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Catherine Chronaki

Catherine Chronaki, MSc, FHL7 is the Secretary General of HL7 Europe since 2010 active in standards policy and interoperability developments in Europe and worldwide. She was president of the European Federation for Medical Informatics (2020-2022) after serving as Institutional Officer (2016-2018) and Vice President for Working Groups (2018-2020). Currently she serves as IMIA vice president, representing EFMI in the IMIA board (2022-2024). Catherine has played a key role within National and European digital health projects. Author of 100+ research papers, she has served as Associate Editor IEEE TITB, and on the program committee major eHealth conferences. Catherine served on the HL7 International Board of Directors (2008-2012, 2023), the eCardiology WG, European Society of Cardiology (2012-2015), and the eHealth Stakeholders group of the European Commission (2013-2026). She was coordinator of the Trillium Bridge and Trillium II on projects advancing adoption of international patient summary standards and eStandards that delivered a standardization roadmap for large scale eHealth deployment in Europe. She was part of the FHIR4Health project leading the work on the FAIR certification roadmap enriching it with an HL7 FHIR perspective. In

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