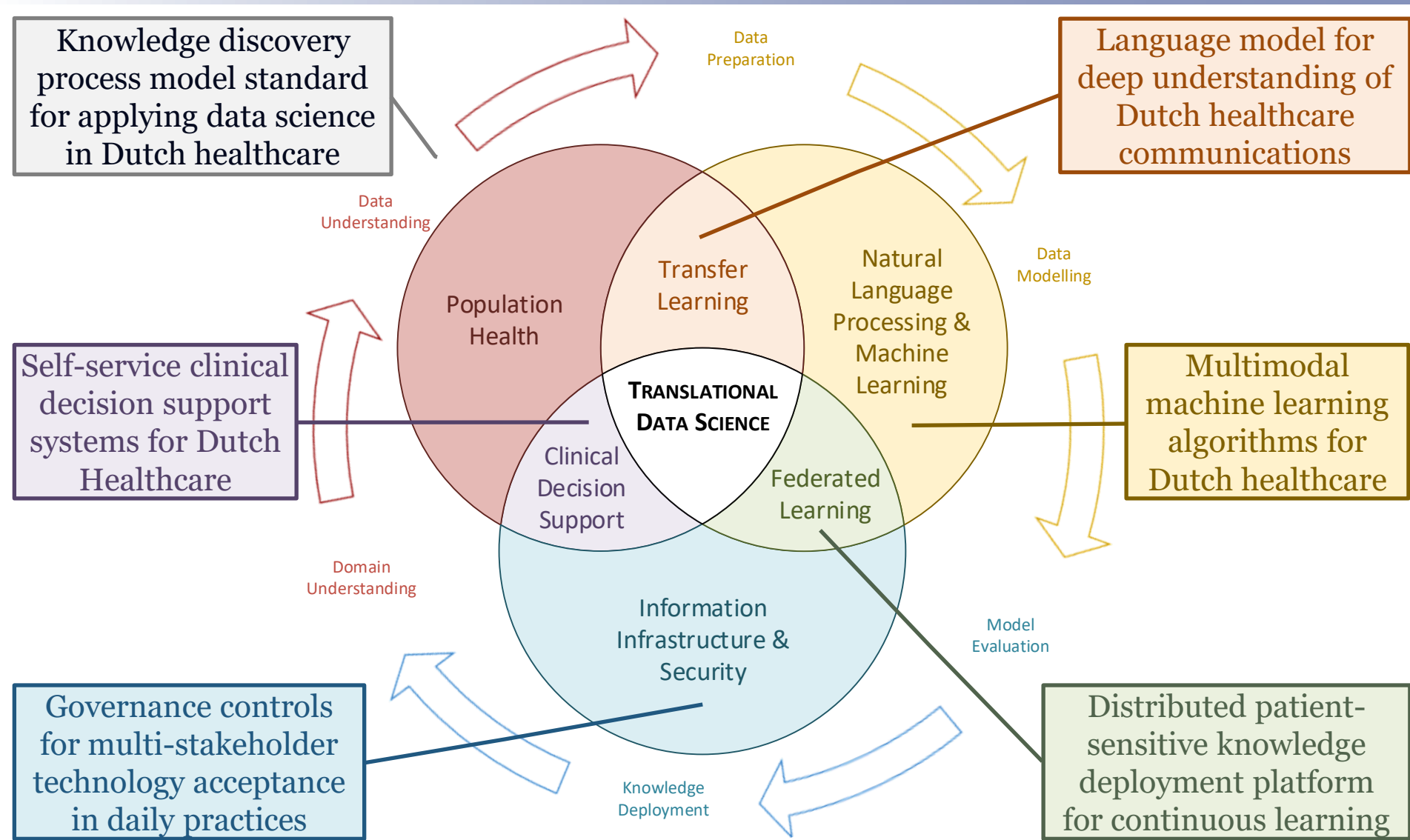
New, personalised treatment decision support systems (DSS) are needed to improve shared decision making, treatment effectivity and outcome of especially complex patients. [i.e. Infrastructure]

- Regarding *Monitoring*:

New, patient-centred network approaches are needed to stimulate effective appropriate care. [i.e. Health process]

## "Personalisation"

# Agenda: Translational Data Science for PH



# Example Research Question:

**What?** How can we improve population health  
**How?** with e-mental health and medication services  
**Who?** for socioeconomically vulnerable older adults  
**Why?** to promote healthy aging  
**Where?** in the Population Health Living Lab?



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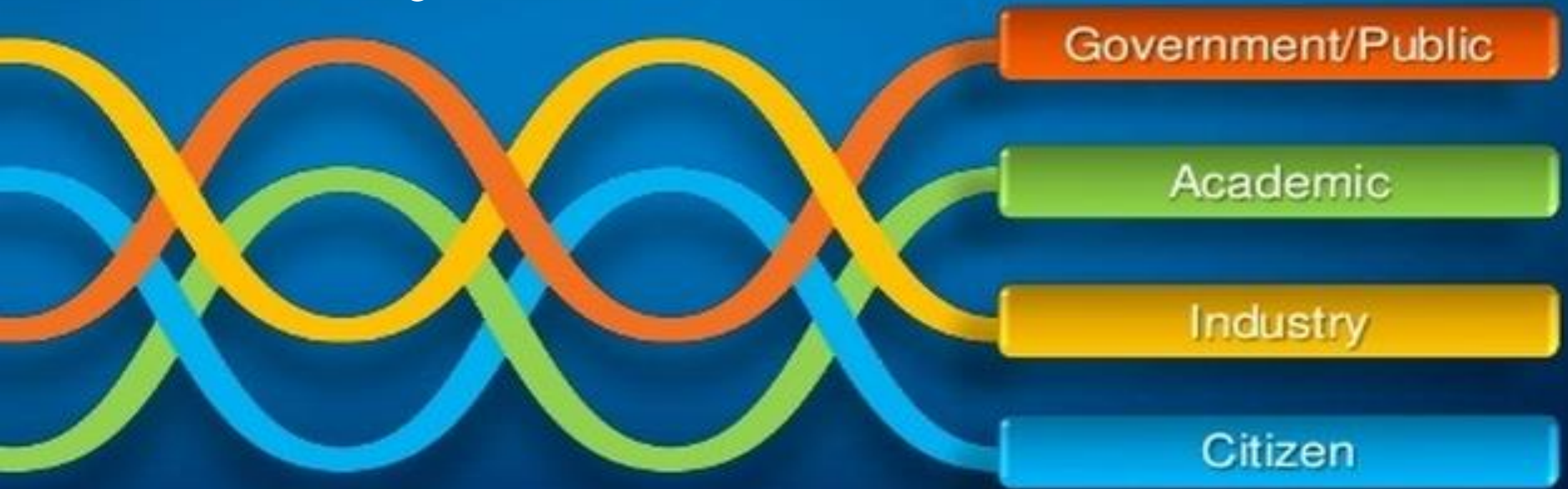
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# Thank you!



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