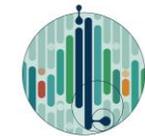


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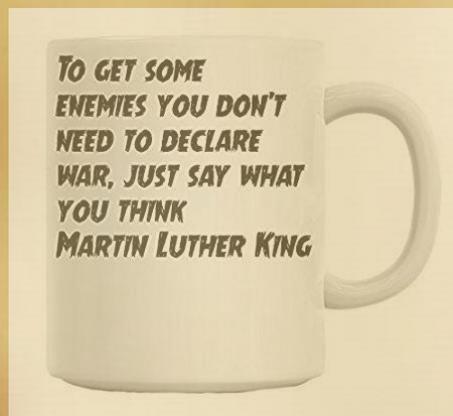
# HIBRIDACIÓN: Innovar en la intersección para descifrar y preservar el Homo Elasticus

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Un grupo de estadounidenses, de visita en una isla del Pacífico, encontró que los aborígenes habían construido una "avioneta" y una "radio" con ramas y maderas, para rogar a los cielos que les enviaran víveres, tal como habían visto hacer a los soldados durante la pasada Guerra Mundial





Así aparece la ciencia ante los ojos  
de una sociedad que no tiene una  
visión del mundo para entenderla

"Uno no sabe lo que ve, sino ve lo  
que sabe"

Jean Piaget

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## The elongated man

does not have the same problems as ordinary mortals whose elastic capacity deteriorates markedly with age and disease.



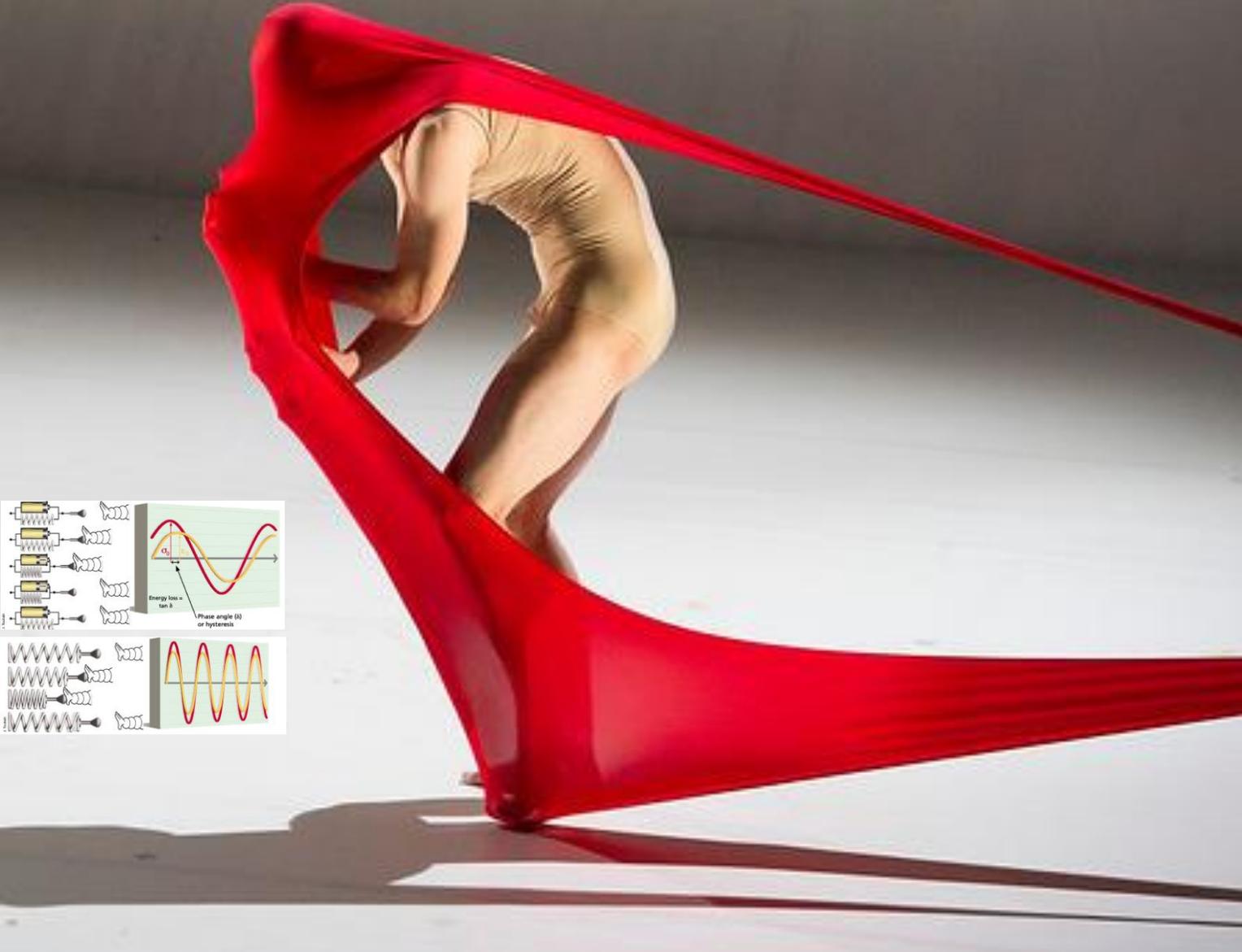


Breathing, running, eating, urinating, singing or giving birth are all actions that mobilize our ELASTICITY.  
Focusing on the concept of the “elastic human” is now a promising priority

The mechanical characteristics of the elasticity and viscoelasticity of tissues and organs are linked to subtle physicochemical arrangements either within or between molecules. The bodies of humans—and animals—have evolved for and by movement. Key to this movement is the ability of different bodily organs and tissues to return to their original shape after being deformed.

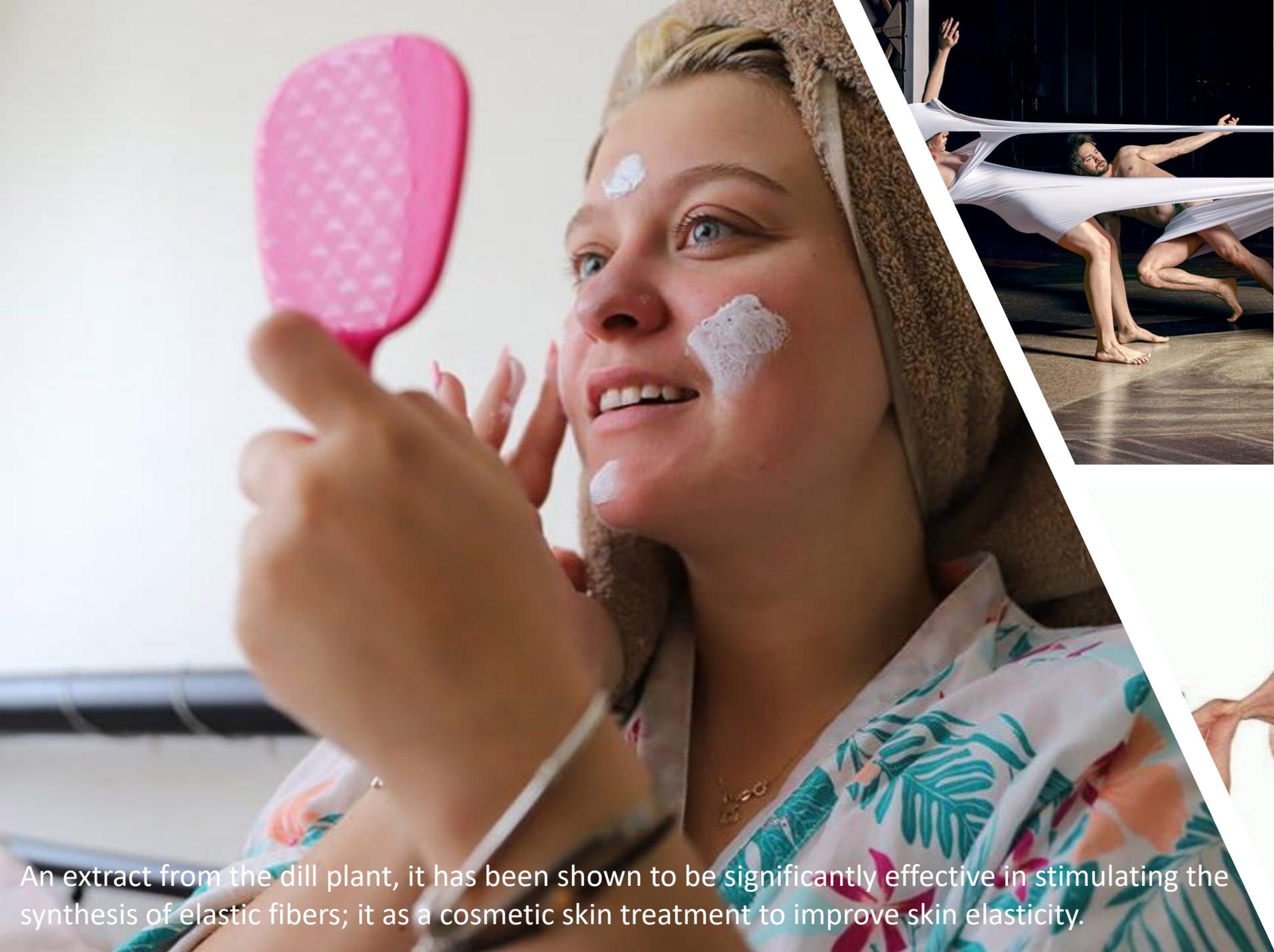


Known as elasticity, it allows for example the walls of the lungs and arteries to swell and deflate depending on pressure variations, or the bladder to work efficiently. And if a tissue takes time to return to shape, this is generally referred to as viscoelasticity





The study of the elastic human tissues (bone, skin, vessels, ligaments, organs) bring together several disciplines around this crucial and universal issue. Repair of the “elastic human” can now be seen in a new light, with the engineering sciences playing a key role. Research opportunities are numerous



An extract from the dill plant, it has been shown to be significantly effective in stimulating the synthesis of elastic fibers; it as a cosmetic skin treatment to improve skin elasticity.



# The loss of elasticity

causes the onset of numerous pathologies, or their worsening like cardiac insufficiency, ruptured aneurysm, emphysema, etc. Genital prolapse ("organ descent") has been demonstrated in mice as being linked to a genetic malformation of elastic tissues. One practical manifestation of elastic aging is also observed after the menopause.



After the age of around twenty, when growth is complete, the elastic fibers that ensure most of the body's elasticity are not renewed, or only to a limited extent. We therefore have a capital of elasticity that declines, more or less rapidly depending on our lifestyle.

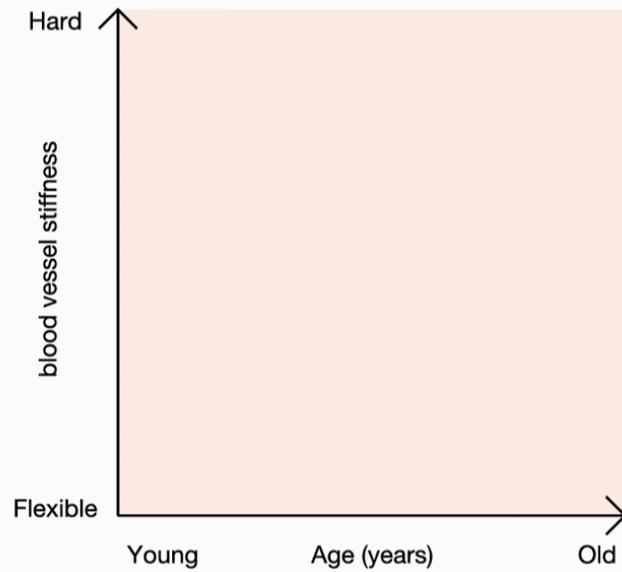
Aging is not the only factor involved in our organs and tissues losing their mechanical properties. Indeed, some genetic syndromes induce a weakness of elasticity or viscoelasticity

Burn (sugar) baby burn.

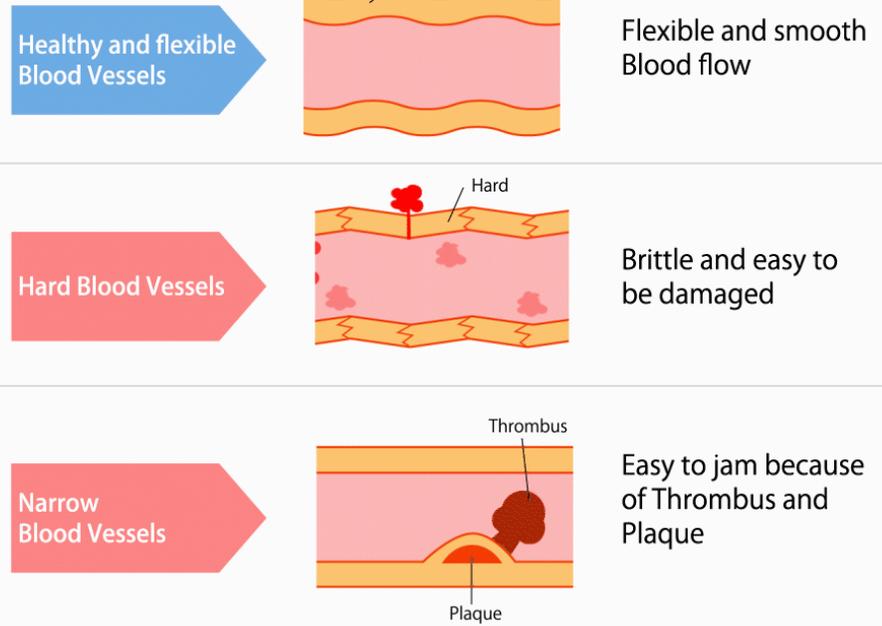
Sugars. Heat. Pyrolysis.

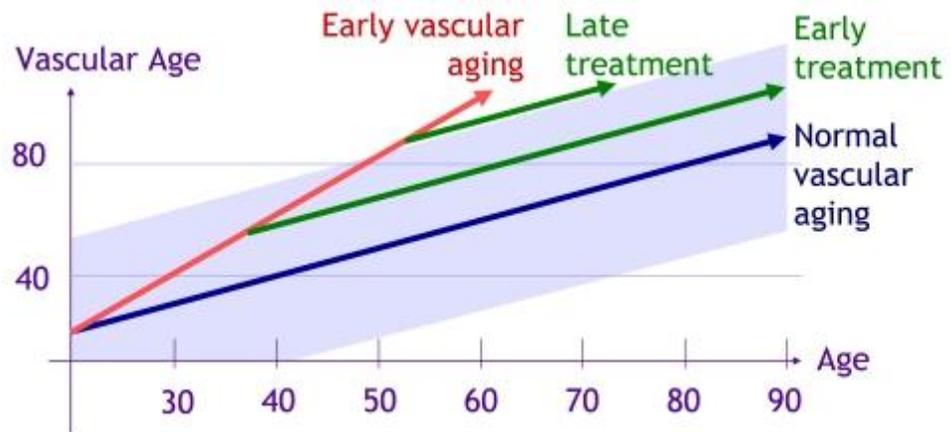
And what chefs and scientists know  
and don't know about caramelization.

Any oxidizing substance can attack elastic fibers and accelerate their deterioration. UV rays, cigarettes, pollution (certain nanoparticles in particular) and a poor diet are some of the main toxic agents  
Less well known is what some call "caramelization" of the body, due to excess sugar (notably in the context of diabetes)

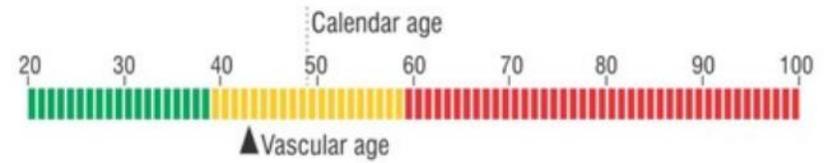


Normal Blood vessels and 2 type of arteriosclerosis





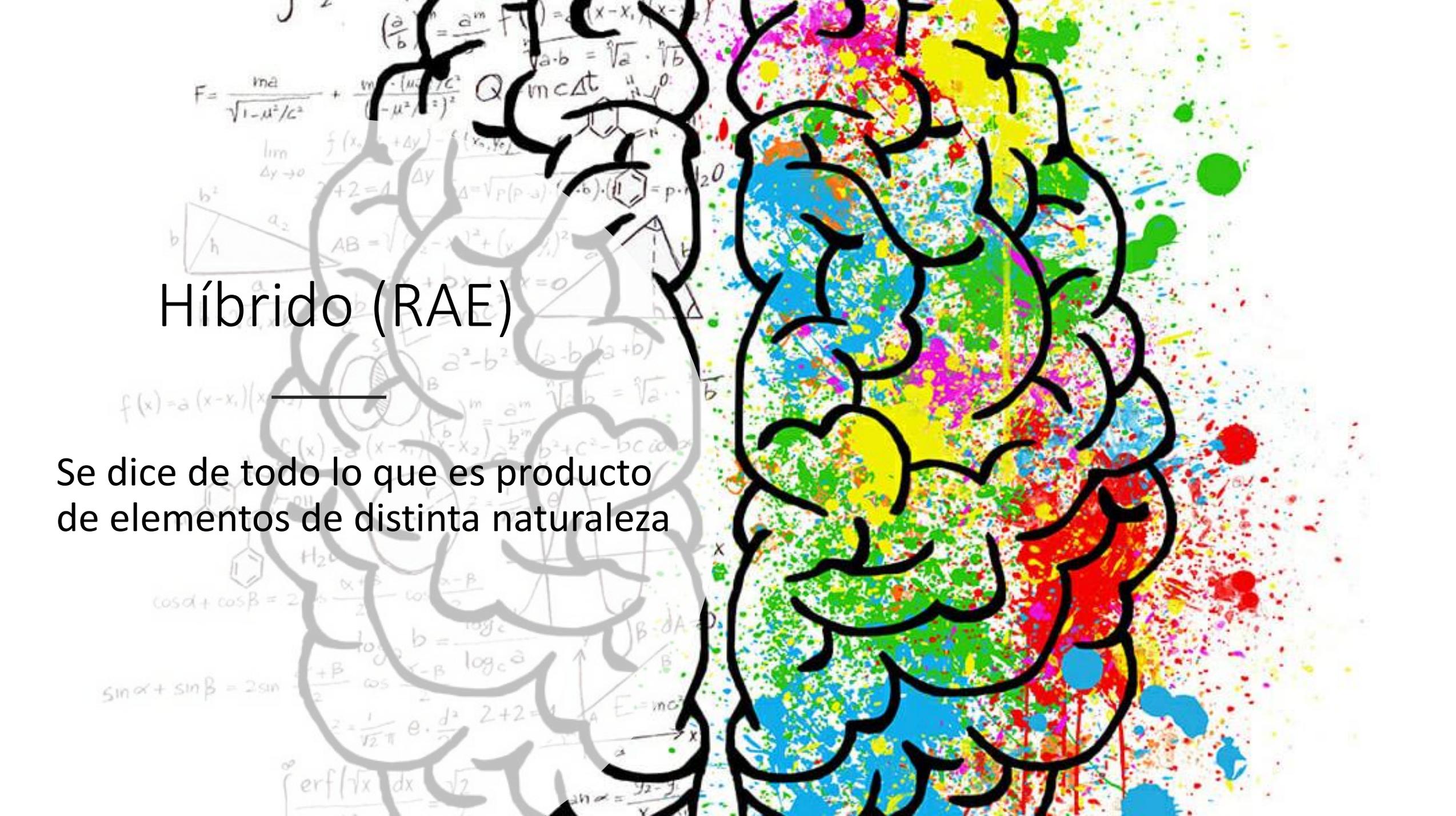
### Vascular Age Benchmark



- Significantly younger
- Normal range
- Significantly older

# Híbrido (RAE)

Se dice de todo lo que es producto de elementos de distinta naturaleza





El desafío es formar **HIBRIDADORES**

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Si se ponen a trabajar juntas a personas de la misma disciplina, se estarán sumando conocimientos, si se juntan personas de diferentes disciplinas, más que `sumar` lo que se está haciendo es `multiplicar` las probabilidades de que el resultado del trabajo conjunto sea innovador.

## Casa Florentina de los Médici (sXV)

Junto con otras familias similares, financiaron a pensadores y creadores de diferentes ámbitos (artistas, científicos, poetas y filósofos, entre otros), logrando un intercambio interdisciplinario de ideas.

Efecto Medici: explosión de creatividad en la Italia del siglo XV, cuya idea básica es que cuando “se accede a una intersección de campos, disciplinas o culturas, se puede combinar conceptos existentes en un gran número de nuevas ideas”



# FLORENCIA, el silicon valley del RENACIMIENTO



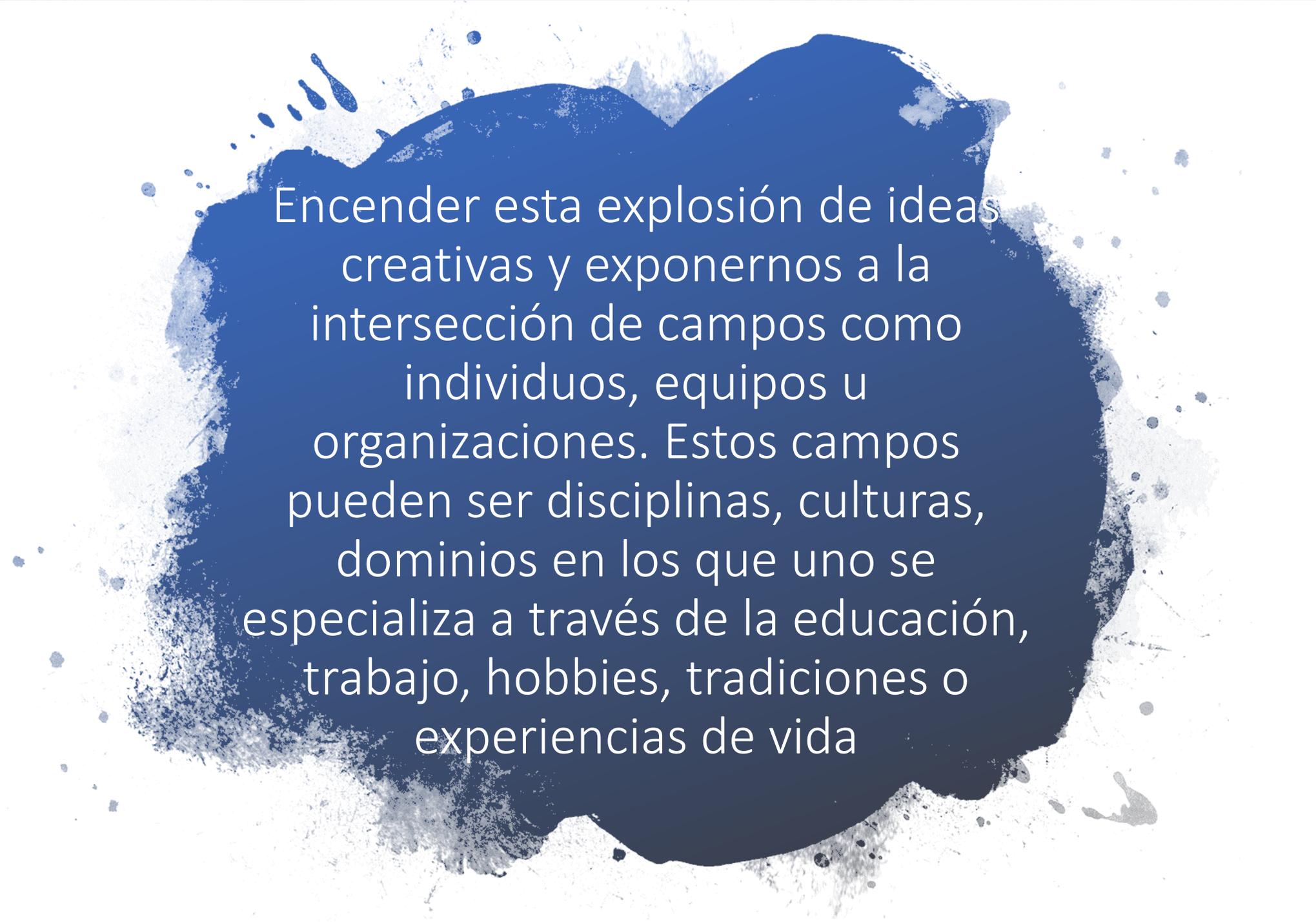
**1** No han existido muchos lugares con un entorno tan propicios para la creatividad como la Florencia del Quattrocento

**2** Ha prohiado esa explosión de ideas creativas que resultan de la intersección de campos así como individuos, equipos u organizaciones



## Montmartre y Greenwich Village

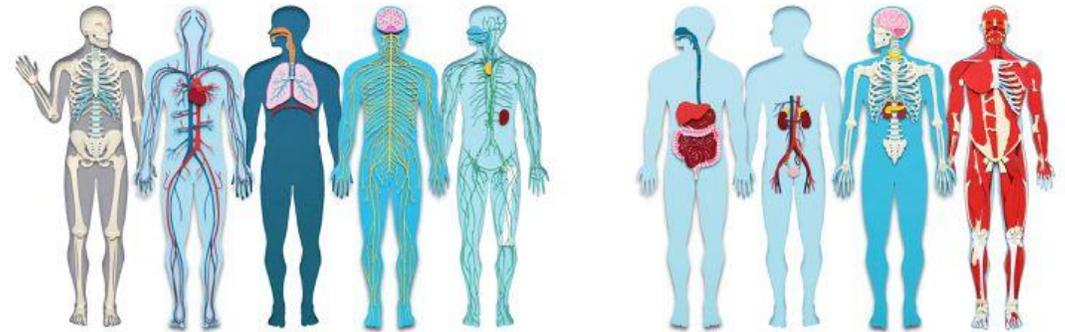
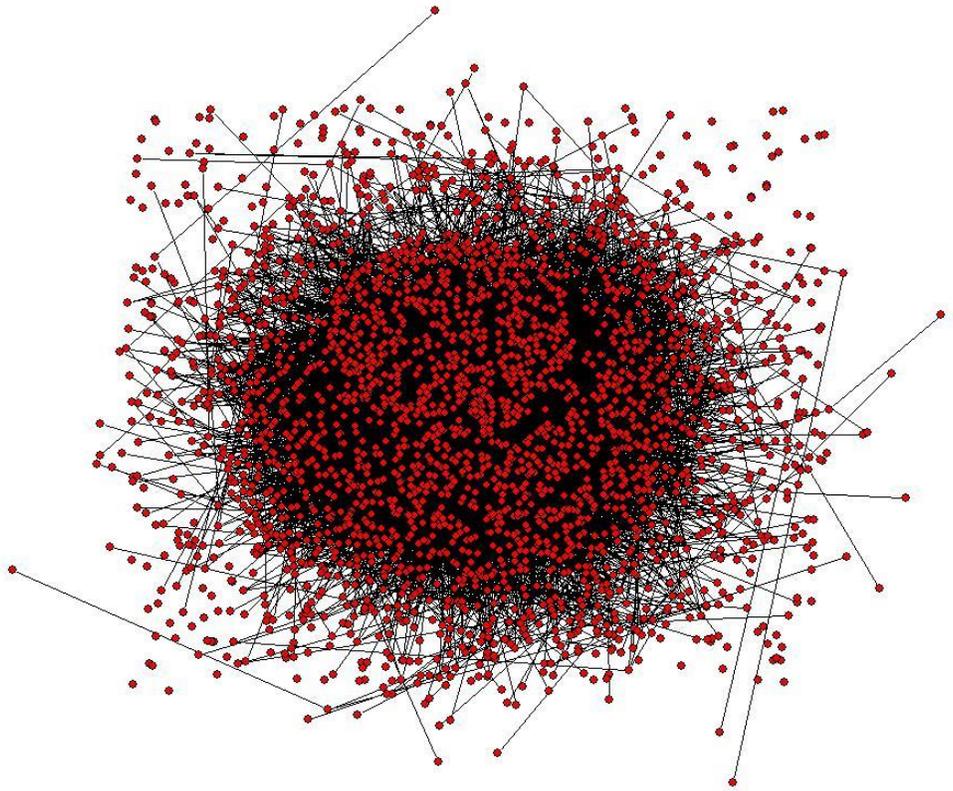
De igual modo que la Florencia del Renacimiento, el Greenwich Village de mediados de siglo y el Montmartre de los años veinte fueron centros sociales con una alta densidad de talento, donde se gestan ecosistemas que fomentan la creatividad, se retroalimentan y se potencian a gran velocidad. Hoy en día podemos observar casos análogos en grandes centros de innovación como el Silicon Valley o Tel Aviv en la start-up nation.

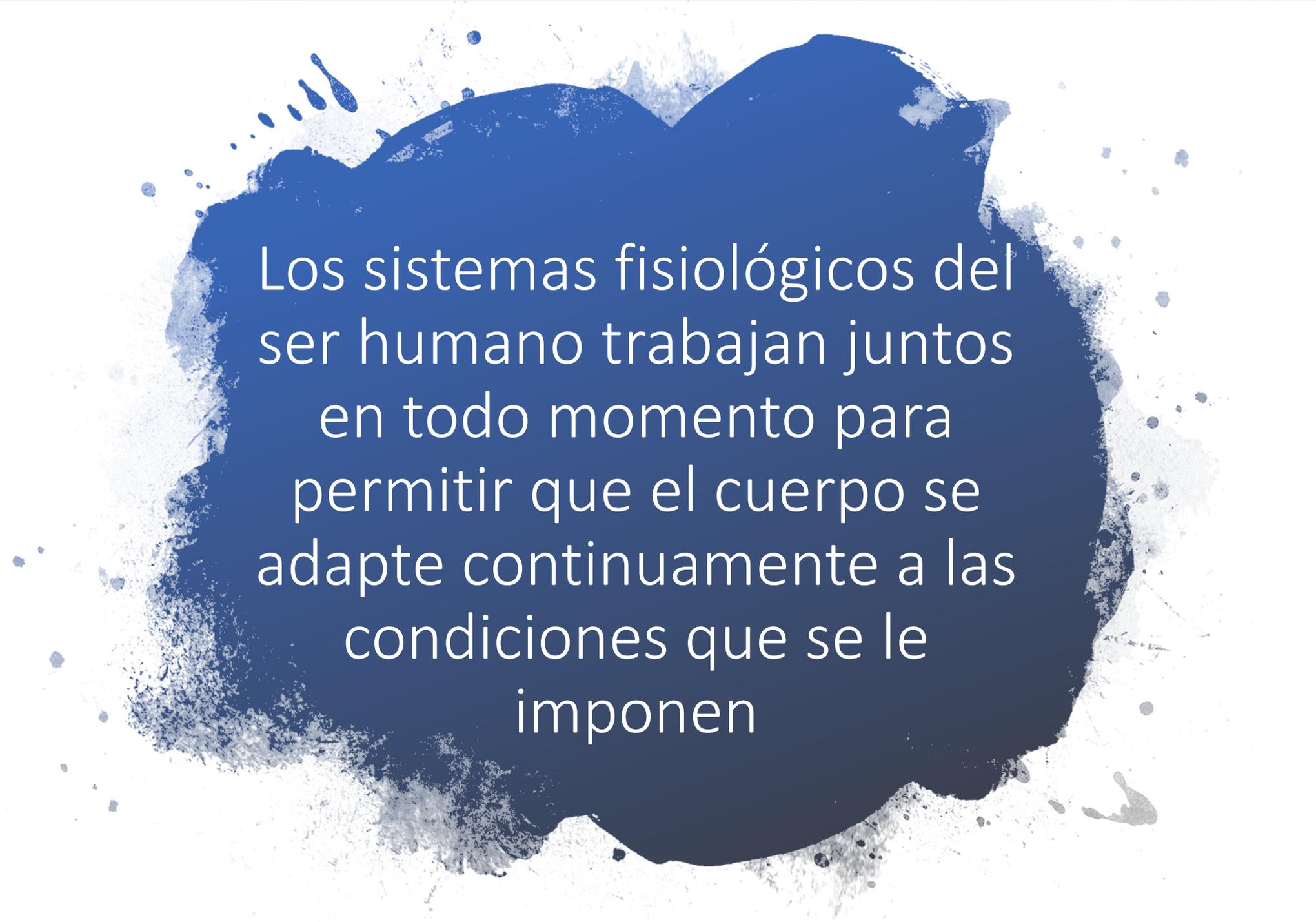


Encender esta explosión de ideas creativas y exponernos a la intersección de campos como individuos, equipos u organizaciones. Estos campos pueden ser disciplinas, culturas, dominios en los que uno se especializa a través de la educación, trabajo, hobbies, tradiciones o experiencias de vida

La ciencia de la complejidad: estudio de sistemas que se componen de muchas partes variadas que interactúan de manera compleja y no lineal

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Los sistemas fisiológicos del ser humano trabajan juntos en todo momento para permitir que el cuerpo se adapte continuamente a las condiciones que se le imponen



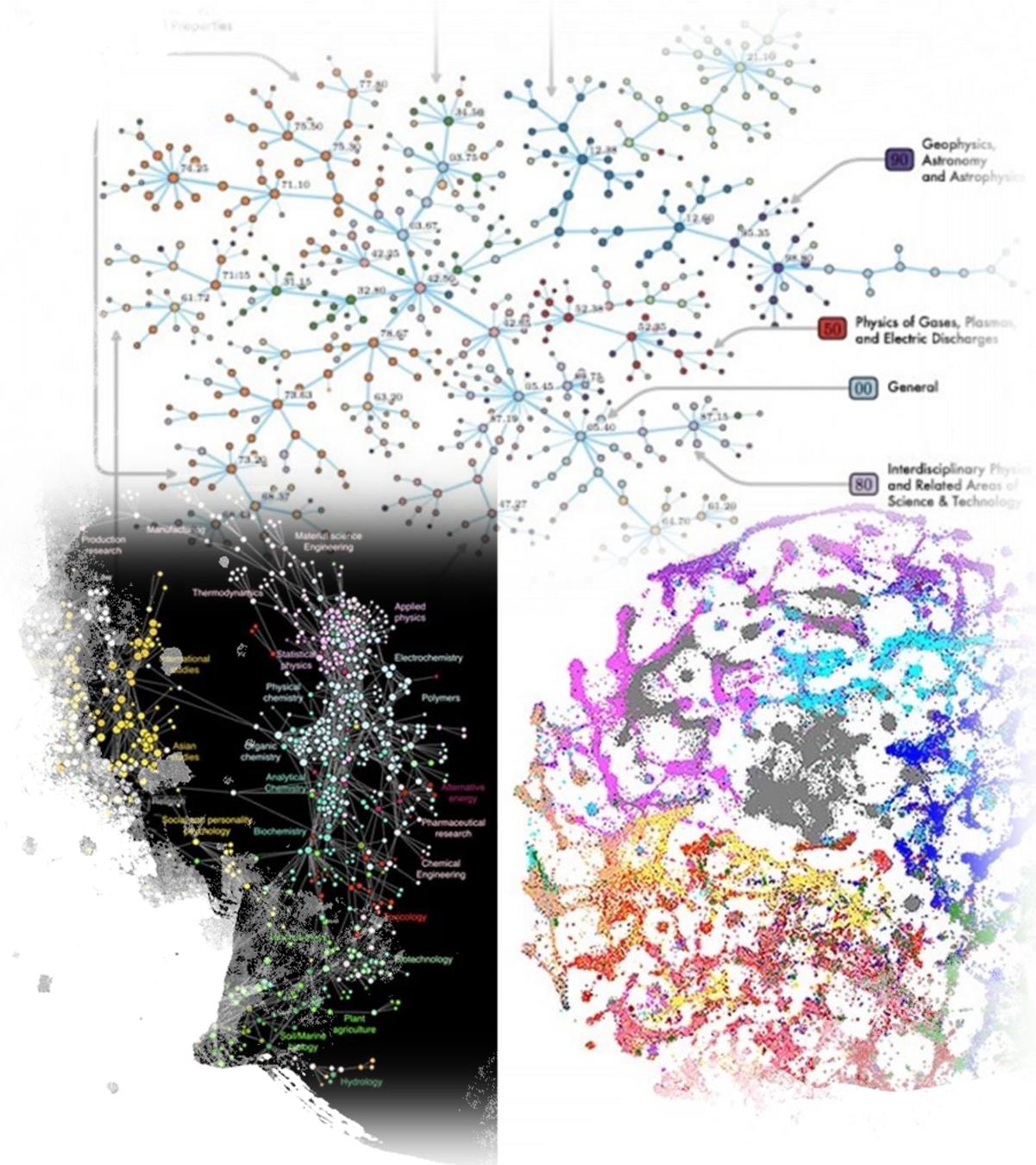
Edgar Morin 1921 -

El término “complejo” designa una comprensión del mundo como entidad donde todo se encuentra entrelazado, como en un tejido compuesto de finos hilos, en fin, *complexus*: lo que está tejido junto.



# La analítica de clics (*click analytics*)

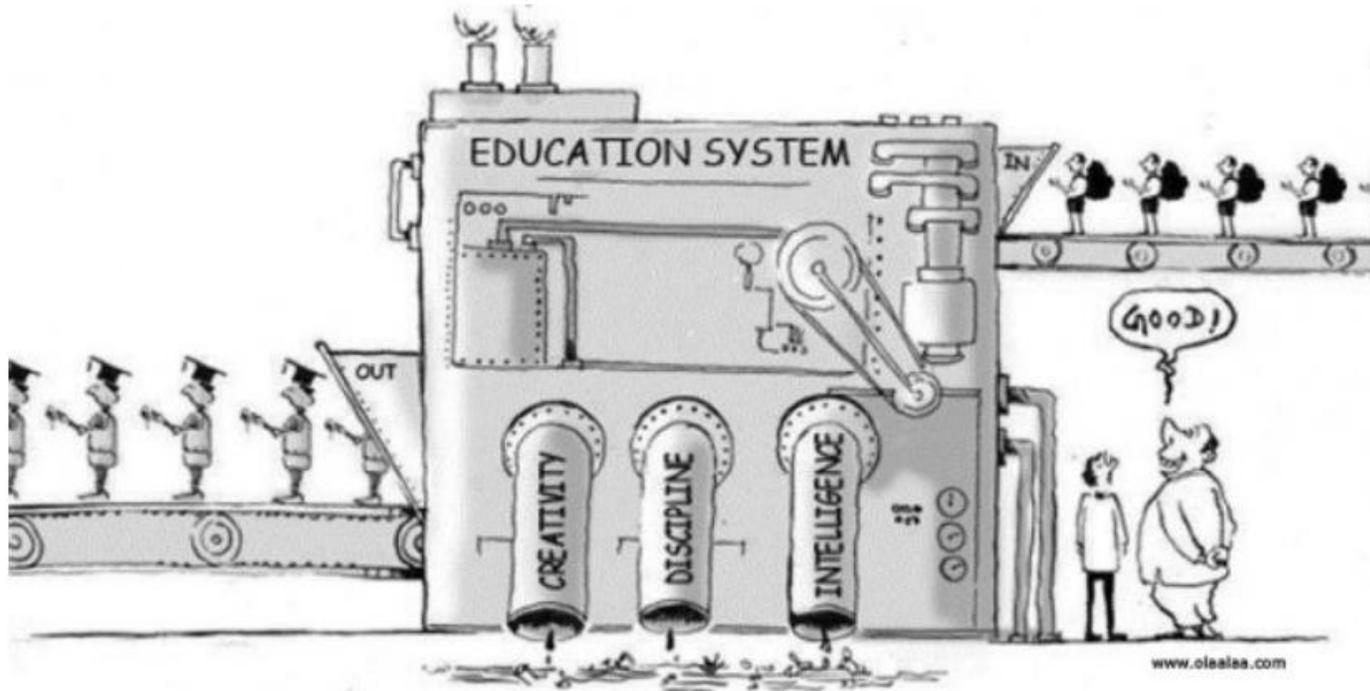
- La analítica de clics es posible gracias a la práctica del *clickstream*, que consiste en grabar la interacción de los usuarios con una página web en concreto. El *clickstream* es un conjunto de peticiones a una página que generan una señal que puede ser representada gráficamente. Después, estos datos recogidos podrán ser almacenados para su tratamiento y posterior análisis de clics.



Se trata de hacer y buscar conexiones donde nunca pensó que existían, integrar e innovar. Dar un paso atrás y ver el panorama general y recordar que la simplicidad produce complejidad.

Fomentar la Consiliencia (\*)

(\*) **Consiliencia** es la disposición por la voluntad de unir los conocimientos y la información de distintas disciplinas para crear un marco unificado de entendimiento.



La hiper-especialización impide ver tanto lo global (que fragmenta en parcelas) como lo esencial (que disuelve); impide inclusive, tratar correctamente los problemas particulares que sólo pueden ser planteados y pensados en un contexto

Los problemas esenciales nunca son parcelados y los problemas globales son cada vez más esenciales.

- *Los siete saberes necesarios para la educación del futuro.* Edgar Morin (1999)



# CREATIVIDAD

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- El gran desafío de nuestro tiempo es estimular la creatividad desterrando el mito que la misma es algo mágico, un poder sobrenatural negado a la mayoría de los mortales y concedido a aquellos pocos para que puedan imaginar lo que nunca ha existido antes
- Para provocar la creatividad, pocas cosas son tan importantes como la **fecundación cruzada con campos disímiles a nuestras áreas de especialización**: los grandes avances a menudo dependen de la audacia ingenua de un profano.

# Updating Engineering Education in the Southern Cone: Creativity and Innovation

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Most of our secondary school graduates have poor skills in mathematics and sciences. This negative handicap makes them refractory to study engineering or science, thus reaching a minimum of aspirants. The innovation we foresee and wish to promote across our countries will undoubtedly require of the alumni, who possess solid bases to design and create products with an important added value, in order to satisfy demands and exceed the expectations in this era, where technology evolves very fast. Creativity awakens the power of our numbed imagination; it is boldness, adventure, discovering and learning from change. To provoke creativity, few things are as important as the time that is dedicated to the cross-pollination with other fields. Many countries are revising the programs of scientific education and the application of new pedagogic paradigms that tend to revert the downward trend of enrollments. We propose a palliative measure, consisting of an introductory course that strives for the training of students in the Stokes diagram, called Pasteur quadrant, seeking to concentrate the scientific task according to the existent knowledge concepts, in the fact that engineering is the motor of innovation, through increasing and consolidating the creative process, teaching them to think and stimulating their critical mind by means of peer teaching.

*Keywords:* Engineering Education; Teaching for Creativity; Innovation



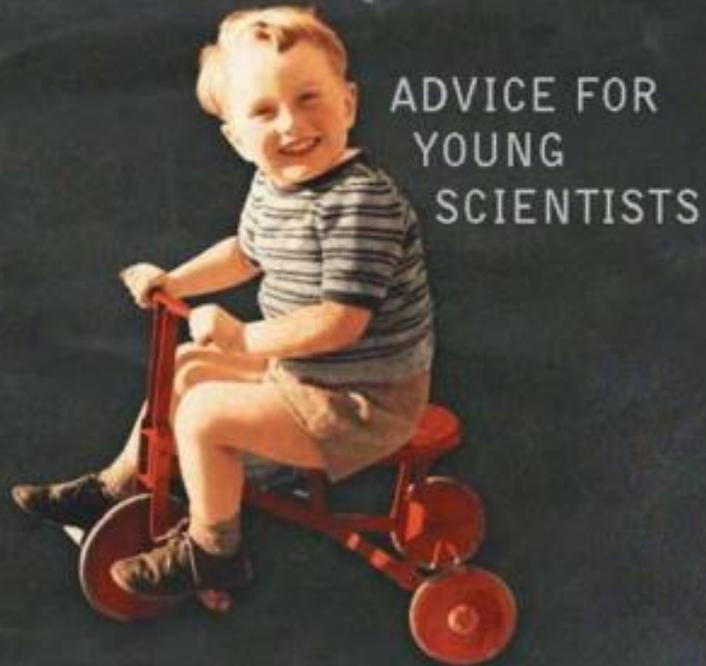
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# CÓMO GANAR UN PREMIO NOBEL?

- Intente solucionar problemas importantes y hacer grandes descubrimientos
- Sea realista y saque provecho de sus propias fortalezas
- Adquiera habilidades básicas y trabaje con la gente adecuada
- Aprenda a escribir de forma clara y concisa
- Trabaje en un campo apropiado
- Encuentre y cultive su verdadera pasión
- Focalícese y no sea diletante
- Sea selectivo acerca de dónde trabajar
- Valore la evidencia y aprenda a observar lo que tiene enfrente
- Piense creativamente
- Verbalice el problema
- Sea generoso y consciente de la cultura
- Sea persistente y tenaz, pero esté preparado para fracasar
- Su tiempo es valioso
- Evite los roles administrativos prestigiosos.

Amor a mi patria  
Amor a la libertad  
Dignidad personal  
Cumplimiento del deber  
Devoción a la ciencia  
Devoción al trabajo  
Respeto a la justicia y a mis  
semejantes  
Afecto a los míos  
pacientes, discípulos  
y amigos  
Octubre de 1943. B. Houssay

## Dr. Bernardo Alberto Houssay

Fisiólogo argentino cuya investigación sobre el rol de las hormonas pituitarias que regulan el azúcar en la sangre le valió un Premio Nobel en 1947

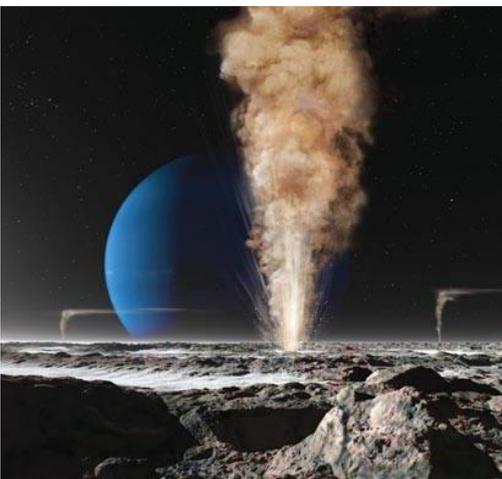


Houssay se dedicó con  
exclusividad a la investigación,  
algo que nadie había hecho  
en América latina.

En 1952, Bernardo A Houssay uno de los tres premios nobel de la Republica Argentina en Medicina aseguraba que hay tres factores principales que dificultan el progreso



- El primero es el misoneísmo, entendiéndose como la resistencia a lo nuevo con el afán de evitar las innovaciones que se producen fatalmente a cada adelanto científico.
- El segundo era la desmedida preocupación por la aplicación inmediata, idea propia de los ambientes atrasados, o bien signo de decadencia de los ya adelantados.
- Y finalmente el tercero era el orgullo localista, profesional o nacionalista, que es mezcla de ignorancia, inmadurez y autodefensa de los mediocres



HERMANN HESSE, *Obstinación*, 1919.

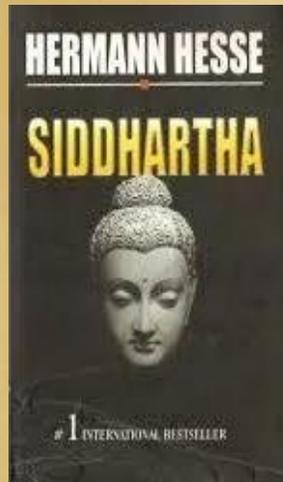
*Obstinación*", en alemán es "Eigensinn", palabra compuesta que literalmente significa "propio sentido"



Una virtud hay que quiero mucho, una sola. Se llama obstinación. Todas las demás, sobre las que leemos en los libros y oímos hablar a los maestros, no me interesan tanto. En el fondo se podría englobar todo ese sinfín de virtudes que ha inventado el hombre en un solo nombre. Virtud es: obediencia. La cuestión es a quién se obedece

HERMANN HESSE, Siddhartha,  
1919.

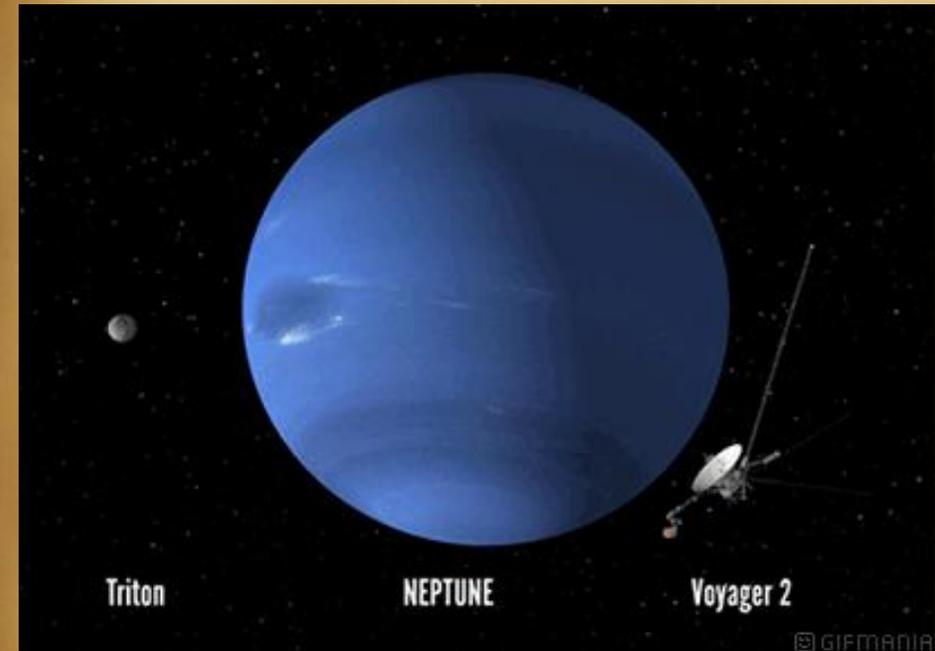
Relata la vida de Siddhartha, hijo de Brahman, un joven hindú, que busca afanosamente y por los más diversos caminos su propio derrotero vital.



No se trata de inteligencia; (...) la mayoría de los hombres son como hojas que caen y revolotean indecisas, (...) otros son como los **astros: siguen una ruta fija, ningún viento los alcanza y llevan en su interior su propia ley y trayectoria.**

Qué bueno es probar por sí mismo lo que hay que saber, vivirlo en carne propia, no saberlo sólo con la memoria, saberlo con mis ojos, con mi corazón, con mi estómago.

A 4,500 millones de kilómetros a la Tierra esta Tritón y gira alrededor de Neptuno: mientras que prácticamente todas las lunas del Sistema Solar giran alrededor de su planeta en el sentido inverso de las manecillas del reloj, mismo sentido en que giran los planetas alrededor de su propio eje, extrañamente Tritón gira en sentido contrario



# ANEKANTAVADA

An-eka-anta: no exclusividad o múltiples puntos de vista.

Filosofía que expresa que no hay un punto único sobre la verdad, sino distintas perspectivas; lo cual significa la aceptación del otro, y la búsqueda de encuentros cuando las posiciones son muy distintas.

Mahavira siglo V aC



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## René Gerónimo Favaloro (1923 – 2000)

Cirujano cardiovascular argentino que revolucionó el campo con sus aportes pioneros, entre los cuales el más sobresaliente es la estandarización de la cirugía de bypass de la arteria coronaria, realizada por primera vez en el año 1967.

Rene Favaloro prohió, sostuvo y confinó a un grupo interdisciplinario de jóvenes estudiantes, con ingenieros, médicos, físicos, fisiólogos, químicos, matemáticos entre otros especialistas bajo apropiados niveles de presión y temperatura.



# PARIS, V<sup>ème</sup> HUB creativo en 20 hectáreas de superficie

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(la cité, la ville, et l'Université: l'île de la Cité, la rive droite et la rive gauche)

El fuego vino a destruir uno de los símbolos de la intelectualidad del mundo occidental



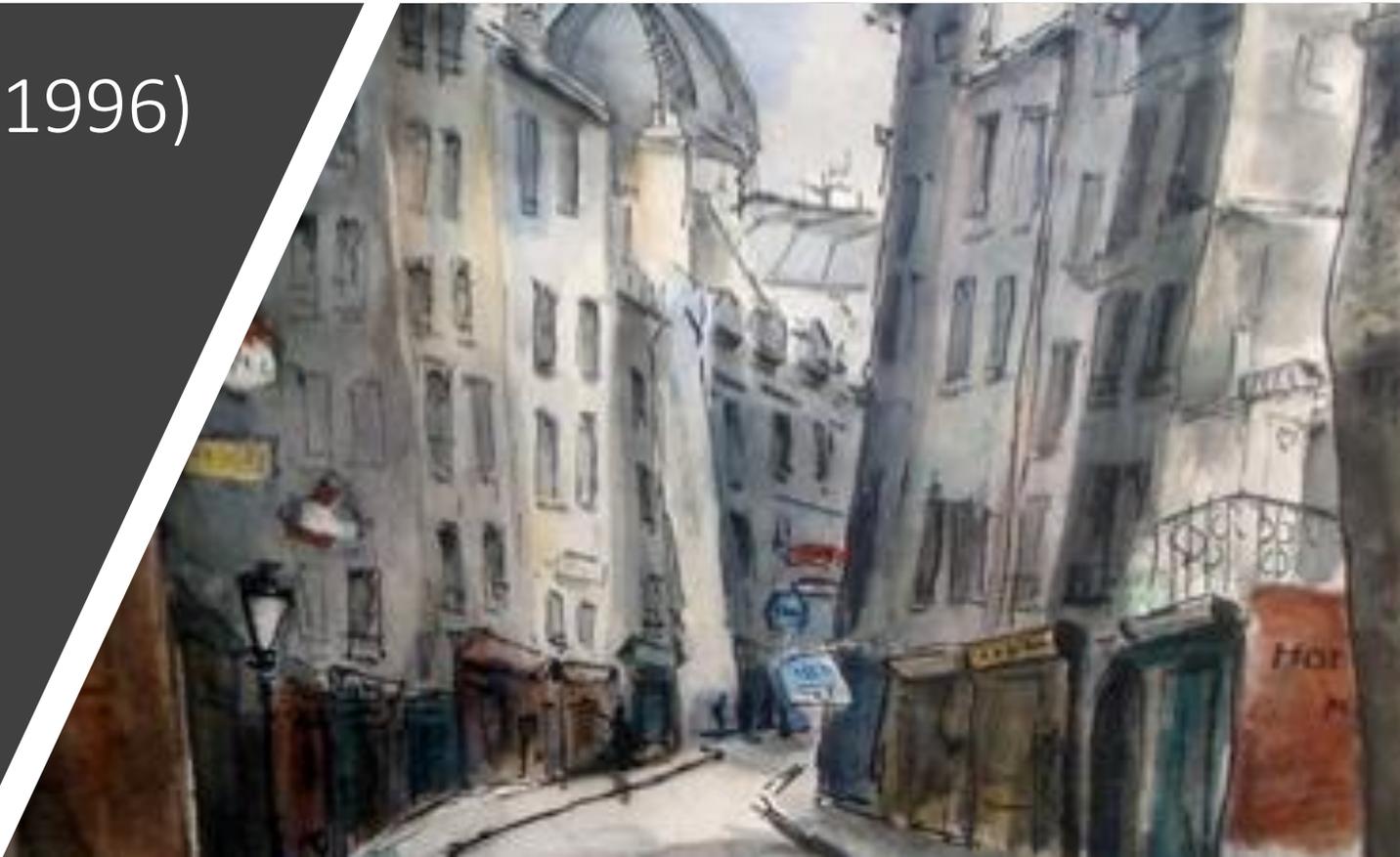


## François Mitterrand (1916 - 1996)

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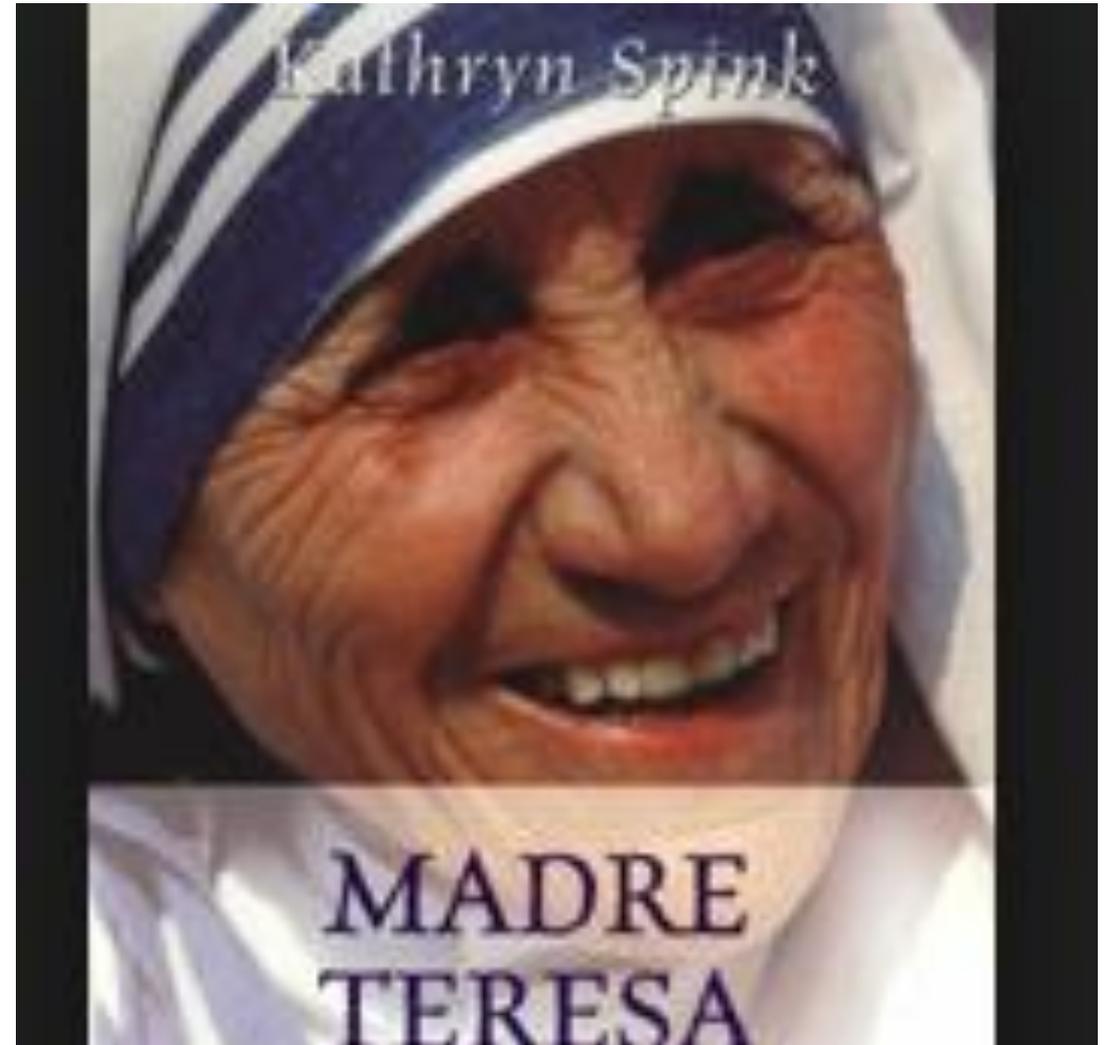
“La adversité me donne la forcé”

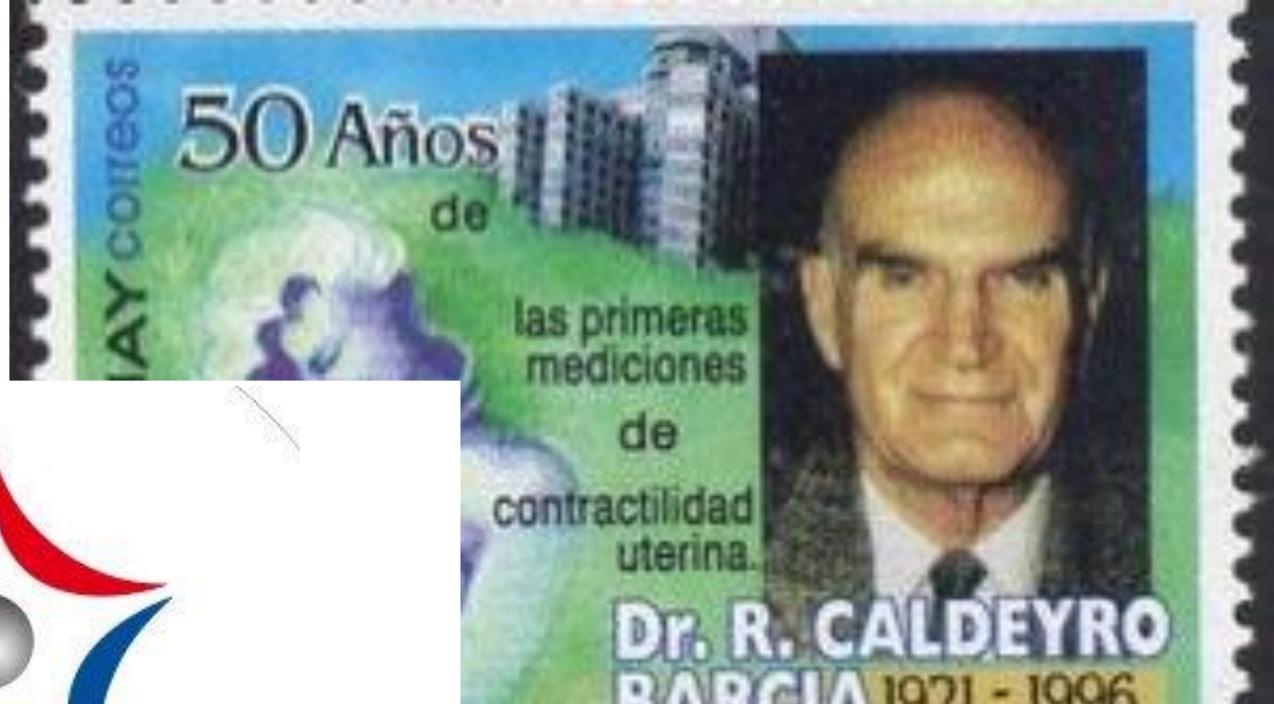
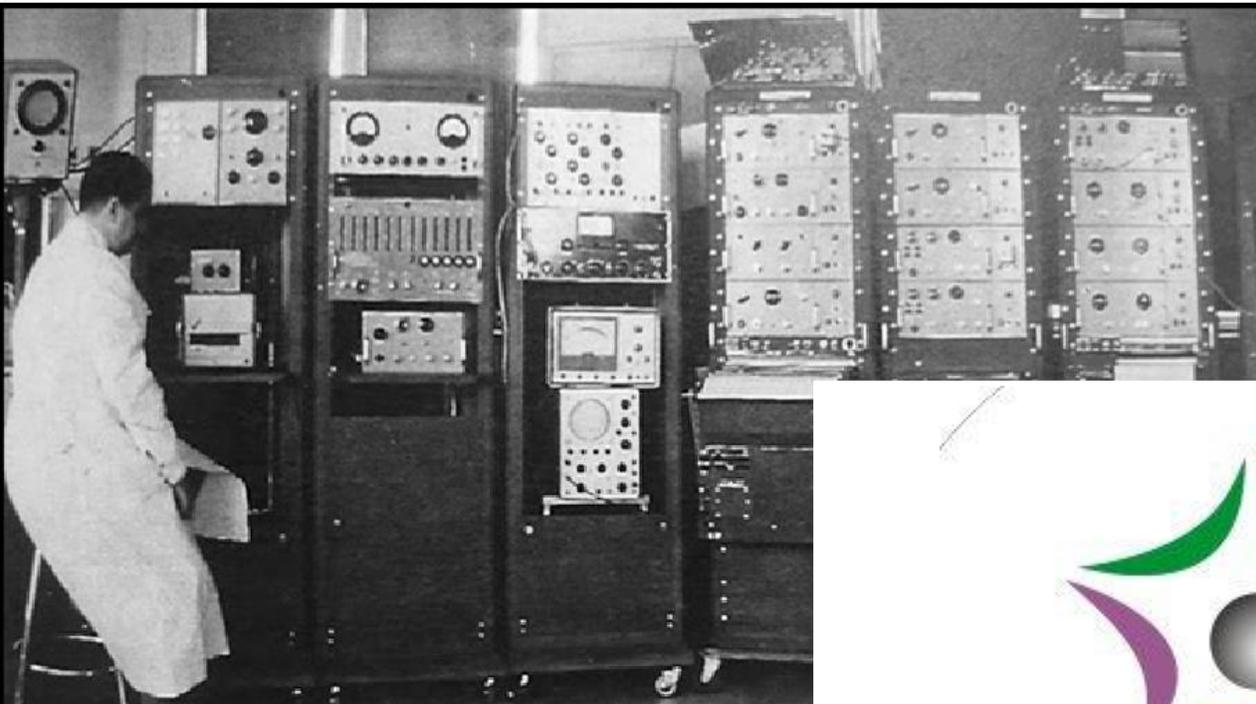
Las personas resilientes no sólo son capaces de luchar para adaptarse a acontecimientos adversos sino que tienen la habilidad de descubrir en ellos posibilidades inesperadas



# Madre Teresa de Calcuta

- Detrás de cada línea de llegada, hay una de partida
- **Detrás de cada logro, hay otro desafío.**
- Mientras estés viva, siéntete viva.
- Si extrañas lo que hacías, vuelve a hacerlo.
- **No vivas de fotos amarillas.**
- **Sigue aunque todos esperen que abandones.**
- No dejes que se oxide el acero que hay en ti.
- **Haz que, en vez de lástima, te tengan respeto.**
- Cuando por los años no puedas correr, trota.
- **Cuando no puedas trotar, camina**
- **Cuando no puedas caminar, usa el bastón**
- **Pero nunca te detengas**





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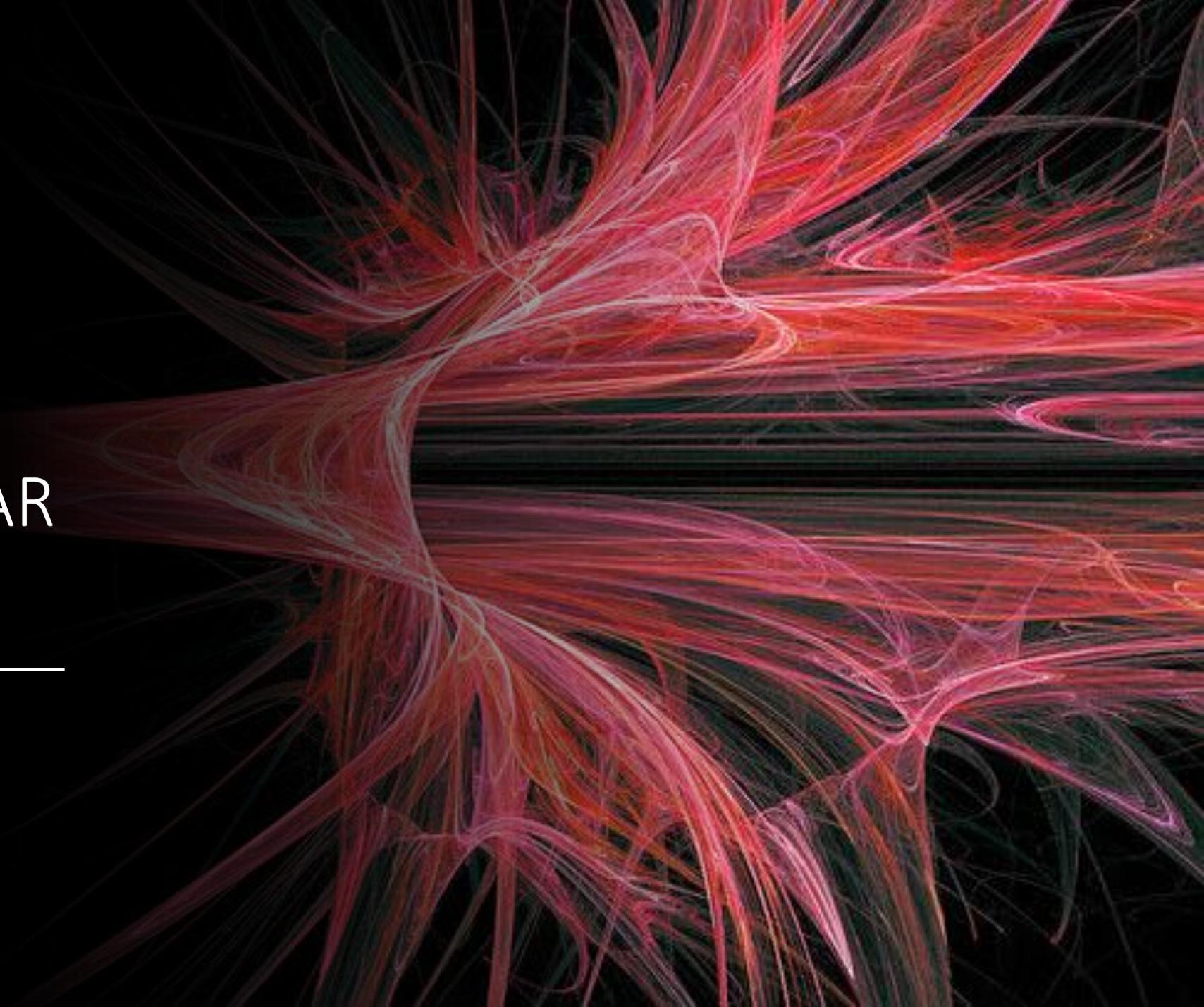


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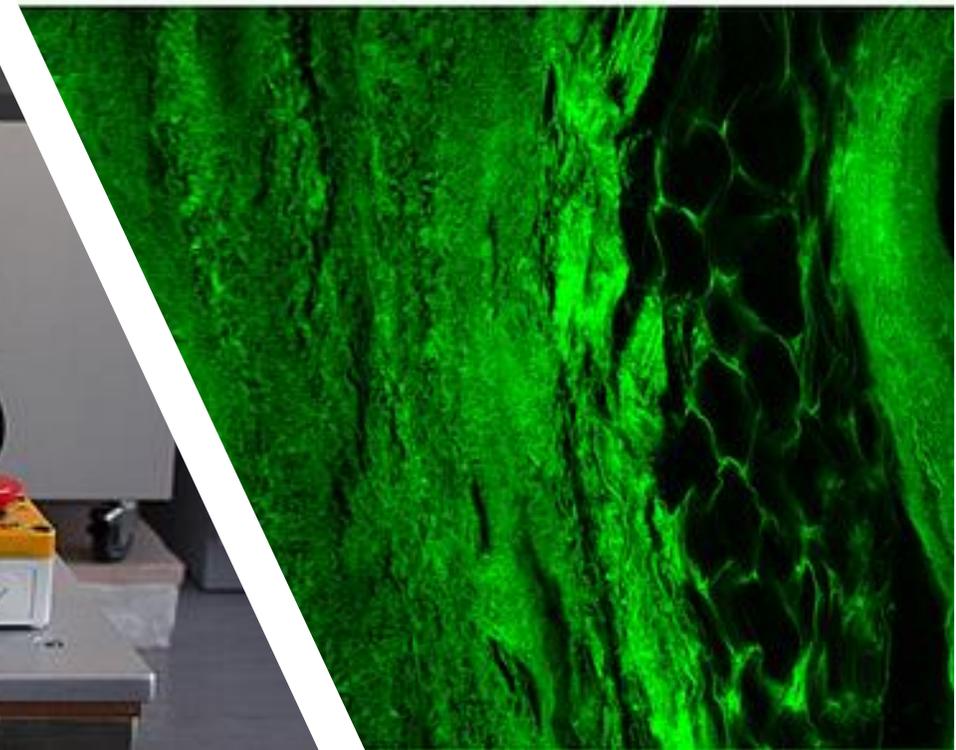
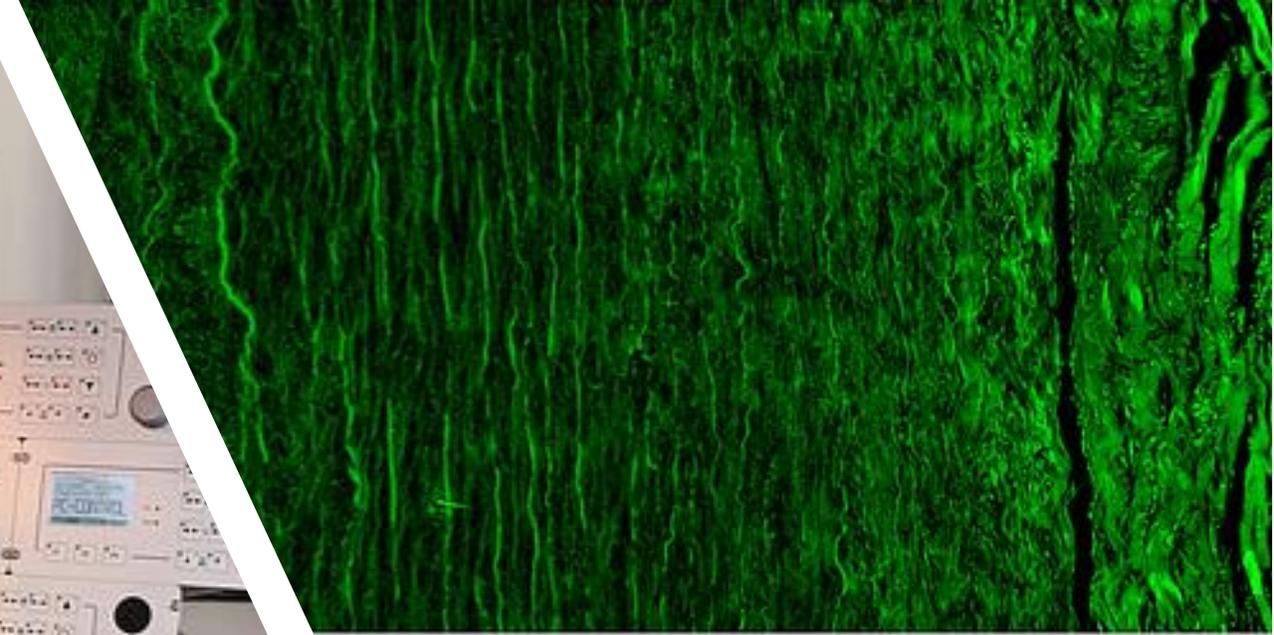
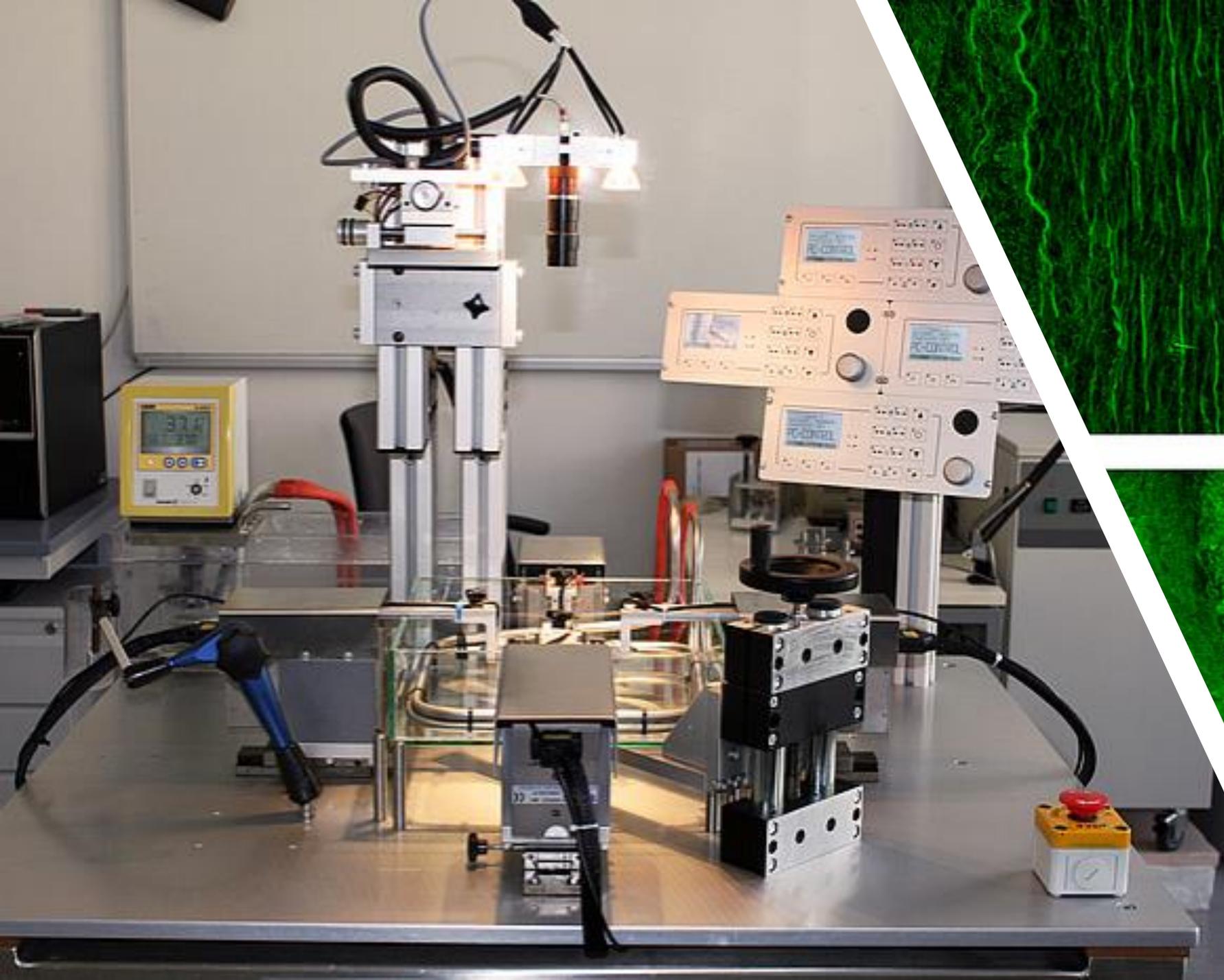


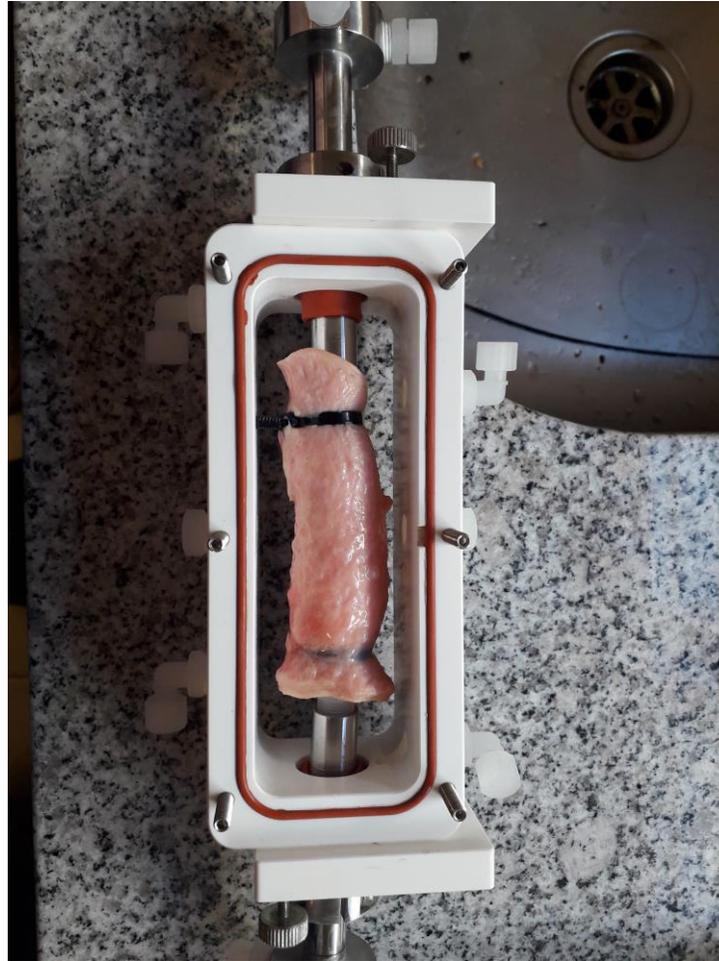
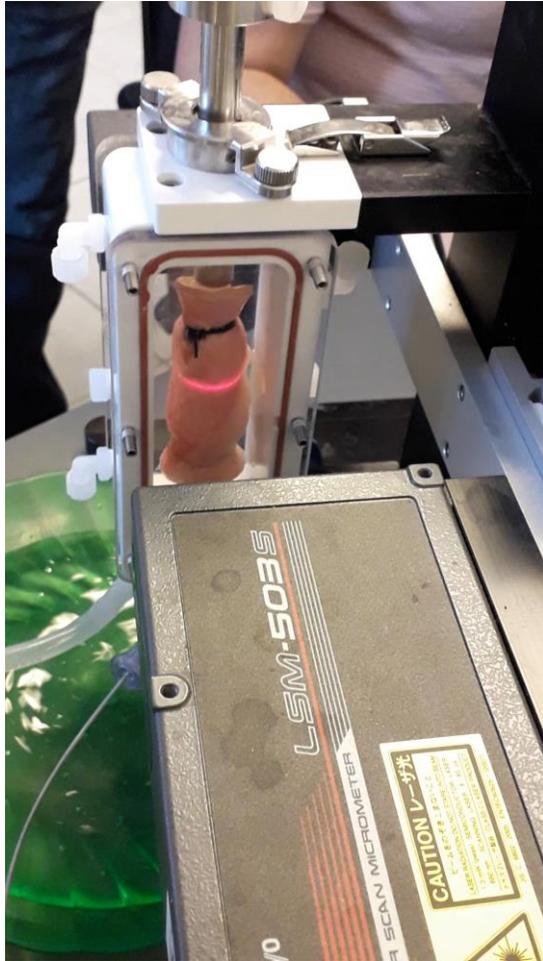
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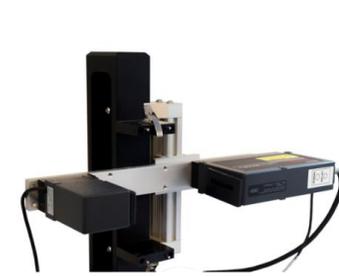
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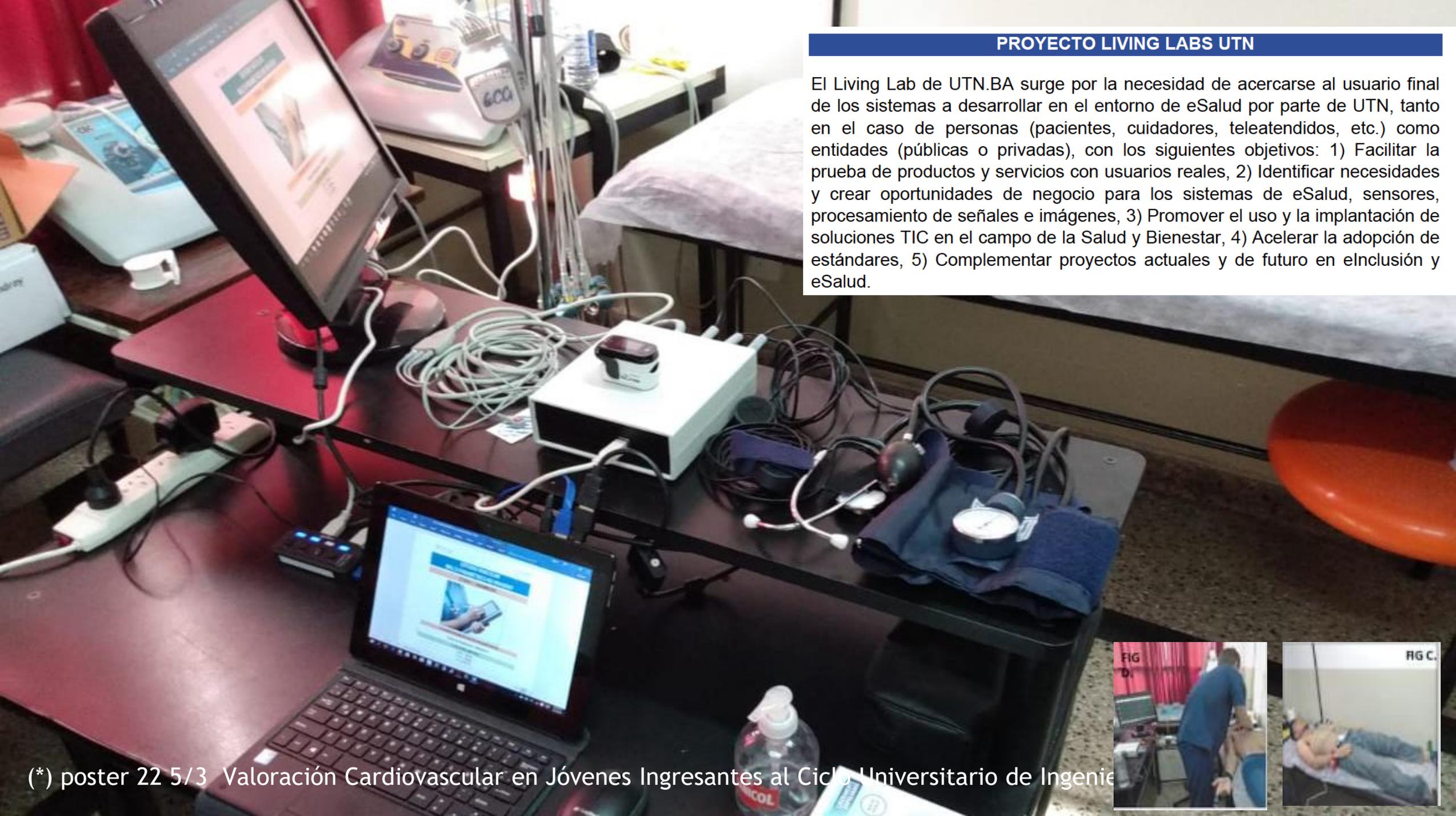


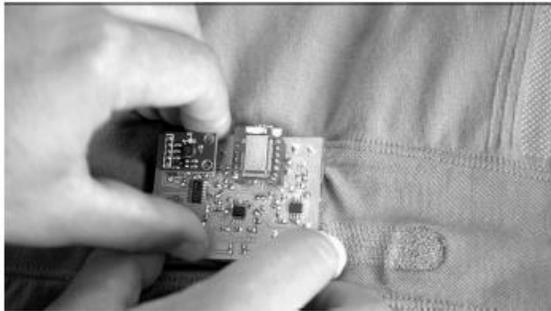
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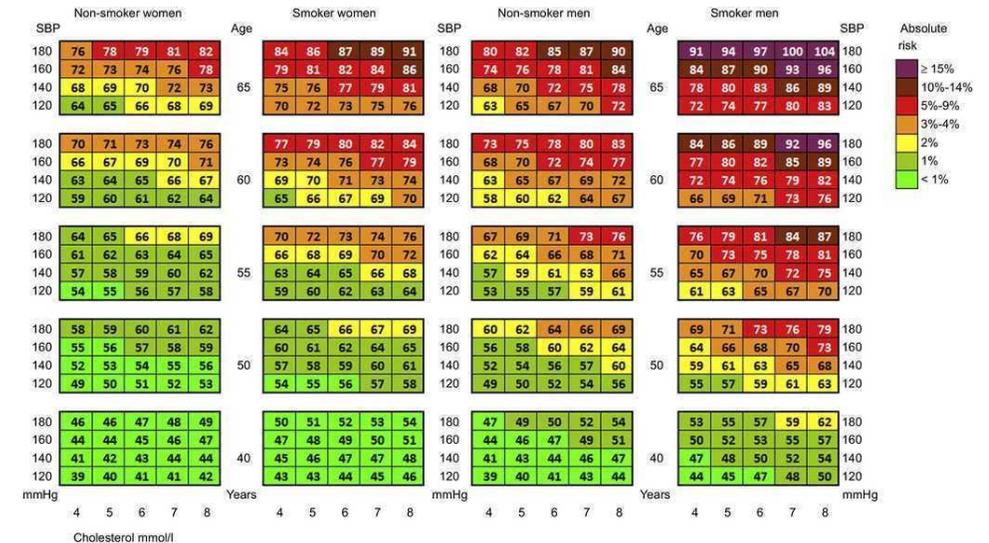


(\* ) poster 18 6/3 Wearable Estimation of Central Aortic Blood Pressure: Feasibility Study

## Estimation of central systemic pressure: Predictor selection and model comparison of statistical learning

**Abstract—** It was compared the estimation of the Central Systolic Pressure from models of Neural Networks, Vector Support Machines and Random Forest. The predictors used were separated into Basic (easy to obtain in any consulting room) and those used to estimate Framingham risk. To each of these subsets we added the Pulse Wave Velocity and Carotid Intima-Media Thickness, individually and jointly. The models were trained and tested with a main database, and then validated with another set of independently acquired data. This work suggests first of all that all Framingham risk predictors do not offer improvements in the PSC estimation, and better results can be obtained with simpler models. Secondly, it is suggested to add the VOP to the set of predictors since all the models had an improvement in the PSC estimation. With respect to the CIMT it was not possible to draw conclusions.

**Keywords—** Central Systolic Pressure, Blood Pressure, Pulse Wave Velocity, Carotid Intima-Media Thickness, Neural Networks, Vector Support Machines, Random Forests.



(\* ) Oral 5/3 15h18 Sesión Modelos y simulación de sistemas biomédicos

# Recipe for lowering blood pressure: Sweet potato (Ipomoea batatas) attenuates diet-induced aortic stiffening independent of changes in body composition.

T<sup>1</sup>, Ouyang A<sup>1</sup>, Berrones AJ<sup>1</sup>, Campbell MS<sup>1</sup>, Du B<sup>2</sup>, Fleenor BS<sup>1</sup>.

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## Steak and sweet potato (for two people)

...ized a sweet potato intervention would prevent high-fat (HF) diet-induced aortic stiffness, which would be associated with arterial oxidative stress and increased mitochondrial uncoupling. Young (8-week old) C57BL/6J mice were randomly divided into 4 groups: LF (10% fat), HF (60% fat), low-fat sweet potato (LFSP; 10% fat containing 260.3 μg/kcal sweet potato), or high-fat sweet potato (HFSP; 60% fat containing 260.3 μg/kcal sweet potato) for 16 weeks. Compared with LF and LFSP, HF- and HFSP-fed mice had less body mass and percent fat mass with lower percent lean mass (all, P < 0.05). Sweet potato intervention did not influence body mass or percent fat mass (all, P > 0.05). Arterial stiffness, assessed by aortic pulse wave velocity and ex vivo mechanical testing of the elastin region, was greater in HF compared with LF and HFSP animals (all, P < 0.05). Advanced glycation end products and oxidative stress were greater in aortic segments from HF mice compared with LF and HFSP animals (all, P < 0.05). Aortic elastin and collagen cross-links, however, were reduced in HF compared with LF and HFSP mice (all, P < 0.05). Aortic segments cultured with rotenone, a mitochondrial uncoupler, for 72 h reduced the EEM of HF arteries compared with nontreated HF segments (P < 0.05) but not in the EEM of aortic segments from HFSP mice. In conclusion, sweet potato attenuates diet-induced aortic stiffness and body mass and composition, which is associated with a normalization of arterial oxidative stress possibly due to

nitrophenol; mitochondria; mitochondrie; obesity; obésité; protéines de découplage; uncoupling proteins



Sweet potato can increase the cholesterol excretion, maintain vascular wall elasticity



100 grams of Sweet potatoes, 100 g

Keywords for lowering blood pressure



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## Assessment of Arterial Stiffness and Body Composition in Stable Liver Transplant Recipients

U.Z. Szewc <sup>a</sup>, Ł. Czyżewski <sup>b</sup>, R. Bi, J. Wyzgał <sup>b</sup>, Ł. Szarpak <sup>c</sup>

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### Abstract

#### Introduction

Arterial stiffness and central arterial pressure are important factors in the diagnosis of cardiovascular diseases. The tendency of patients after liver transplantation to reach above-normal BMI values promotes the development of arterial stiffness and lipid disorders.

Liver transplantation : official publication of the American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases and the International Liver Transplantation Society

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### High early cardiovascular mortality following liver transplantation

Lisa B. VanWagner, Brittany Lapin, [...], and Donald M. Lloyd-Jones

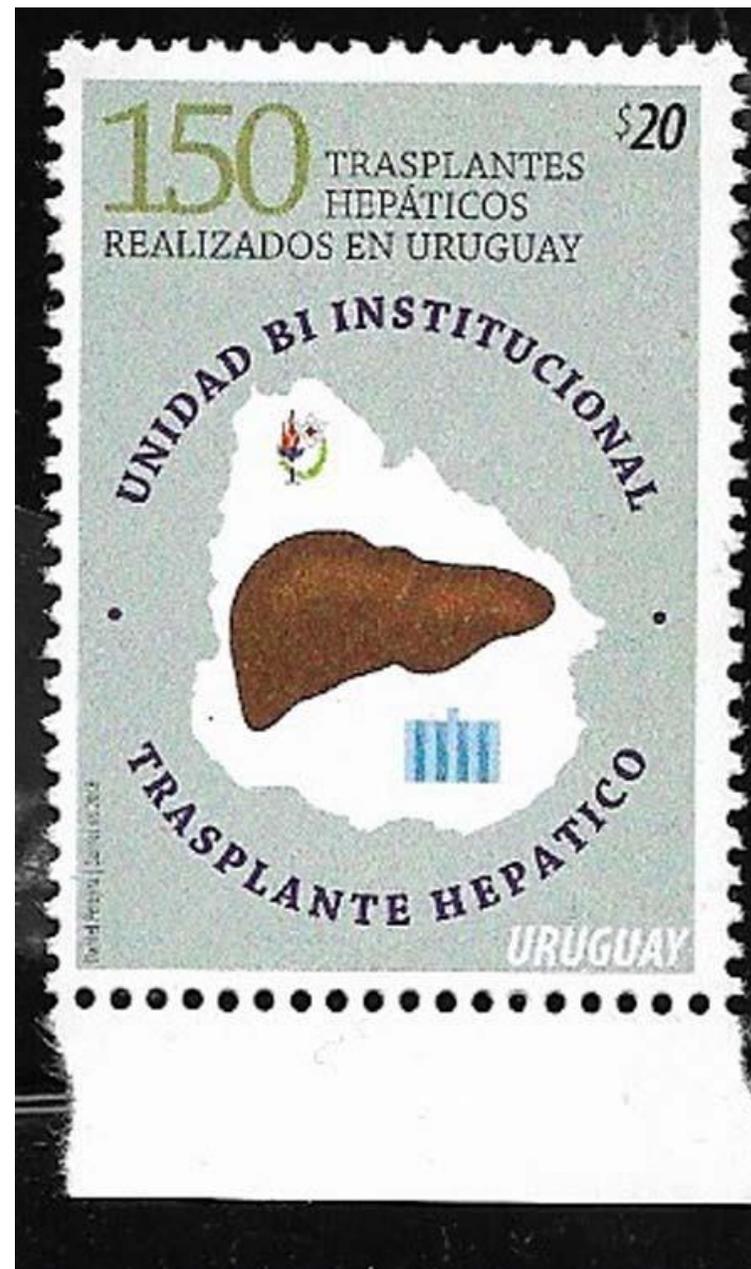
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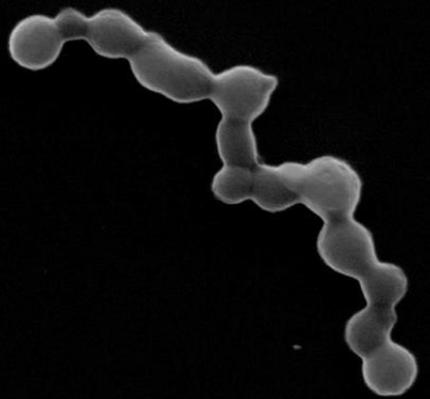
Cardiovascular disease (CVD) contributes to excess long-term mortality after liver transplantation (LT), however little is known about early post-operative CVD mortality in the current era. In addition, there is no model to predict early post-operative CVD mortality across centers. We analyzed adult recipients of primary LT in the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN) database between February 2002 and December 2012 to assess prevalence and predictors of early (30-day) CVD mortality, defined as death from arrhythmia, heart failure, myocardial infarction, cardiac arrest, thromboembolism, and/or stroke. We performed



# In order to make up for mechanically failing tissues in humans, it is possible to implant biomaterials.

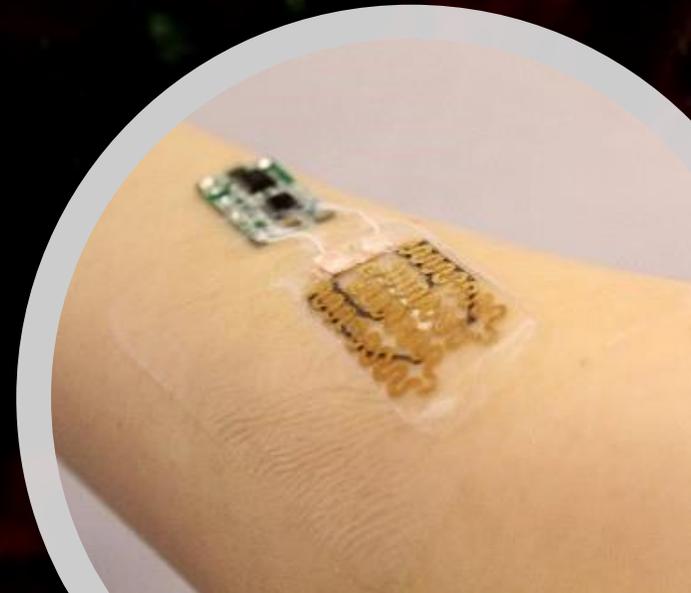
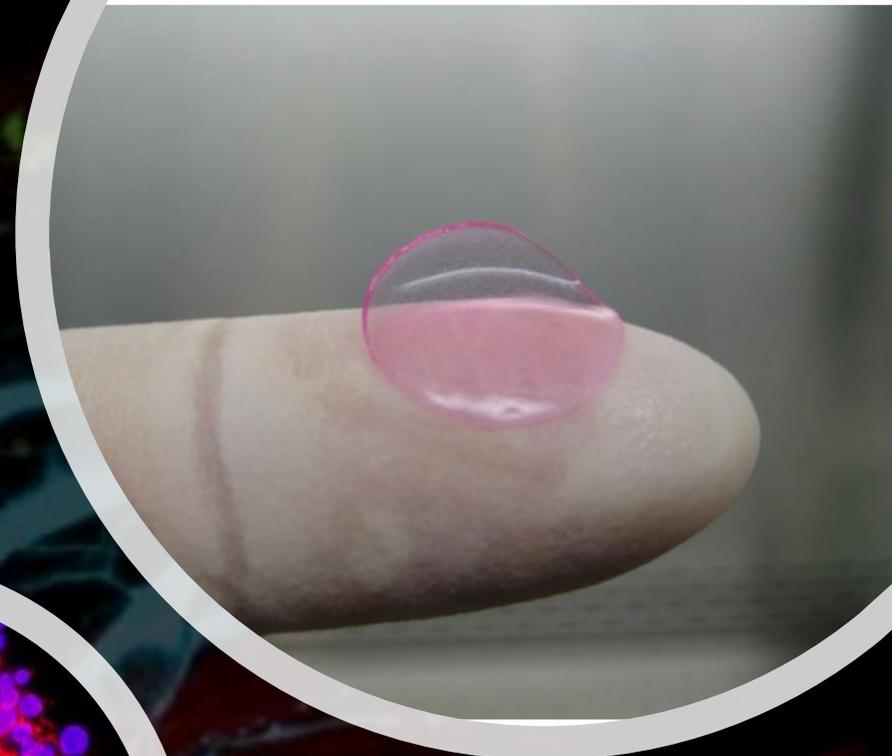
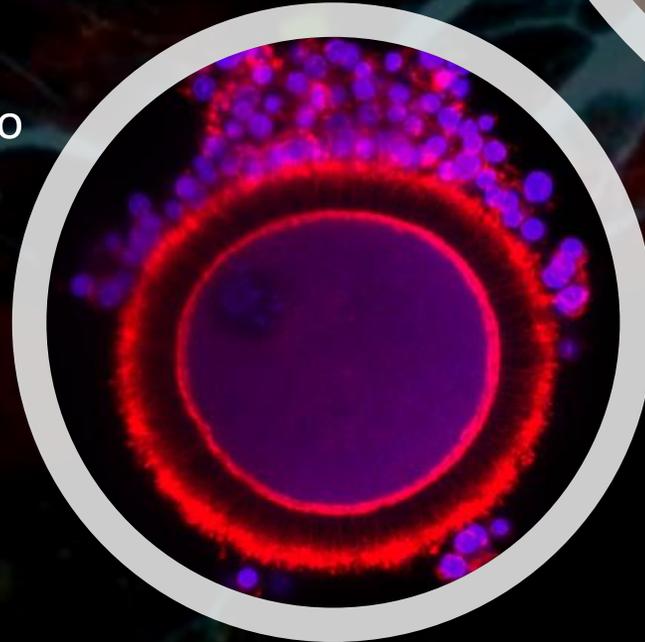
The production of biomimetic materials, which imitate nature by taking inspiration from its shapes and materials, is now being envisaged. The in vitro synthesis by cells of a type of human elastin has already been developed, and studies are underway to integrate it in biomaterials, or even enable its 3D printing

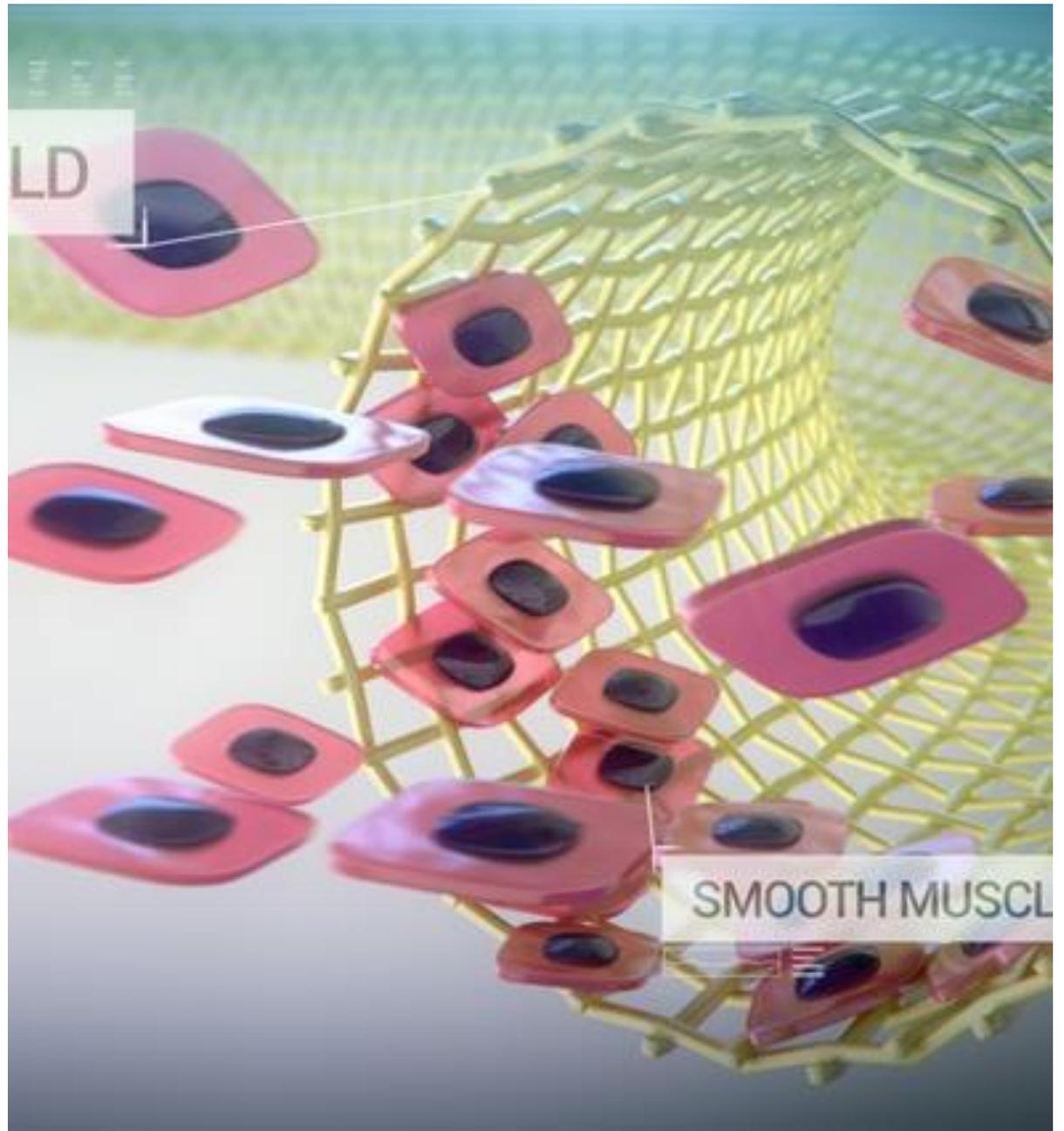
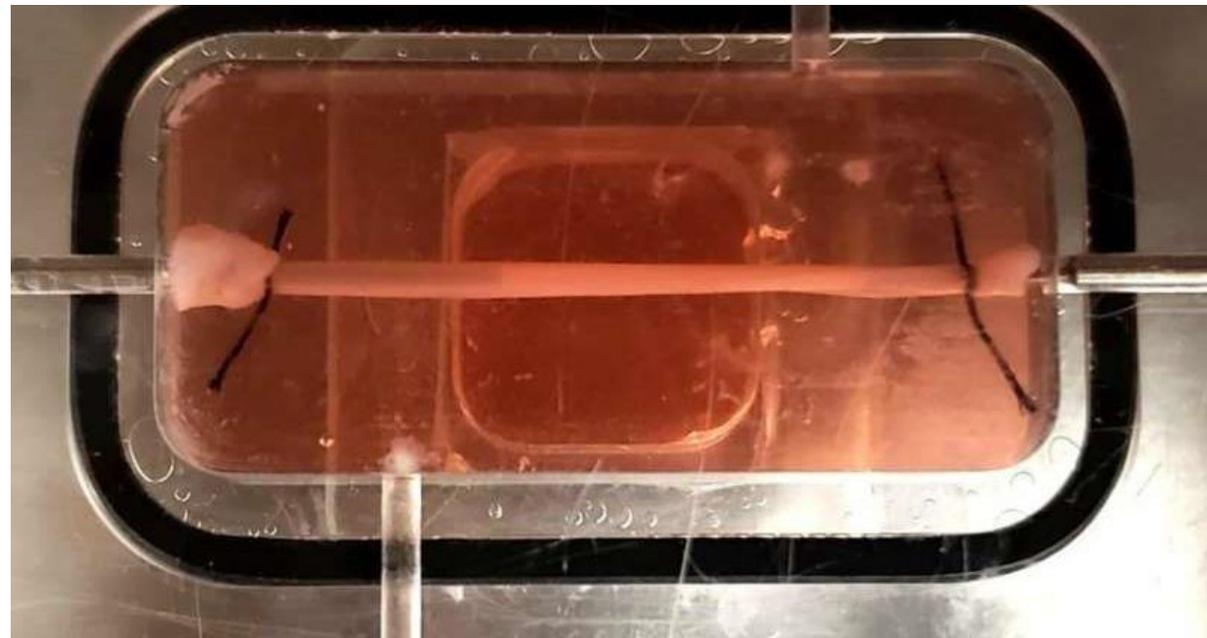
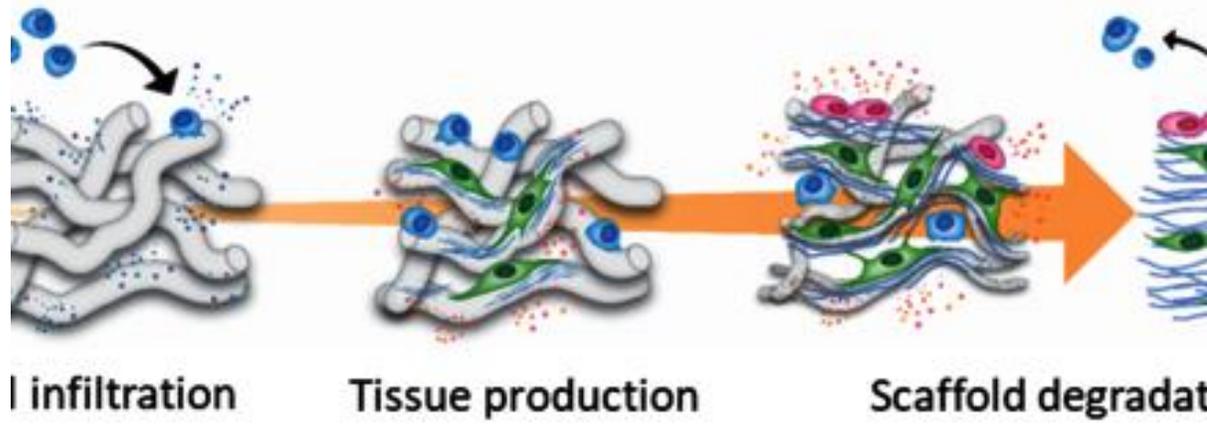
It is now possible to synthesize a type of human elastin (like the elastin protein seen under the microscope) using in vitro cell culture



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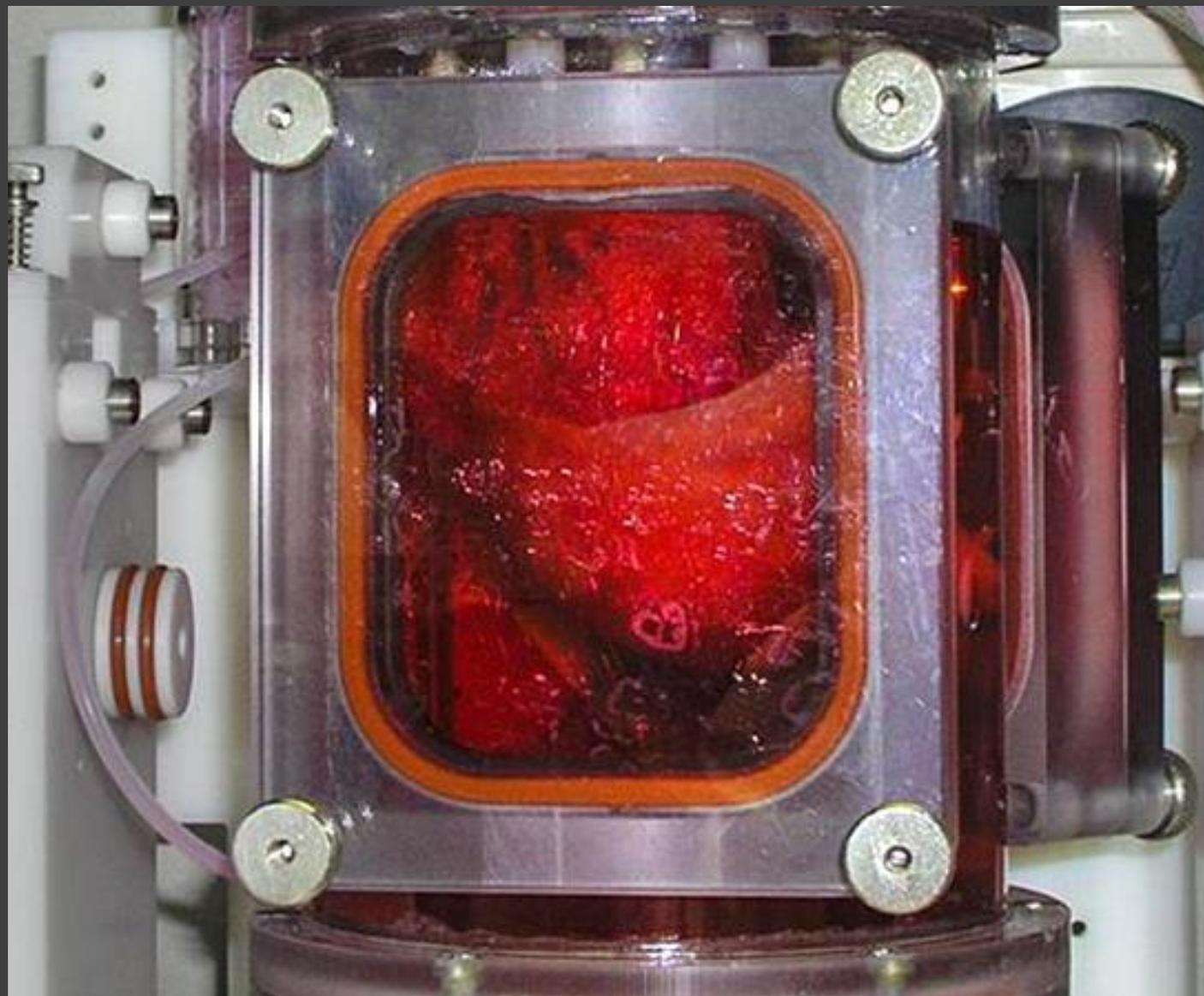
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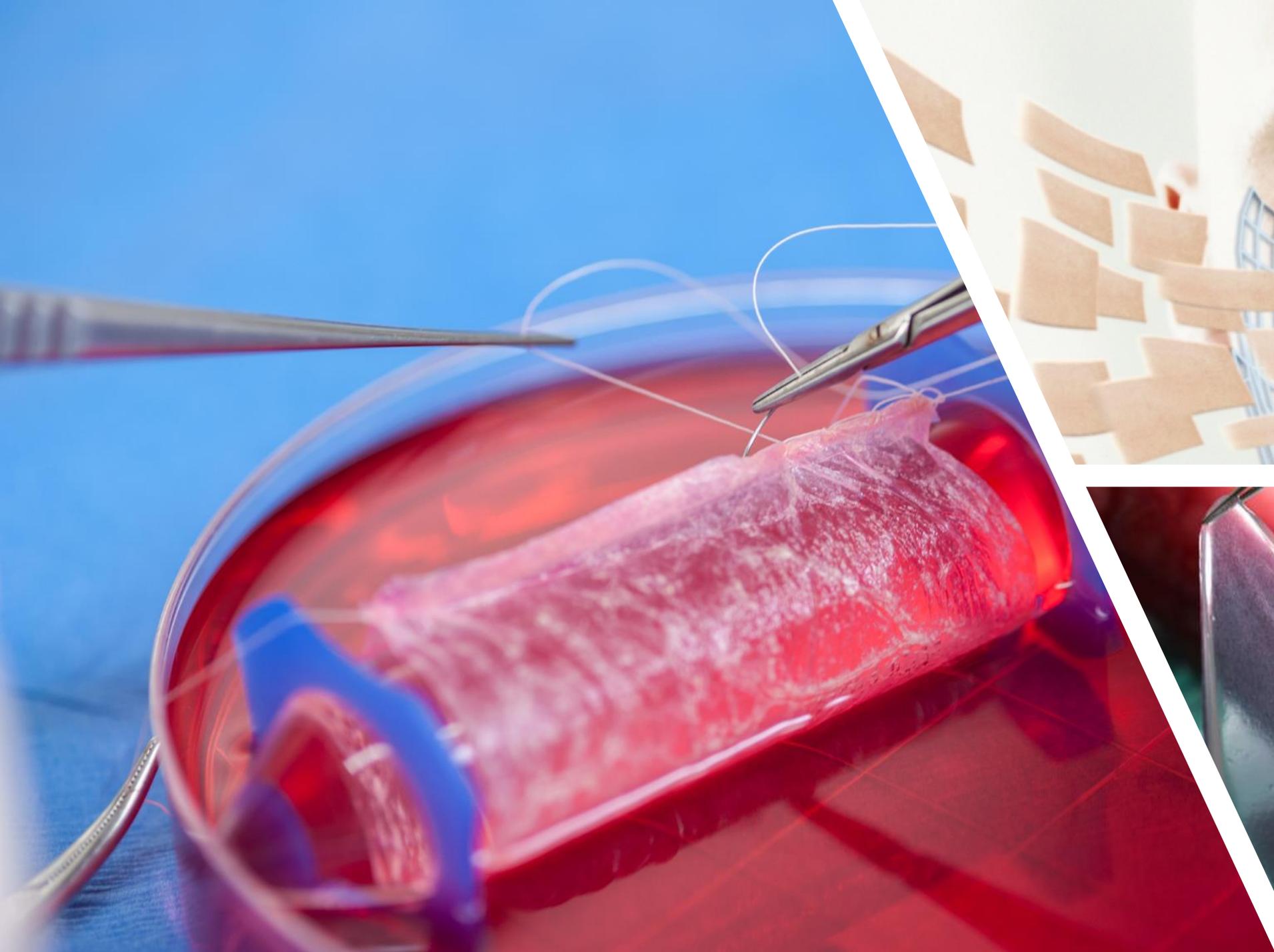


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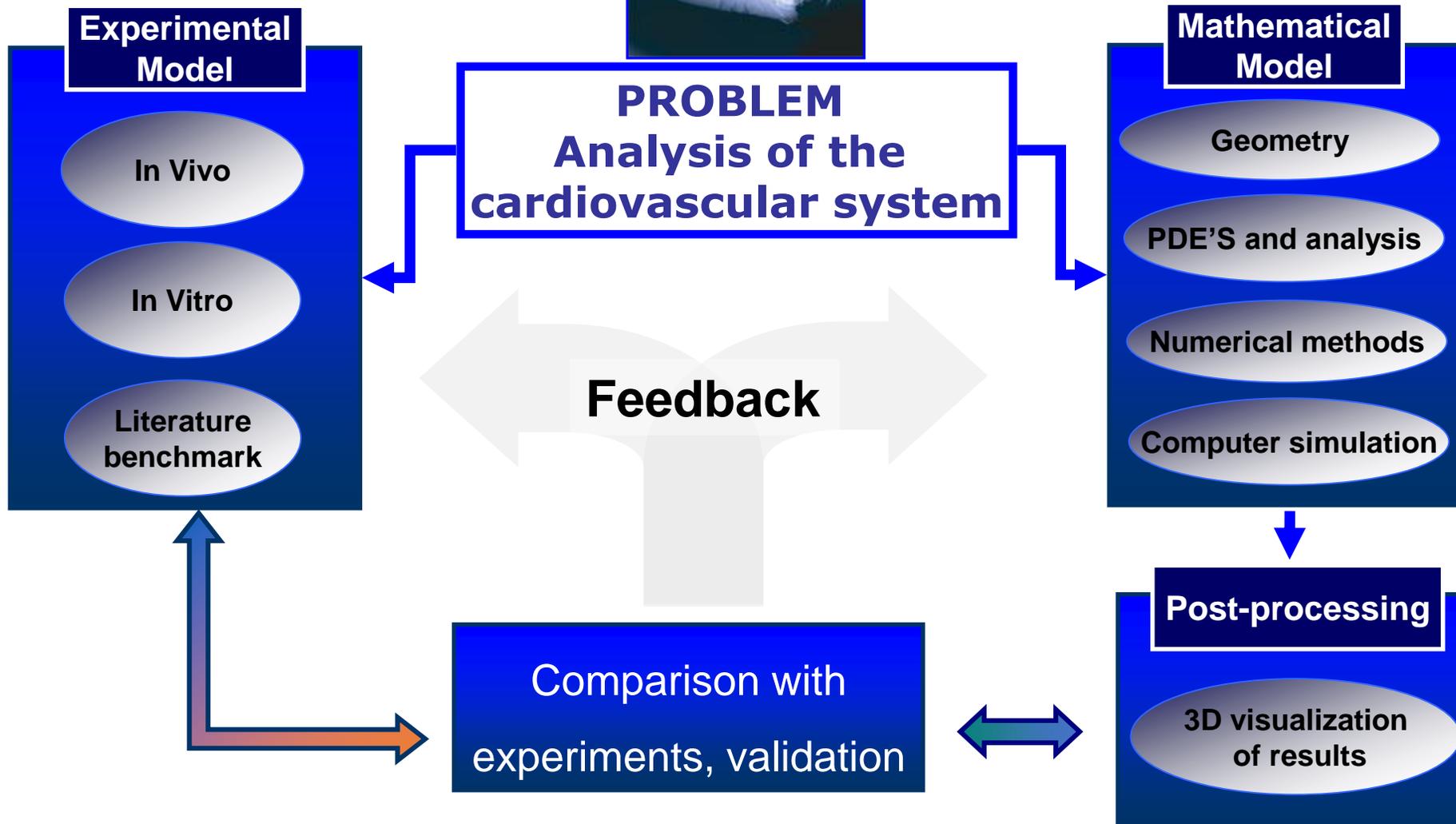






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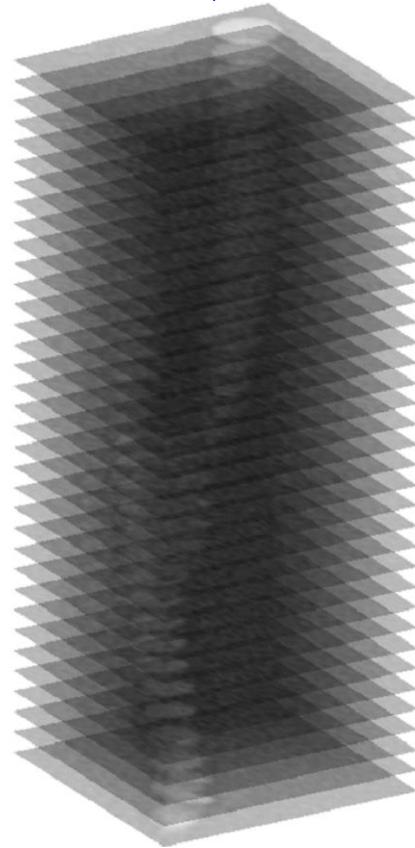


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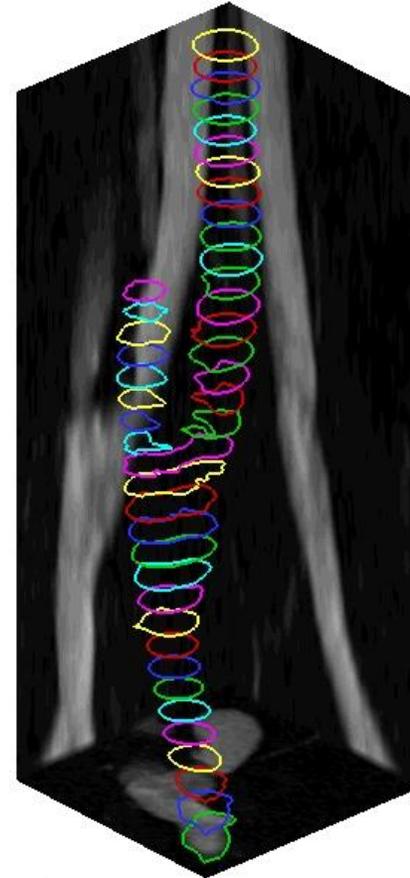
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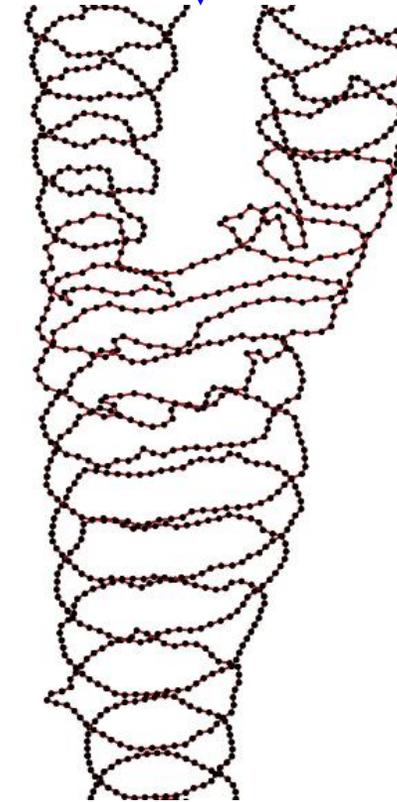
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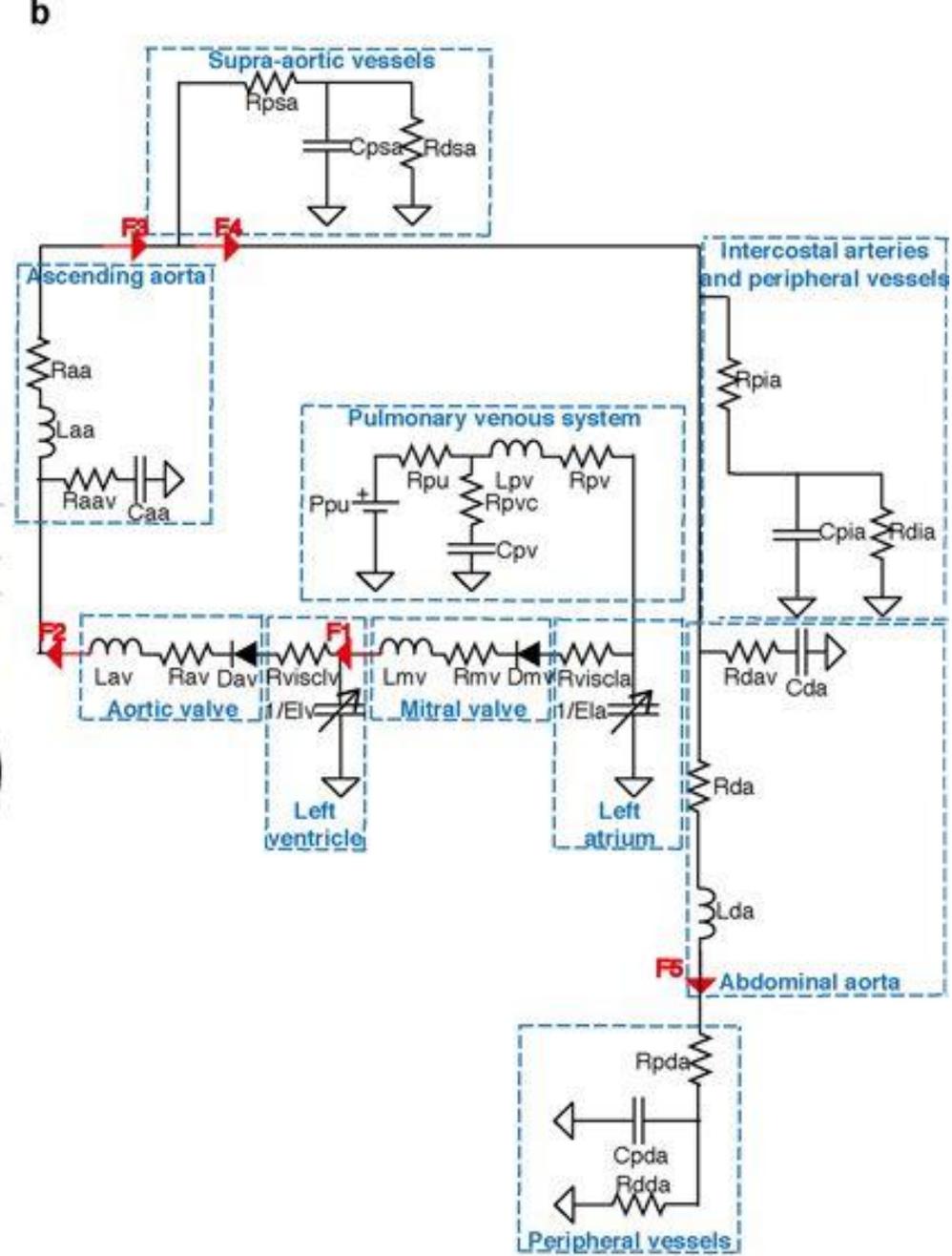
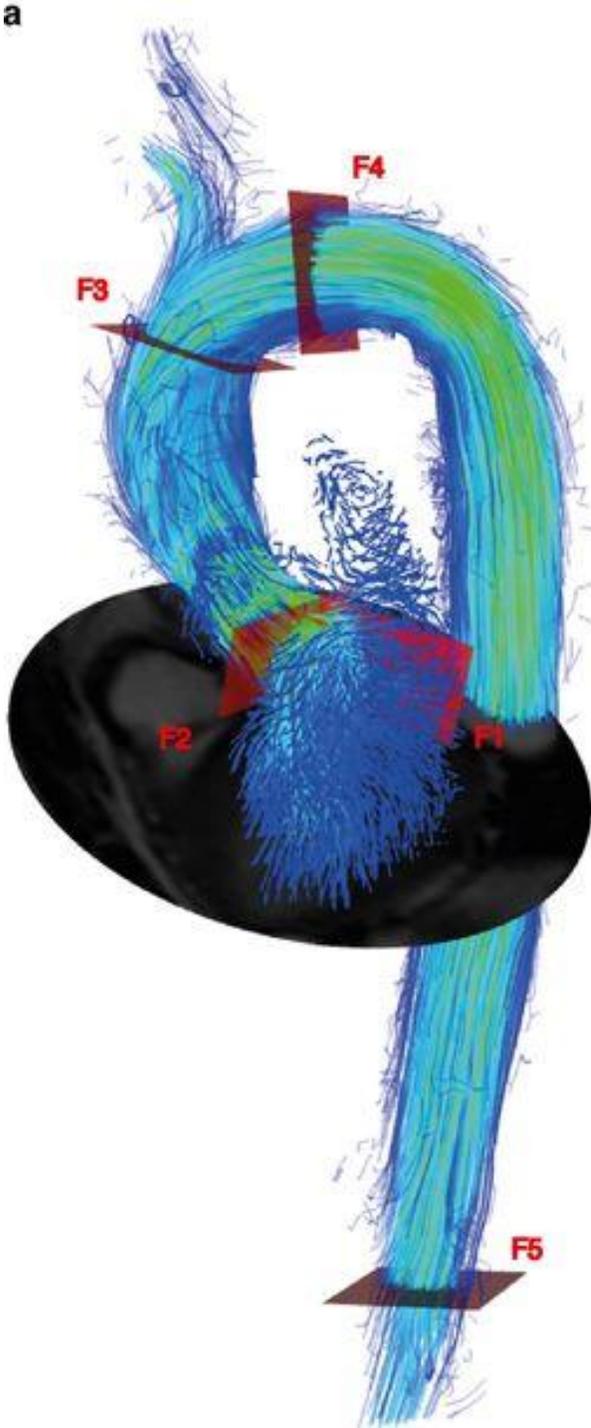
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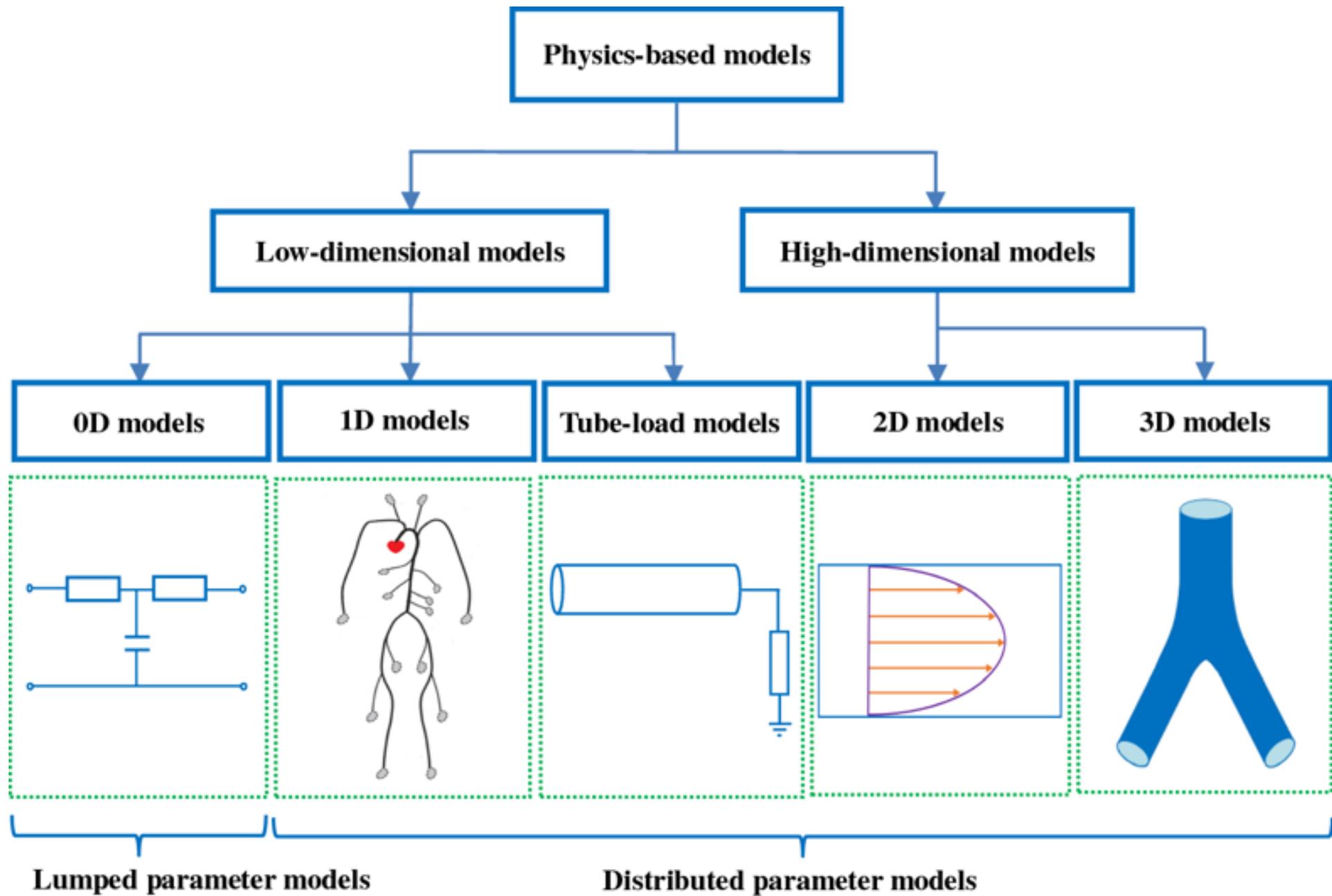


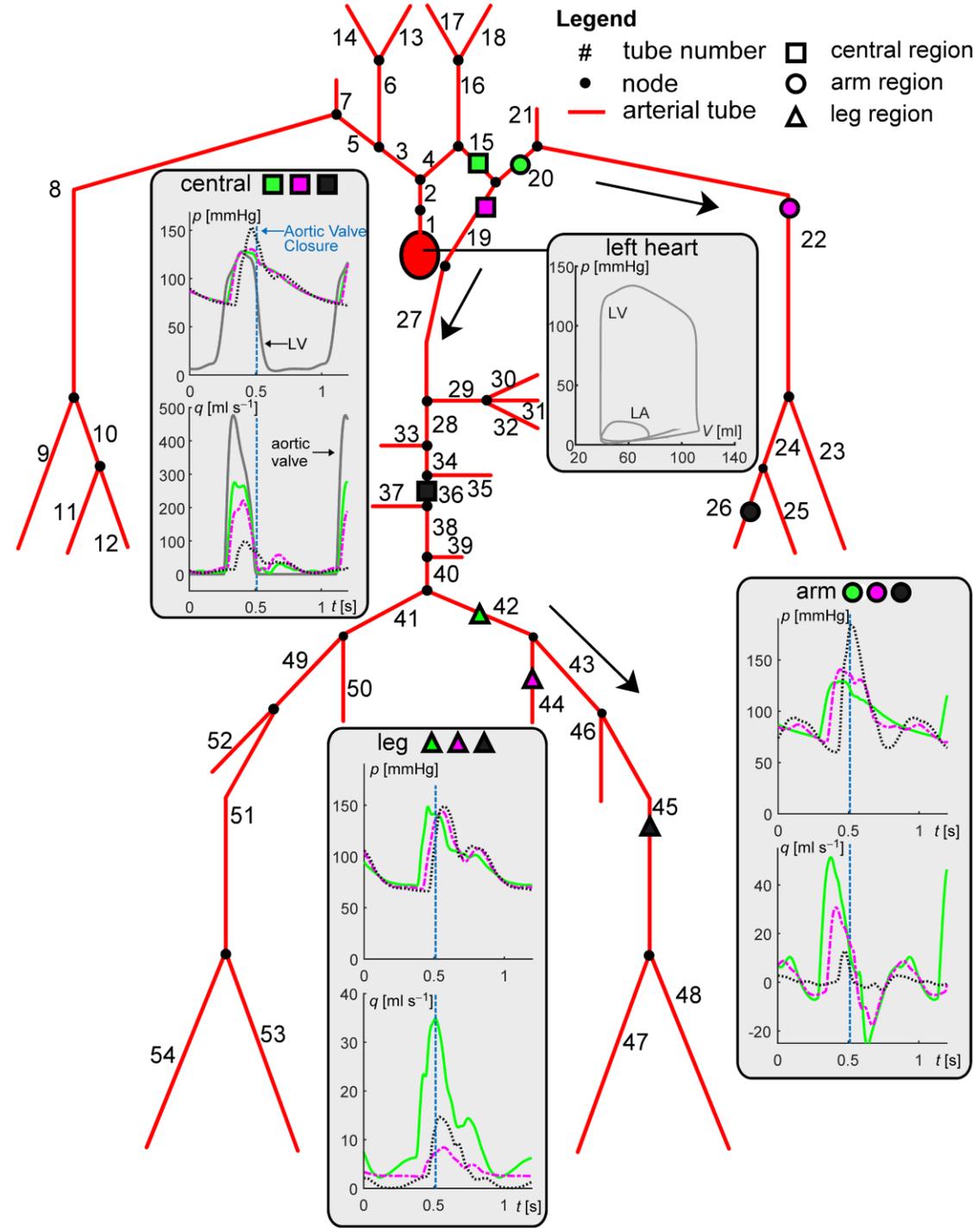
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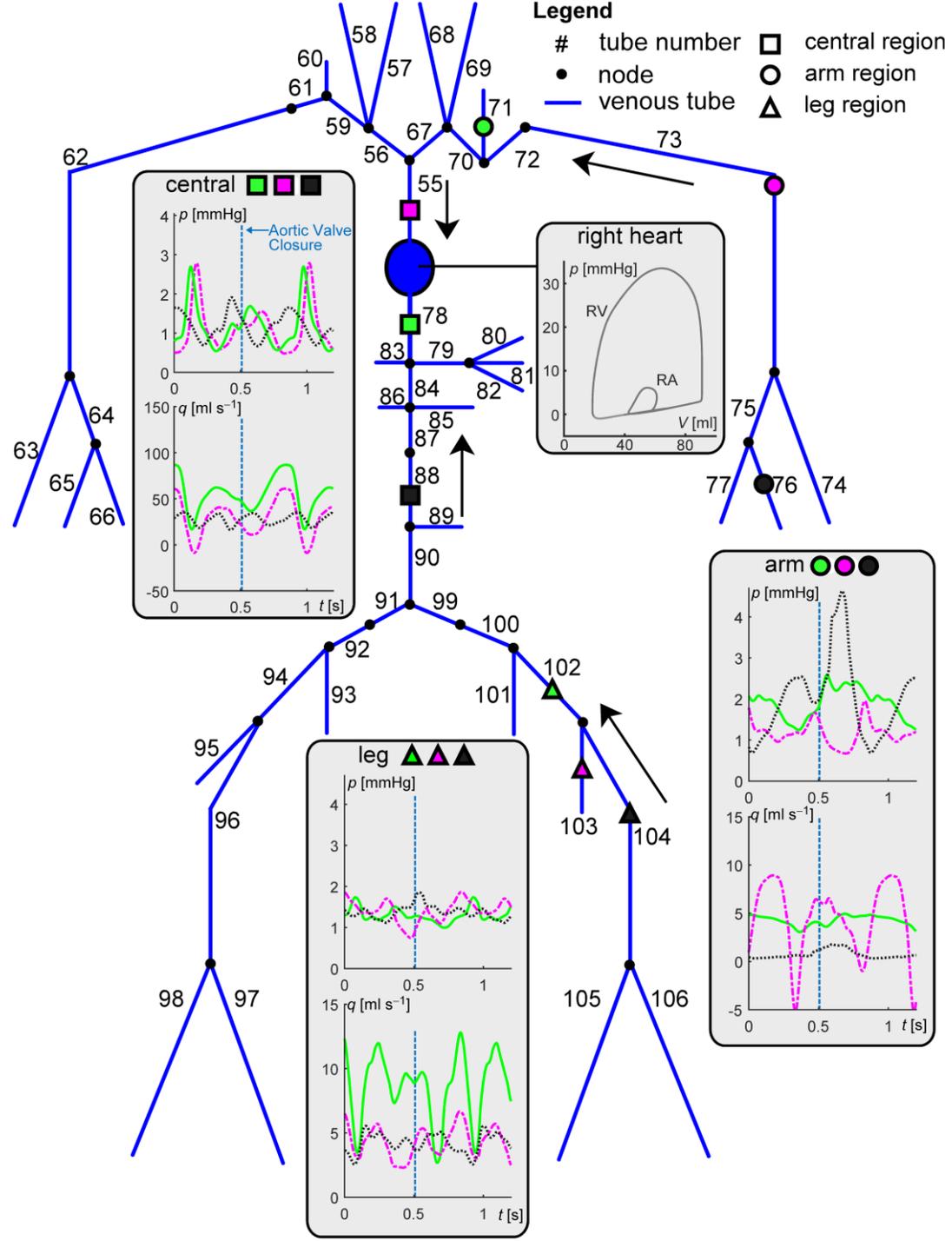


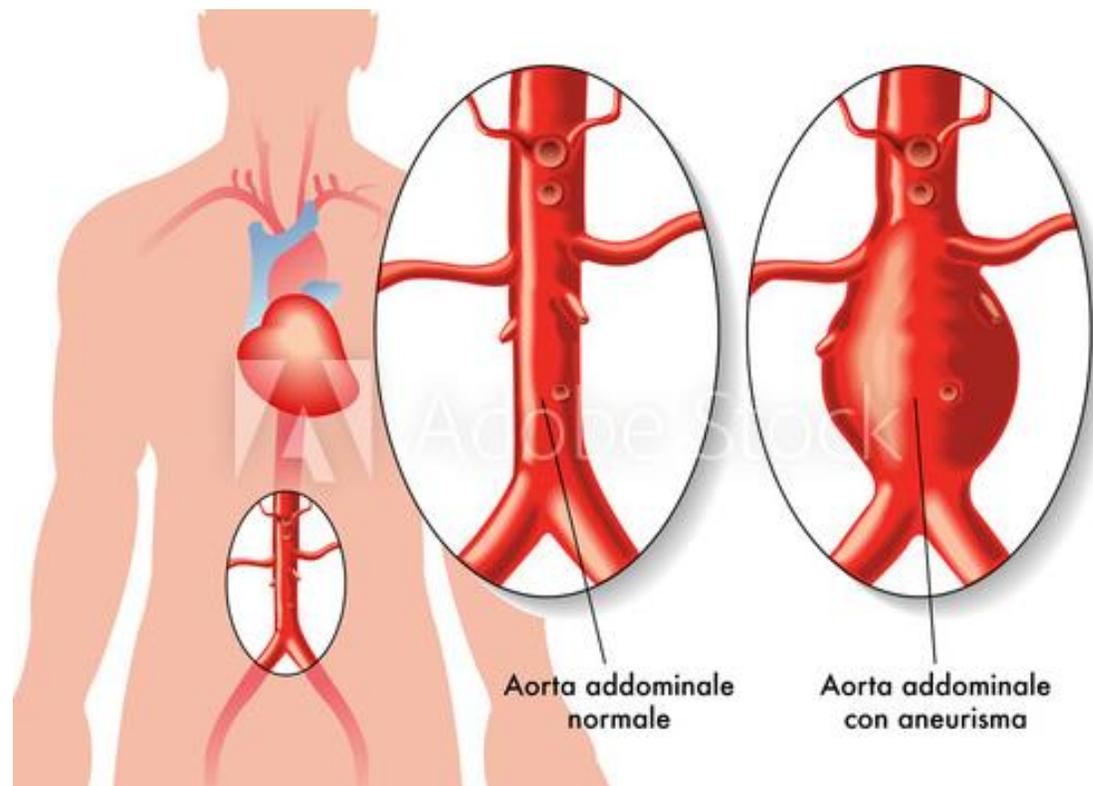
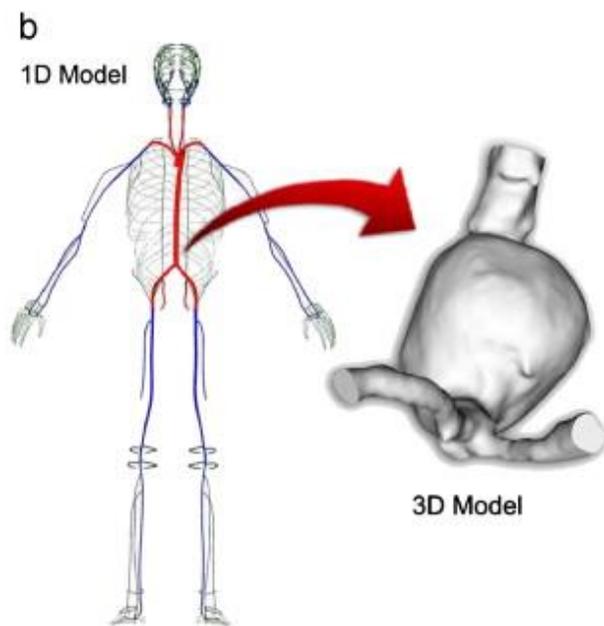
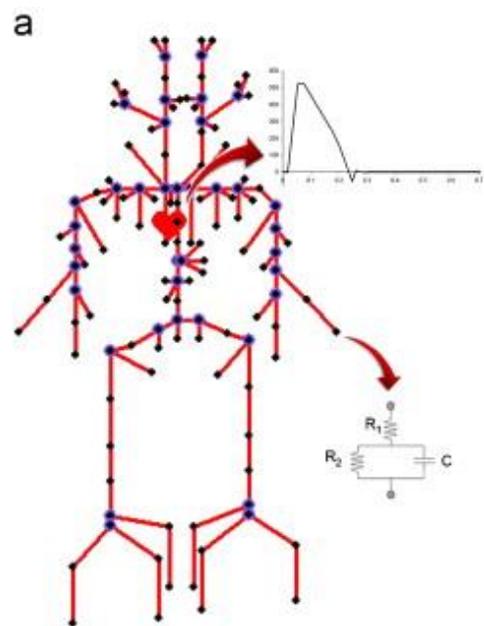
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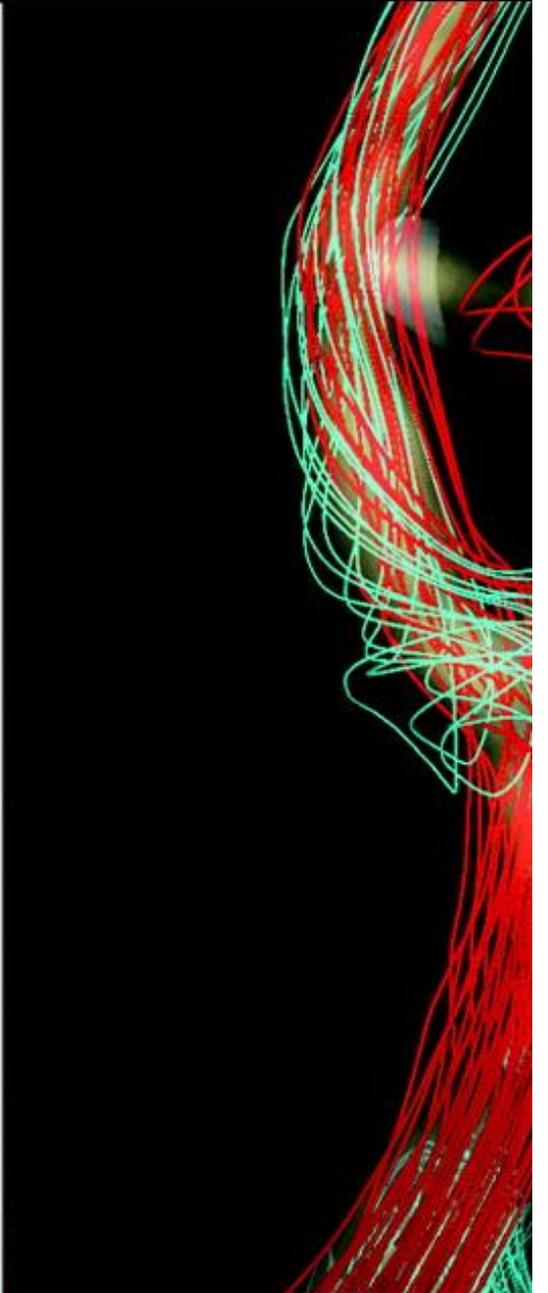
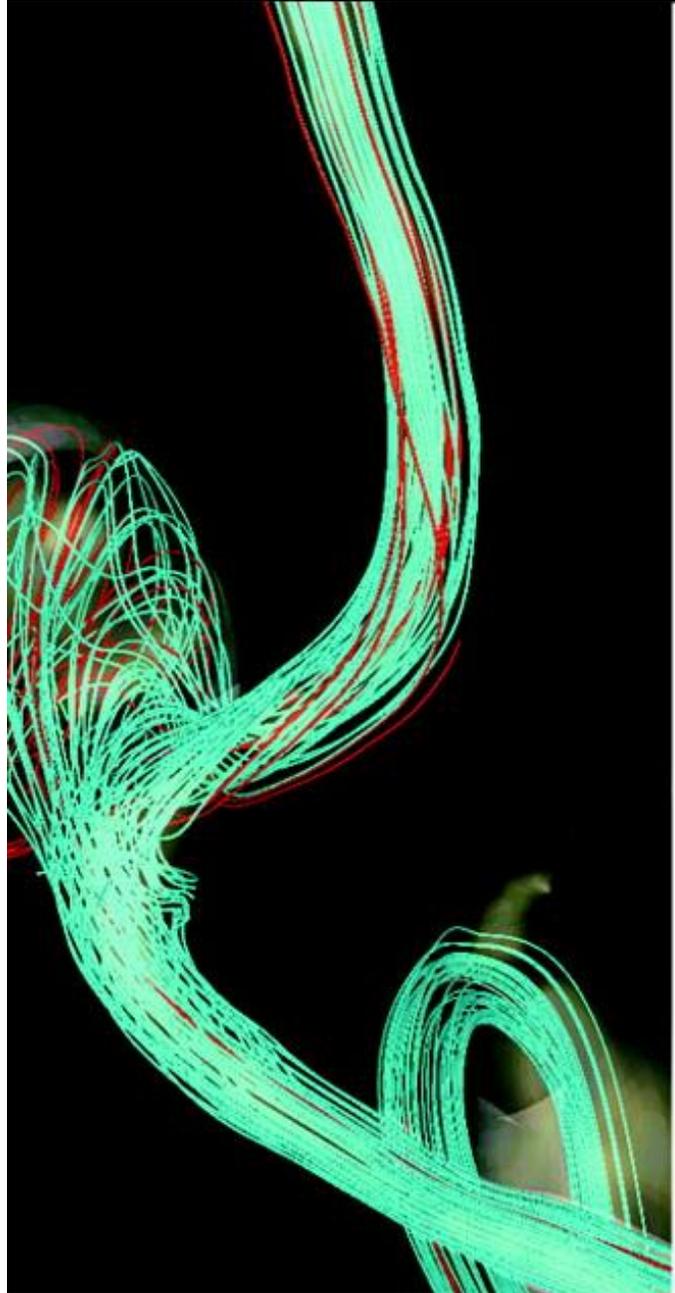












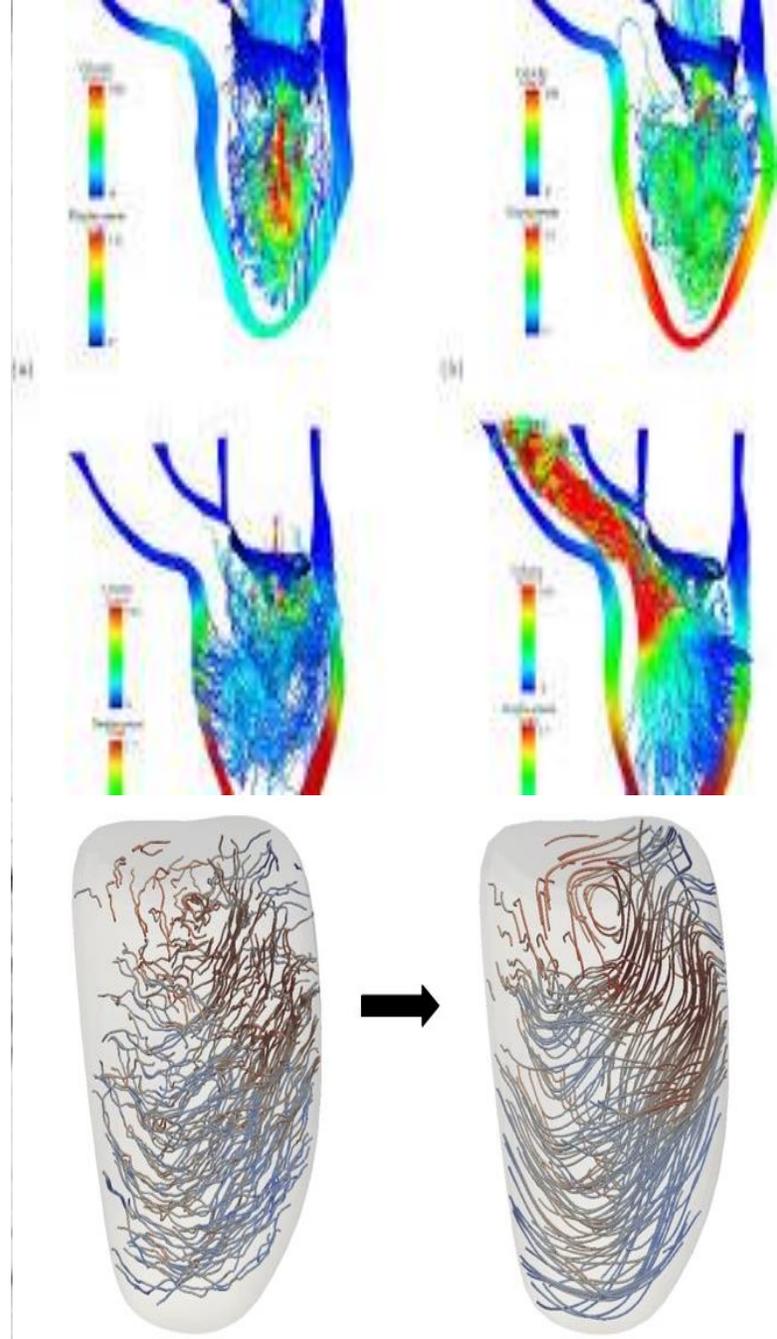
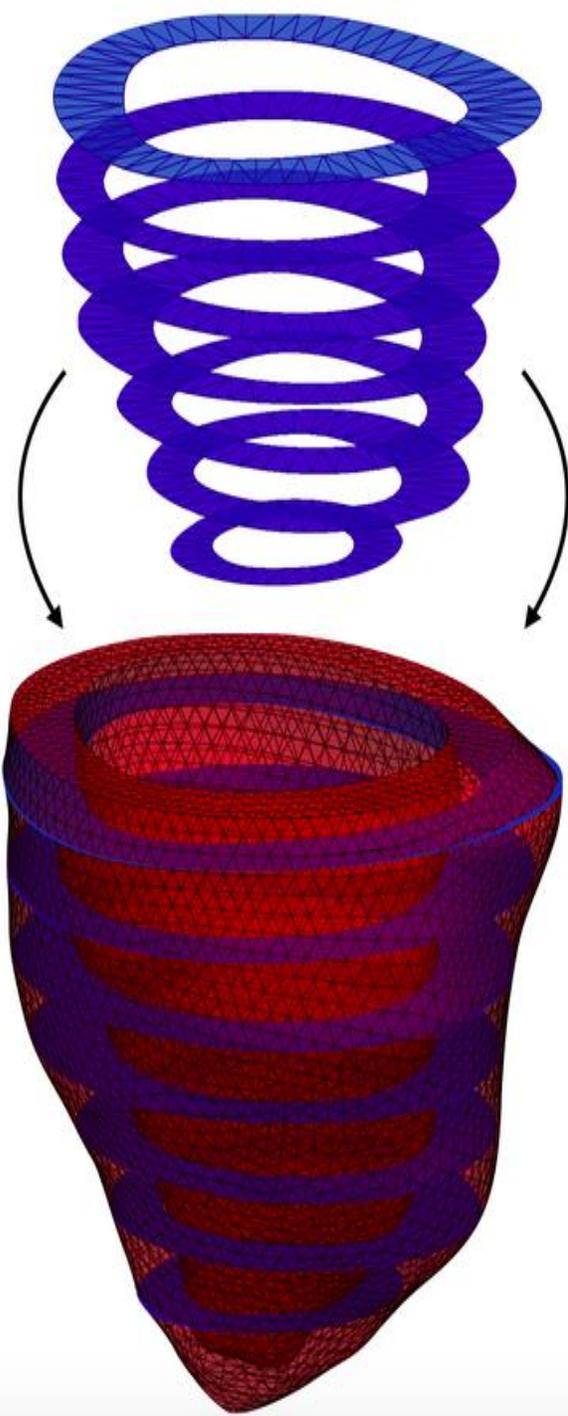
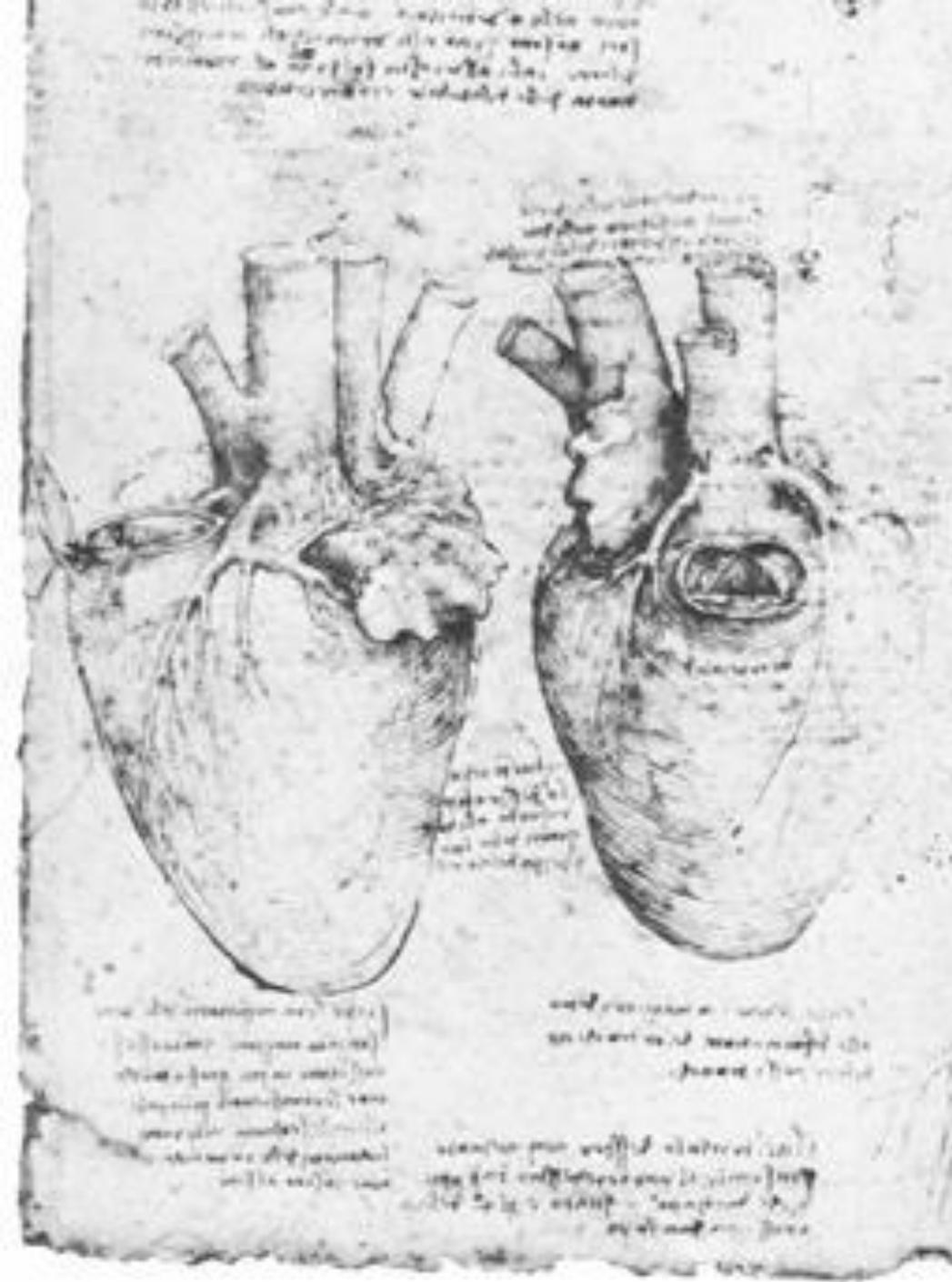
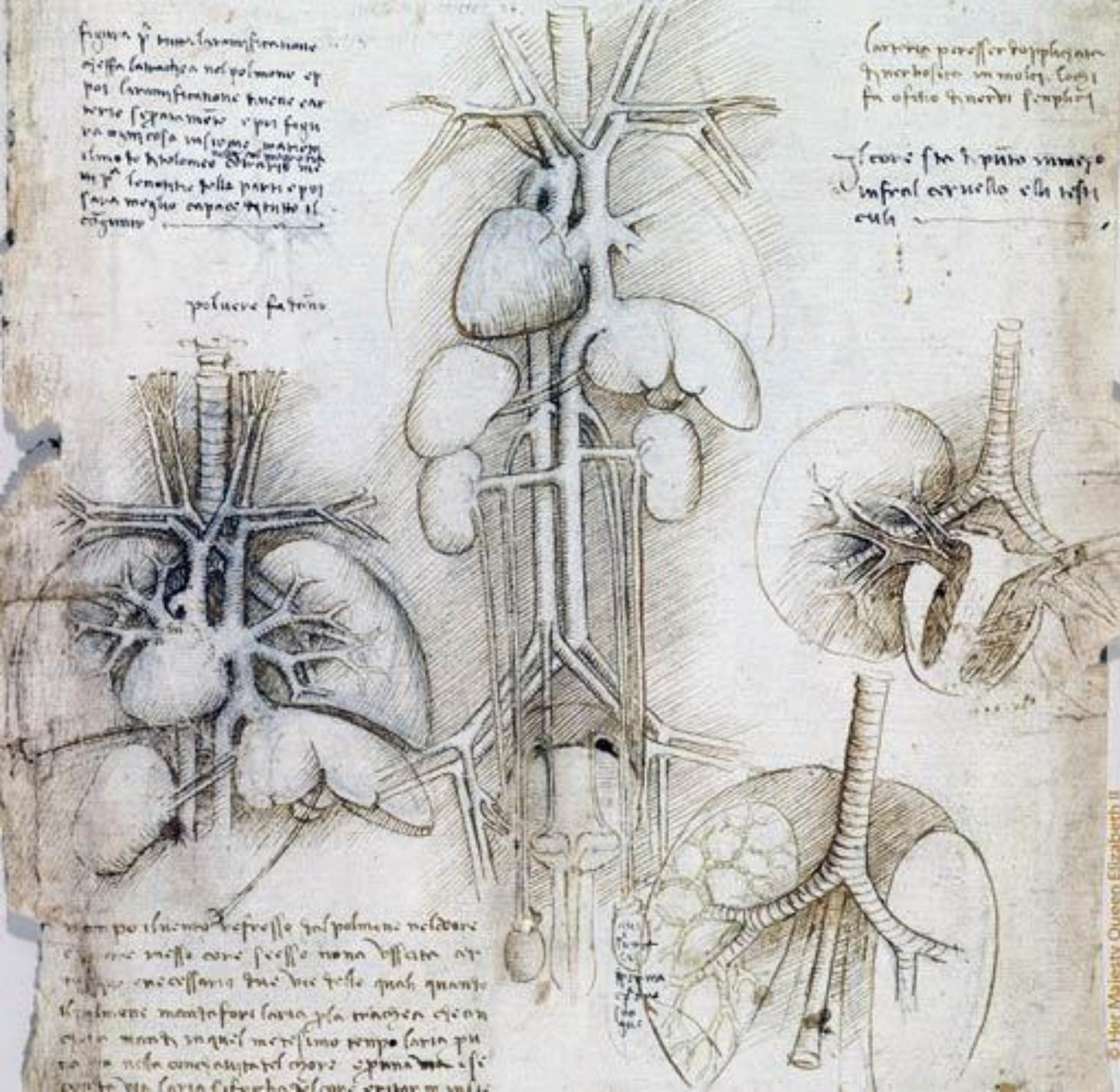


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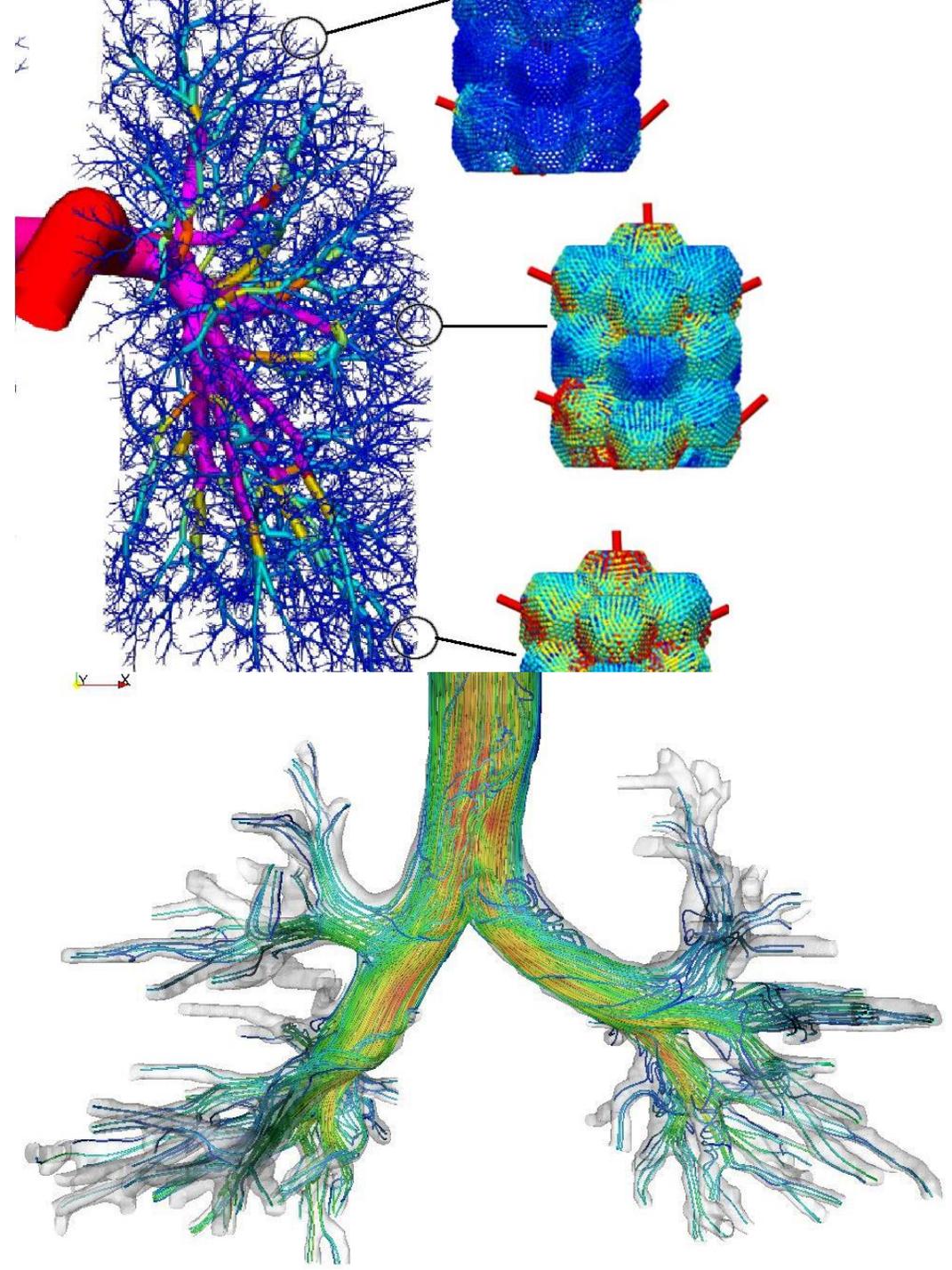
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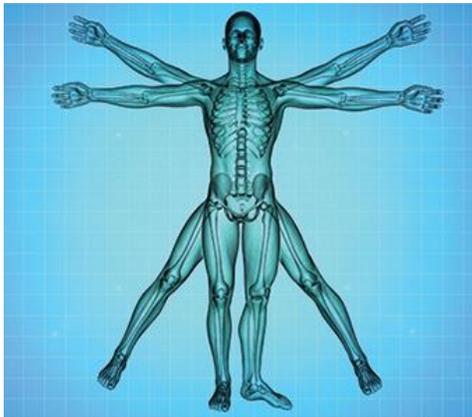
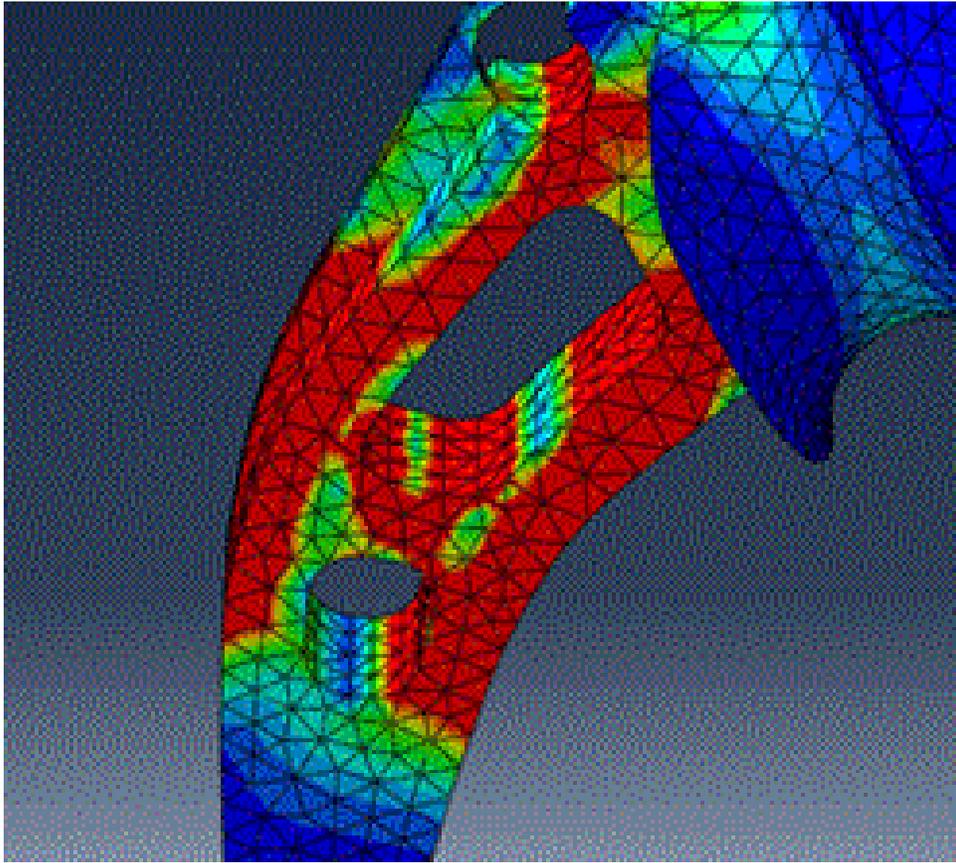
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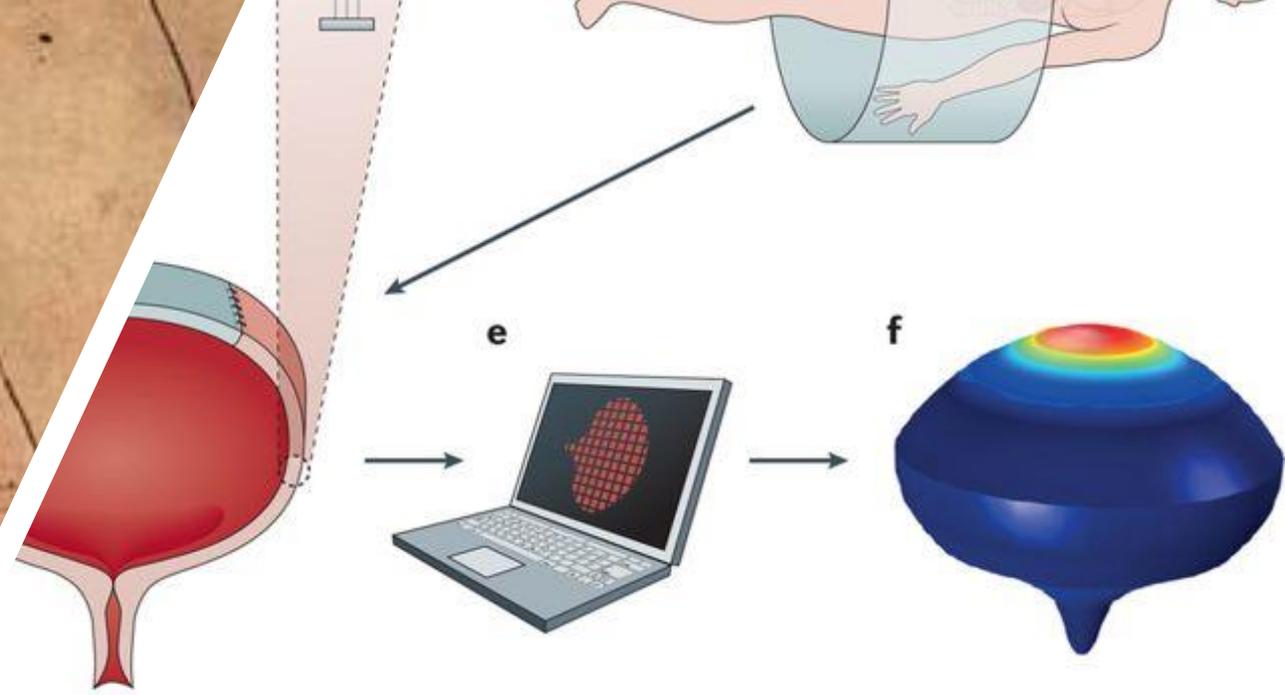
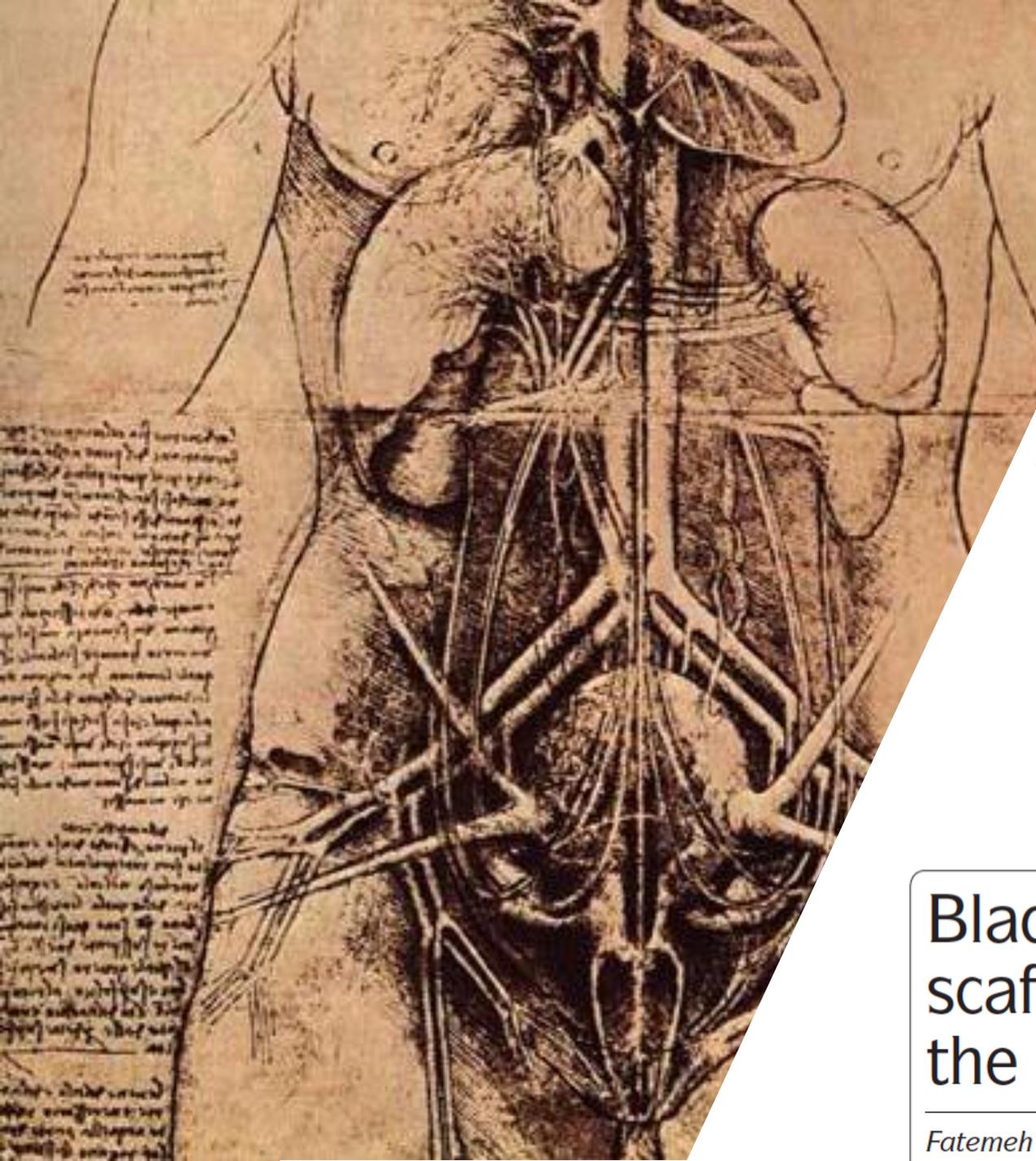


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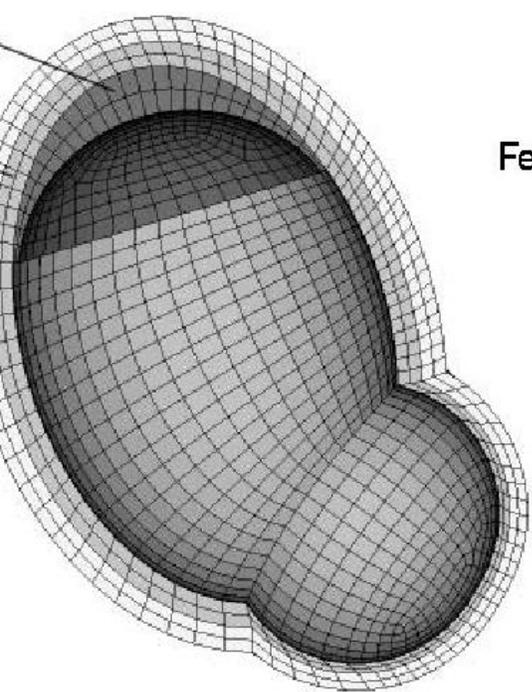


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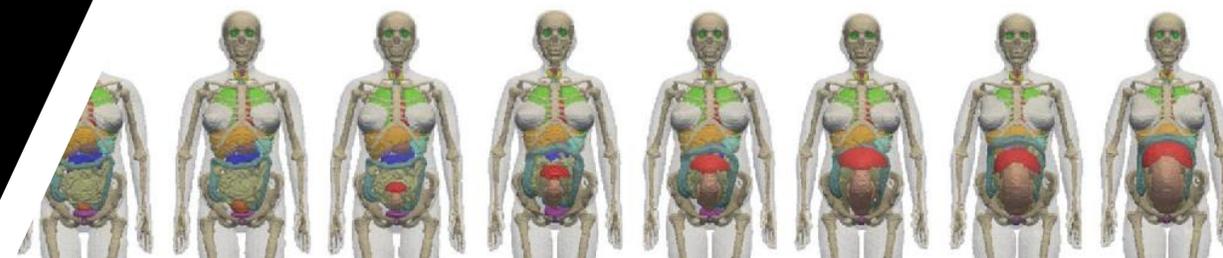
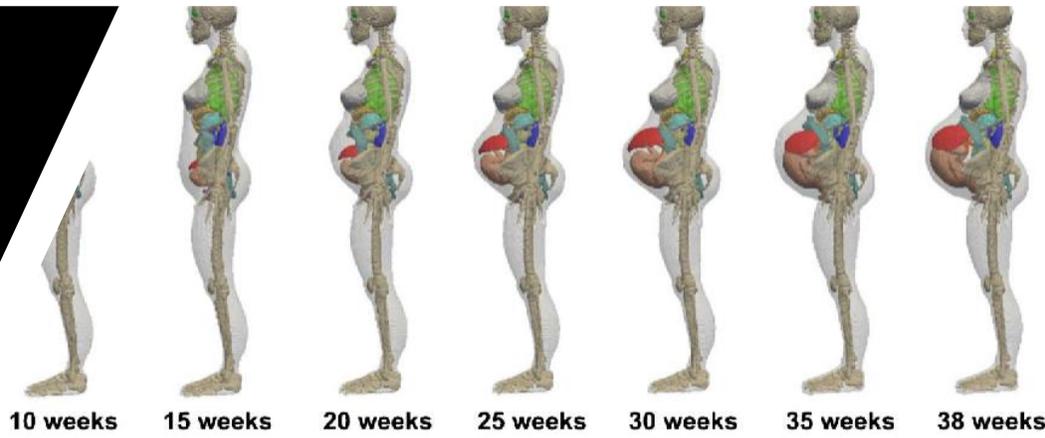
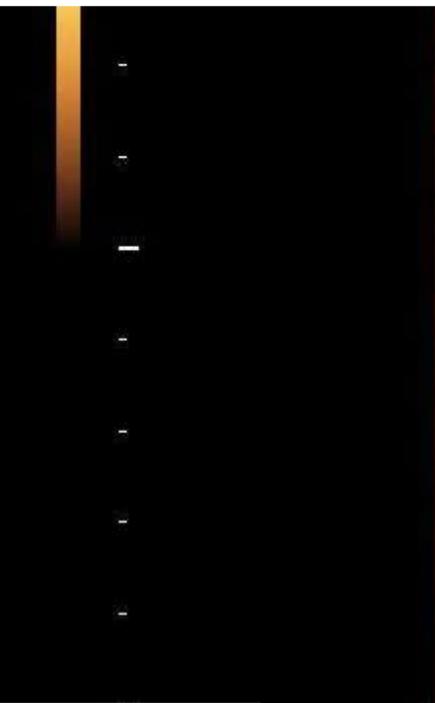
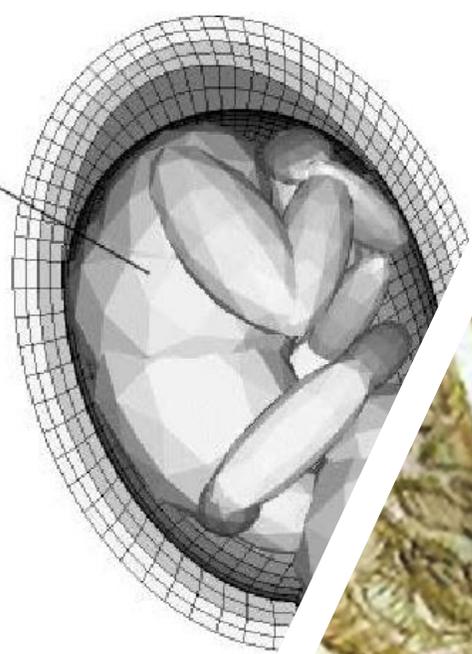
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## Bladder biomechanics and the use of scaffolds for regenerative medicine in the urinary bladder

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## Leonardo Da Vinci, the Great Innovator in Cardiovascular Biomechanics

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**Abstract.** Five hundred years after his death, the figure of Leonardo da Vinci continues transmitting his tireless desire to know and learn. *Leonardo* is the symbol of a century in which progress impacted, shattering the thickness of dogmas. In the *Quattrocento*, the doors were definitely opened, ideas spread and still feed us, clear our path and enlighten us. Florence, in Leonardo's time, was the Silicon Valley of the Renaissance. Leonardo studied the dynamics of water flow in rivers, using colors to show the flow patterns, thus defining the continuous stress on the side walls of the river. He determined, with different colors, the flow characteristics in the center and near the edges of the rivers and extrapolated those findings to the blood that flows in the arteries. Leonardo studied the coronary artery and veins, heart and bronchia in detail and made several assumptions about the cause of atherosclerosis, based on his previous hydrodynamic studies of water flow. Leonardo theorized that diseases were derived from some imperfection in the structure of the human body and addressed the issue of atherosclerosis and its correlation with aging. He accurately described a case of portal hypertension with liver cirrhosis as well as pulmonary circulation and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. Leonardo was the great innovator in Biomechanics of the cardiovascular system: heart, lungs and circulation.

**Keywords:** Innovation · Biomechanics · Cardiovascular

### 1 Introduction

#### 1.1 Brief History

Leonardo who was born on April 15, 1452 in his father's family property in Anchiano, in the small town of Vinci, embodied in the Renaissance atmosphere. He died in France in 1519 and was buried in the Château d'Amboise in the Loire Valley. The last three years of his life were spent in the service of the king of France, Francis I. Through his research and with the scarce resources available at that time, Leonardo anticipated and foresaw topical phenomena such as ecology, nuclear destruction, and the use of

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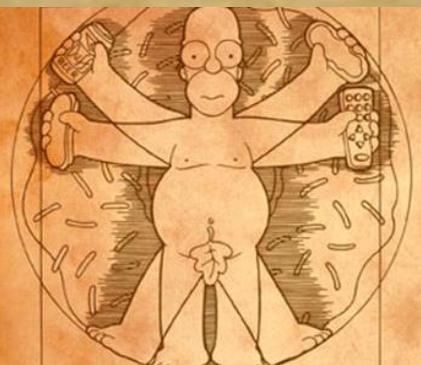
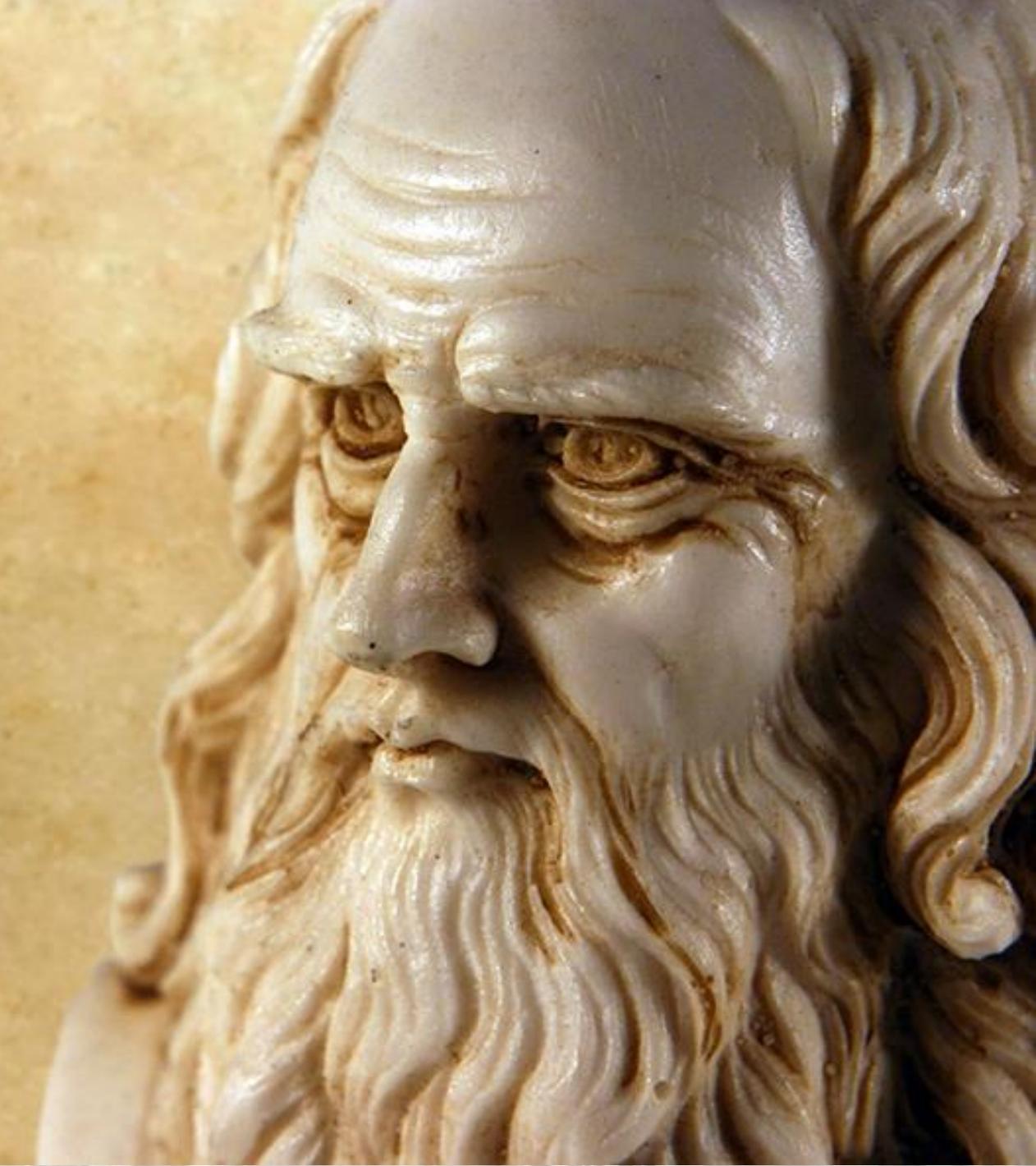
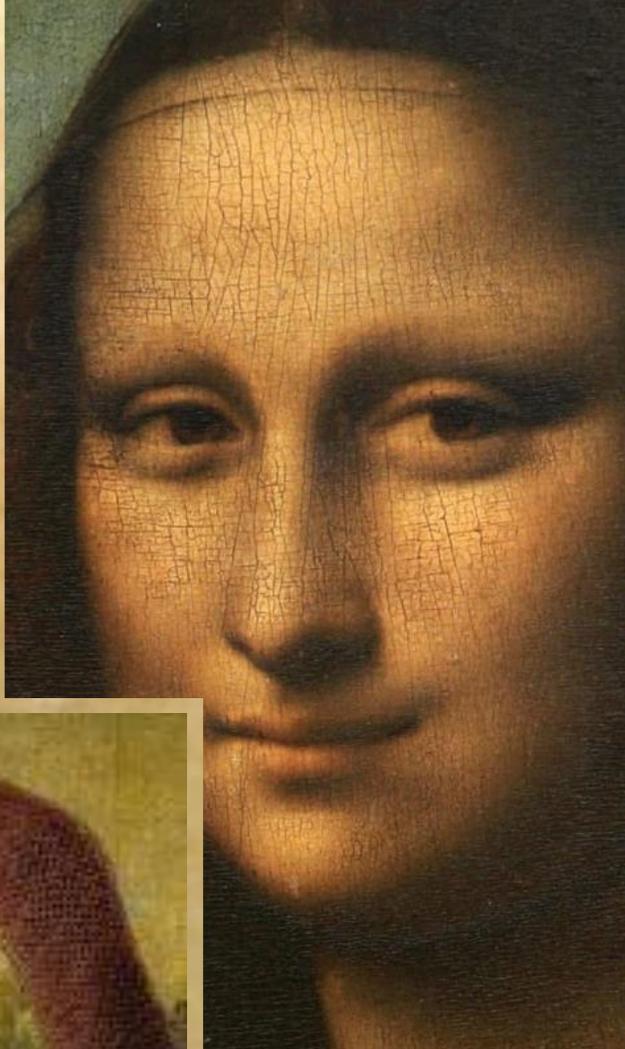
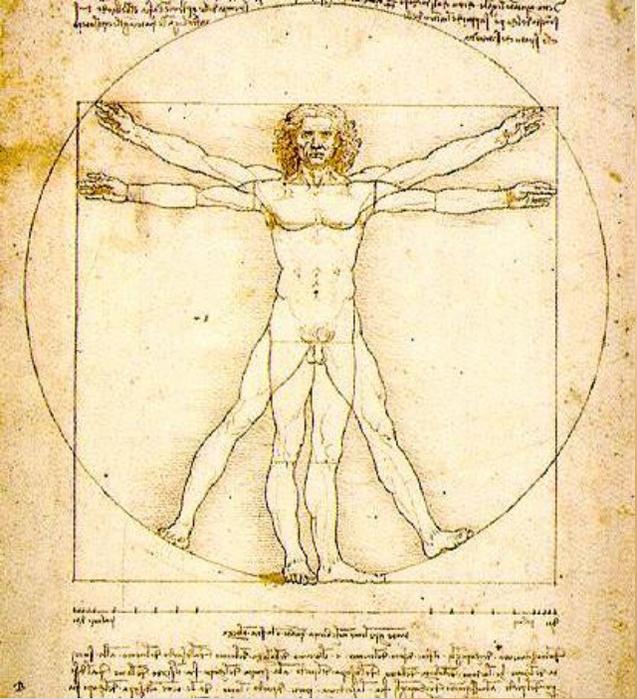
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### Abstract

The central axis of the work has been to empower the figure of Leonardo da Vinci 500 years after his death. With him, we wanted to infect our students with their tireless desire to know and learn. We plant the possibility of carrying out a project of educational innovation giving a push to the process of teaching and learning by making it more participatory, cooperative and interdisciplinary, as well as the desire to involve more the students encouraging their interest in learning and work. To honor Leonardo's legacy and the spirit of the Renaissance, it is necessary to teach to stimulate the critical spirit and to encourage imagination and creativity. Leonardo da Vinci was a prolific hybrid innovator to unlock the secrets of human complexity for the first time in the history of mankind amalgamating Science, Engineering, Biology and Engineering; so, we define him as the first bioengineer of humanity.

### Keywords

Creativity, Interoperability, Humanism, Engineering Education, Teaching for Creativity, Innovation



The End



Let everything happen to you:  
beauty and terror. Just keep going.  
No feeling is final

Jojo Rabbit concludes with a line from Rilke's  
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