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In no particular order he is interested in the role of formats as part of the interoperability question, semantic integration while preserving semantic diversity, and the development of open and collaborative environments both in and between standards organizations. He holds degrees in law and theology.

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