## OCRN

### Osteopathic Clinical Reasoning Network

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#### The Idea

### Easy to use digital Framework

- Internet-based platform where scientists and students meet:
  - Create and discuss study protocols
  - Input masks for unified data collection

### OCRN

- Large number of Therapists i.e. a large number of patients
- Internal validity via one binding study-protocol
- Results easy to use for statistic analysis
- Publishable in the network:
  - further discussion and development
  - reproduction of studies

## Crowd Sourcing

- Develop new ways of performing osteopathic intervention-based science
- Unleashing the creative potential of current and future osteopaths
- Share ideas and wisdom with as few barriers as possible
- Enough power to produce statistical relevant trials

## Bottom Up

Give space for development:

- Documentation
- Sharing wisdom
- Clinical principles

# Freedom to Be Creative {Osteopathy is an Art}

- Students and scientist have the freedom to design completely according to their needs and vision
- The freedom to show us what osteopathic clinical reasoning means to them - communicated in a way they choose
- Let them play their game with a frame fitting their needs

## Students

- Interaction with fellow students and scientists around Europe
- Help with the design and execution of valid trials
- Easy to use and comfortable environment
- Grow into science unconventional: Head First
- Clear goal of clear communication

## Schools

- Insight into how their students think and perform in designing trials
- How the schools doctrine influences the way the students behave
- What assessments and interventions they use
- What their students consider to be clinical reasoning

## Vision

- Connecting osteopathic students and scientists around Europe
- Creation of study protocols that result in input masks to collect data for RCTs or assessment validation
- Production of valid and powerful studies
- Development of osteopathic clinical reasoning

## Questions?

# Thank you.

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