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RARE BONE DISEASE HIGHLIGHTS FROM DAY 1

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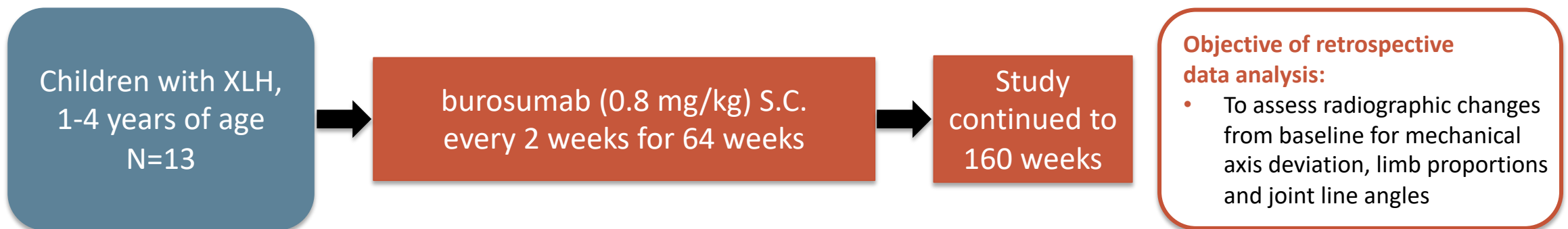
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BUROSUMAB IMPROVES LOWER LIMB ALIGNMENT IN CHILDREN WITH XLH

Frumberg D, et al. ASBMR 2021, Abstract #1020

BACKGROUND AND STUDY DESIGN

- **X-linked hypophosphataemia (XLH)** is an inherited disease of phosphate metabolism in which inactivating mutations of the *PHEX* gene lead to abnormalities including **impaired growth, rickets, osteomalacia, bone abnormalities, bone pain, spontaneous dental abscesses, hearing difficulties, enthesopathy, osteoarthritis, and muscular dysfunction**
- XLH patients present with **elevated levels of fibroblast growth factor 23 (FGF23)**, which is thought to mediate many of the abnormalities associated with the disease
- **Burosumab** is a recombinant fully human **monoclonal antibody against FGF23**
- Here we present a retrospective analysis of the phase 2 open-label trial (NCT02750618) of children ages 1-4 with XLH treated with burosumab



FGF23, fibroblast growth factor 23; PHEX, phosphate regulating endopeptidase homolog, X-linked; S.C., subcutaneous; XLH, X-linked hypophosphatemia

Beck-Nielsen S, et al. Orphanet J Rare Dis. 2019;14(1):58; Whyte M, et al. Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol. 2019;7(3):189-99; www.clinicaltrials.gov (NCT02750618); accessed 02-Oct-2021; <https://cor2ed.com/podcast-rare-bone-disease-highlights-at-asbmr-2021/>

KEY FINDINGS

- Marked improvement in the alignment of the children's limbs, leaning towards correction of the normal mechanical axis
- Change from baseline to week 64:
 - Mechanical lateral distal femoral angle: -5°
 - Medial proximal tibial angle: 3.7°
 - Femoral tibial angle: -7.3°
- Improvements in alignment at week 64 continued at week 160
- Longitudinal growth was proportional with no significant change in ratio of tibia to femur length

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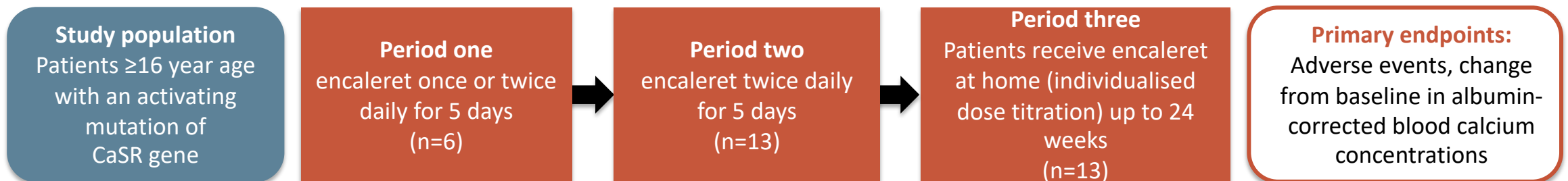
- Early treatment of toddlers and young children with XLH may:
 - Prevent the bone deformities developing
 - May lead to less need for surgery
 - May translate into less osteoarthritis in adulthood
- Study underlies the importance of early diagnosis and referral to specialist centres to maximise access to treatments
- Data reinforces the positioning of anti-FGF23 antibodies early in the treatment of XLH to reduce the incidence of lower limb deformities

THE EFFECTS OF ENCALERET ON MINERAL PHYSIOLOGY IN ADH1 DEMONSTRATE PROOF-OF-CONCEPT: EARLY RESULTS FROM AN ONGOING PHASE 2B, OPEN-LABEL, DOSE-RANGING STUDY

Gafni R, et al. ASBMR 2021, Abstract #1018

BACKGROUND AND STUDY DESIGN

- **Autosomal dominant hypocalcaemia type 1 (ADH1)** is a rare familial disorder characterised by **low serum calcium and low or inappropriately normal serum parathyroid hormone (PTH)**. It is caused by activating *calcium sensing receptor (CaSR)* mutations, which produces a left-shift in the set point for extracellular calcium
- Treatment with activated **vitamin D analogues and calcium should be reserved for symptomatic patients**, due to the **risk of hypercalciuria and severe complications** such as nephrocalcinosis, nephrolithiasis and renal impairment
- **Encaleret** is an investigational small molecule **antagonist of CaSR** being studied as a potential treatment for ADH1
- Early results of an ongoing open-label, phase 2b, dose ranging study are reported



ADH1, autosomal dominant hypocalcaemia type 1; CaSR, calcium sensing receptor; PTH, parathyroid hormone

Kwan B, et al. Endocrinol Diabetes Metab Case Rep. 2018;18-0107; www.clinicaltrials.gov (NCT04581629); accessed 02-Oct-2021; Gafni R, et al. ASBMR 2021, Abstract #1018; <https://cor2ed.com/podcast-rare-bone-disease-highlights-at-asbmr-2021/>

KEY FINDINGS

- 13 subjects with 9 different *CASR* variants were included in the study
- At the end of period one (n=6), treatment with encaleret resulted in:
 - Normalisation of blood and urine calcium excretion
 - 3 subjects the 24-hr urine calcium levels normalised
 - 3 subjects the urine calcium level was undetectable
 - Increases in PTH
- At the end of period two (n=13), treatment with encaleret twice daily normalised blood and urine calcium
- Treatment was well tolerated with no serious adverse events

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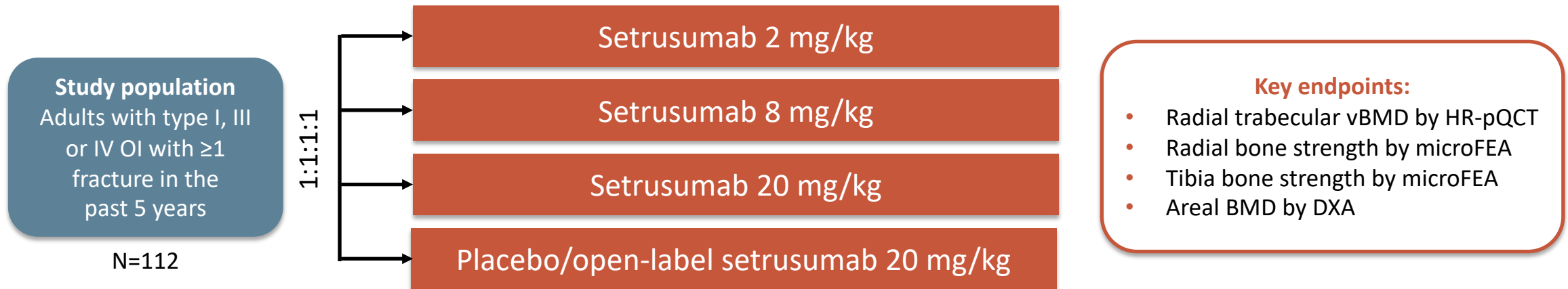
- Encaleret is a unique and physiological way of treating ADH1 which can restore normal calcium and avoid symptoms associated with hypercalcaemia, whilst not putting kidneys at risk
- If results are confirmed at the end of the trial, then this is an important advance in the treatment of ADH1

SETRUSUMAB FOR THE TREATMENT OF OSTEOGENESIS IMPERFECTA: RESULTS FROM THE PHASE 2B ASTEROID STUDY

Glorieux F, et al. ASBMR 2021, Abstract #1016

BACKGROUND AND STUDY DESIGN

- Osteogenesis imperfecta (OI) is a rare genetic disorder of connective tissues caused by an abnormality in the synthesis or processing of type I collagen. Also known as brittle bone disease, it is characterised by an increased susceptibility to bone fractures and decreased bone density
- Management of patients with OI currently involves medical treatment with bisphosphonates to inhibit bone resorption and facilitate bone formation
- Setrusumab is a fully human monoclonal antibody that inhibits sclerostin and alleviates the inhibitory effect of sclerostin on bone formation, leading to the production of new bone
- ASTEROID was a 12-month double-blind, phase 2b dose-finding study with a 12-month extension period



FEA, finite element analysis; HR-pQCT, high-resolution peripheral quantitative computed tomography; OI, osteogenesis imperfecta; (v)BMD, (volumetric) bone mineral density

Etich J, et al. Mol Cell Pediatr. 2020;7:9; Subramanian S, et al. <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK536957/>; www.clinicaltrials.gov (NCT03118570): accessed 02-Oct-2021; <https://cor2ed.com/podcast-rare-bone-disease-highlights-at-asbmr-2021/>

KEY FINDINGS

- Primary endpoint was not met
 - setrusumab did not significantly improve radial trabecular vBMD by HR-pQCT
- Met co-primary endpoint:
 - setrusumab treatment resulted in statistically significant, dose-dependent, improvements in radial bone strength by microFEA
- Other endpoints:
- Dose-dependent increases in total vBMD as measured by HR-pQCT
 - Both radius and tibia total vBMD achieved statistical significance at the setrusumab 20 mg/kg dose
- Positive improvements in tibia bone strength by microFEA
 - Tibia stiffness significant at setrusumab 20 mg/kg dose
 - Tibia failure load, P=NS
- Dose-dependent increases by usual bone density measurements of DXA
 - Effect was seen not only in type I but also in the more severe (types III and IV) types of OI
- Fracture rates appeared to be lower at higher dose than lower dose but not statistically significant

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- Encouraging results from the adult ASTEROID study
 - Result may have been different if alternative surrogate endpoints were chosen
- Surrogate endpoint studies are useful but a fracture endpoint study in OI would add great value to the field of research
- It would also be interesting to look at the effects of setrusumab in children
 - In OI more fractures occur pre-puberty, after puberty the number of fracture tends to reduce

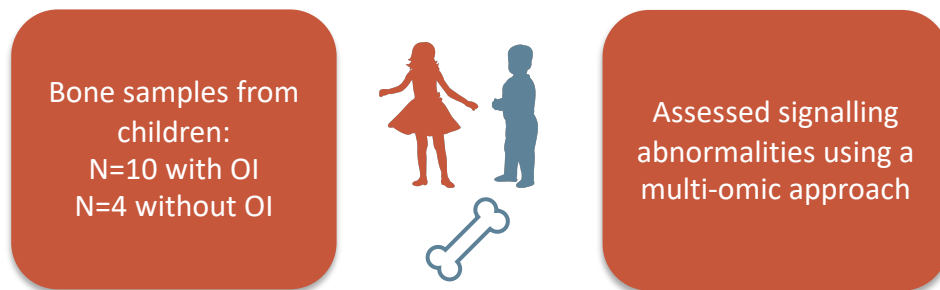
TARGETING TRANSFORMING GROWTH FACTOR-B FOR TREATMENT OF OSTEOGENESIS IMPERFECTA

Nagamani S, et al. ASBMR 2021, Abstract #1017

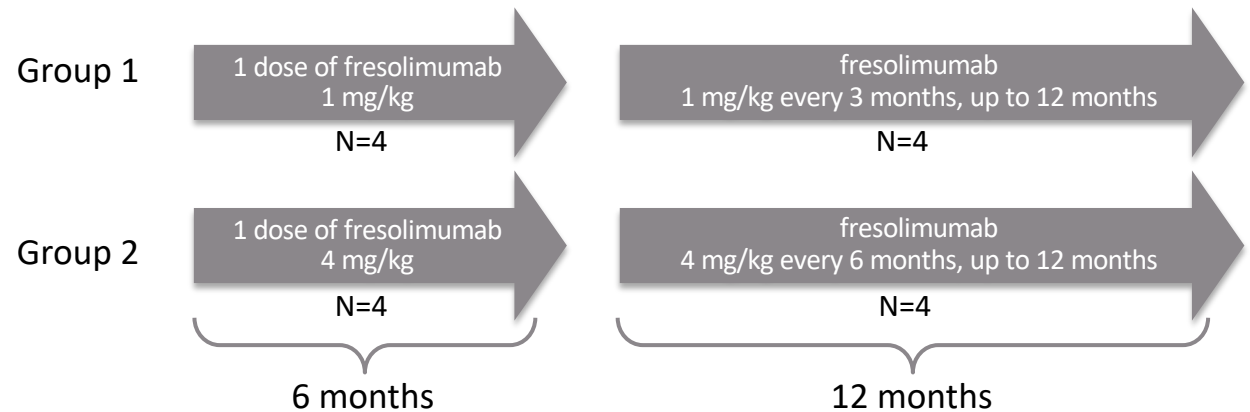
BACKGROUND AND STUDY DESIGN

- TGF- β is a protein important in bone formation
- In studies with mice with OI, it has been shown that silencing TGF- β can lead to higher bone mass, quality and strength
- Fresolimumab is a pan-anti-TGF- β antibody

Part 1
Evaluated whether increased TGF- β signalling is observed in bones from children with OI



Part 2
Phase 1 clinical trial of TGF- β inhibition through treatment with fresolimumab in patients with OI



OI, osteogenesis imperfecta; TGF, tumour growth factor

Nagamani S, et al. ASBMR 2021, Abstract #1017; www.clinicaltrials.gov (NCT03064074); accessed 02-Oct-2021; <https://cor2ed.com/podcast-rare-bone-disease-highlights-at-asbmr-2021/>

KEY FINDINGS

- Pre-clinical and human data suggest that inhibiting TGF- β may be beneficial in OI
- In the phase 1 study:
 - Fresolimumab was well tolerated in adults with OI
 - Higher dose of fresolimumab was associated with a decrease in bone turnover
 - Fresolimumab increased LS areal BMD in moderate but not severe OI

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- Very early stage investigations but promising pre-clinical and in-vitro data
- Potentially an important way of targeting the pathway involved in bone mass and fracture risk in OI
- Warrants further investigation
- Limitations: very small numbers of patients studied at this stage

**NEUROLOGICAL AND PSYCHIATRIC MANIFESTATIONS
OF X-LINKED HYPOPHOSPHATEMIA IN A
LONGITUDINAL COHORT STUDY:
XLH DISEASE MONITORING PROGRAM (XLH-DMP)**

Jan de Beur S, et al. ASBMR 2021, Abstract #1019

BACKGROUND AND STUDY DESIGN

- **X-linked hypophosphataemia (XLH)** is the prototypic **disorder of renal phosphate wasting**, and the **most common form of heritable rickets**
 - Dental abscesses, arthritis, and calcification of tendons and ligaments (enthesopathy) often develop in later life
- **XLH-DMP** is a global, prospective, multicenter, **longitudinal, long-term outcomes program** for subjects on or off any treatment
 - Aims are to characterise XLH disease presentation and progression
 - assess long-term safety and effectiveness of burosumab
 - investigate change over time across biomarker(s), clinical assessments, and patient/caregiver-reported outcome measures
- This analysis **reports neurological and psychological symptoms** in this population

Patients of any age with XLH who are either on or off treatment currently

Data collection started 27 June 2018
Data cut-off* for this analysis 01 March 2021 (*N=651)

35 study locations globally

Data collected through patient/caregiver interviews

- Psychological burden of XLH disease increases in adolescents and adulthood
 - Higher prevalence of depression (14.8% vs 0.7%) and anxiety (12.1% vs 4.5%) in adults with XLH than in children
- Frequent use of pain medication in adults with XLH (68.7% of adults vs 30.3% of children)
- Severe headaches commonly reported (19.8% adults vs 6.3% children)
- Other commonly reported problems by adults:
 - Tinnitus (34.6%)
 - Hearing loss (29.1%)
 - Spinal stenosis (18.4%)
 - Spinal compression (10.2%)

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- Headache must be taken serious in XLH patients – could be an indicator for craniosynostosis or Chiari type 1 malformation
- XLH patients are currently not systematically screened for these neurological complications
 - should we be now be doing CT/MRI if they have neuro/psychiatry problems?
- Highlights the value of routine assessment for neurological features and not just musculoskeletal evaluations

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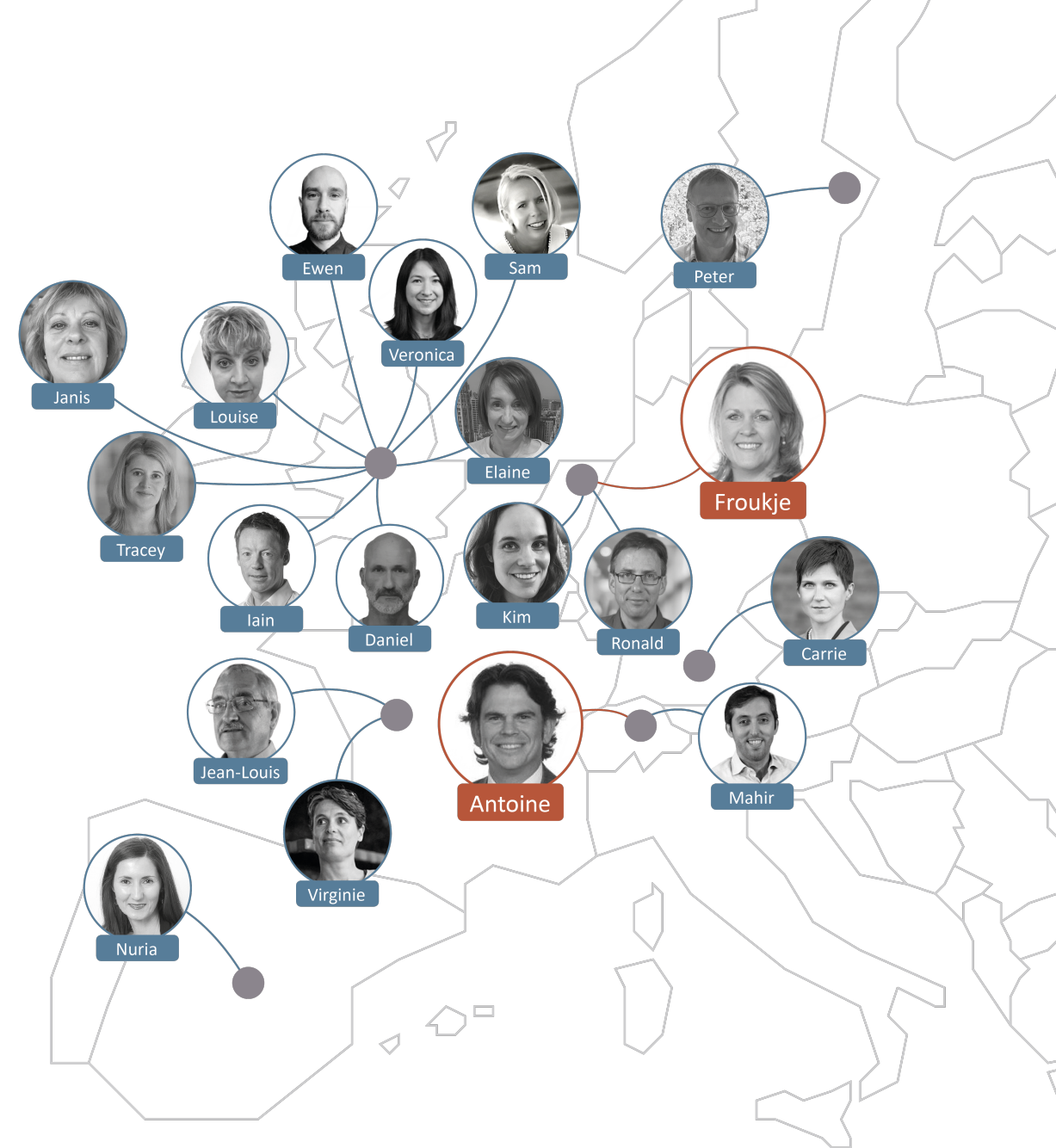
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