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2004

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT MYSELF....



2016

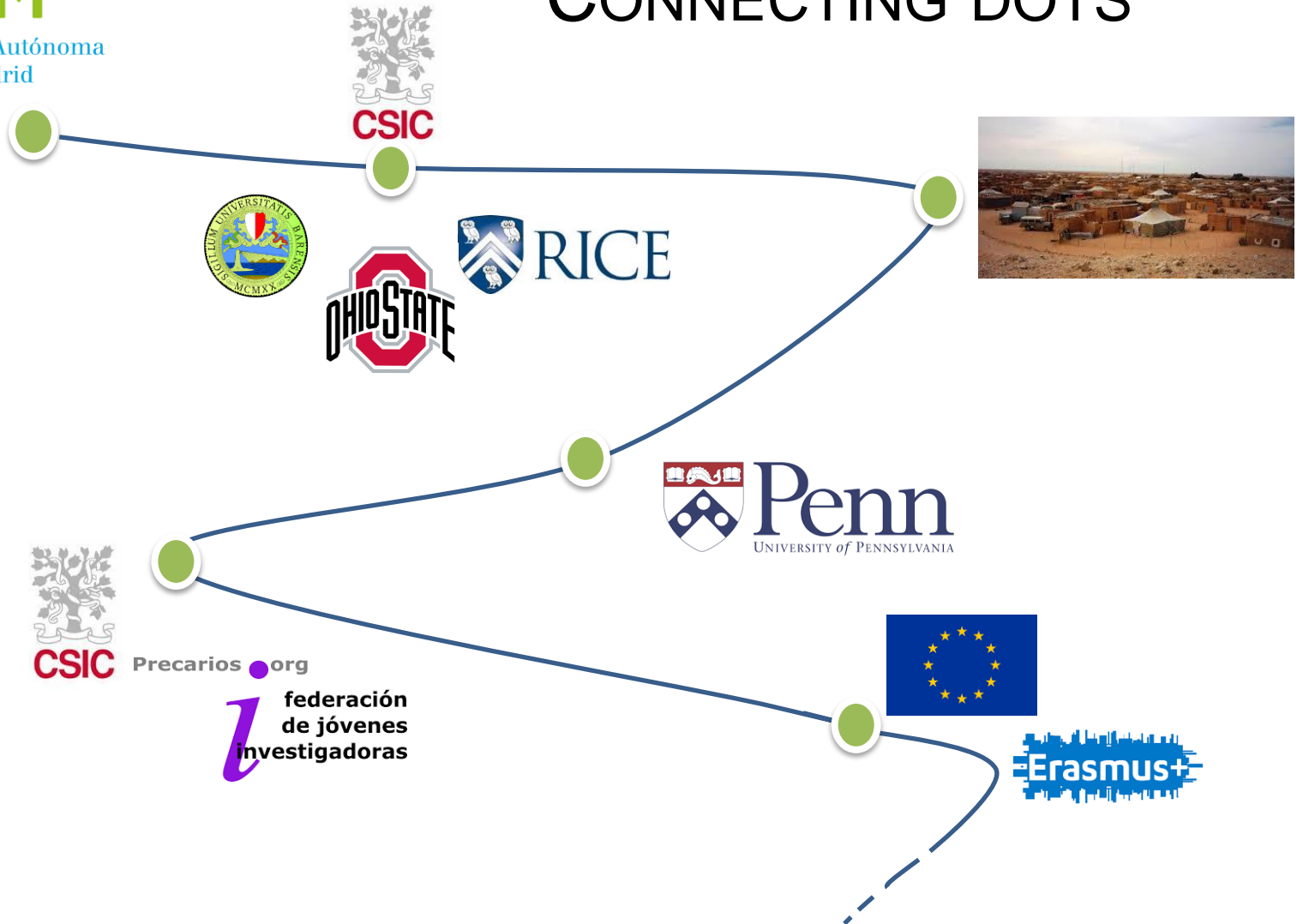


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What are you looking for?

- International environment
- Stability
- Challenge
- Personal Development
- ...





The questions

Am I ready?

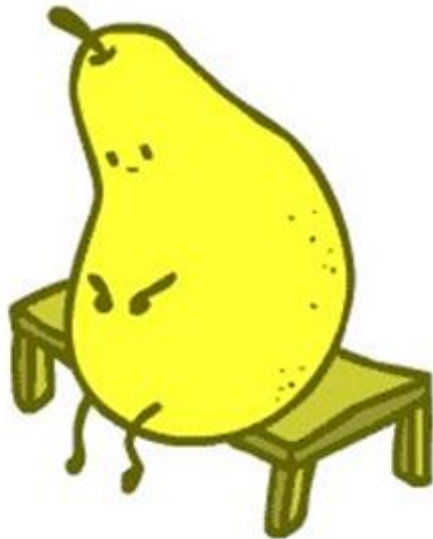
Easy?

Full-time dedication?





Call



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ALTERNATIVES

- Other calls
- Contrat agents
- Agencies



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FACE A BIGGER CHALLENGE

English ▼

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Info **Registration Data** My Profile Motivation and Strengths Eligibility Overview Declaration

Registration Data

APPLICATION NUMBER, COMPETITION, FIELD, GRADE

Validation date: 2014-04-08 at 13:33

Application number:

Competition: EPSO/AD/276/14 - Administrators (AD5)

Field: Administration

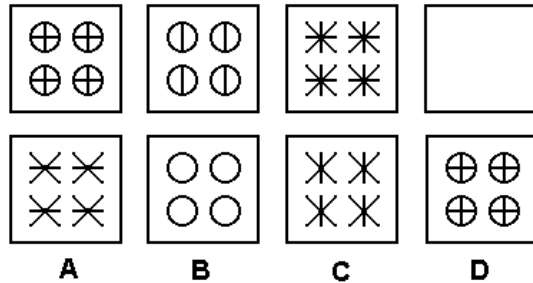
Education: I already have my diploma giving access to the competition.



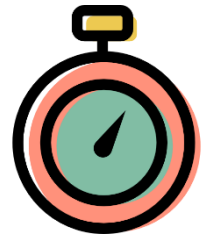


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ABSTRACT



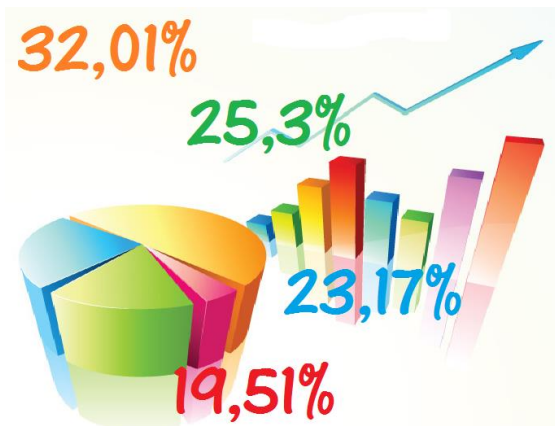
First phase



LINGUISTIC



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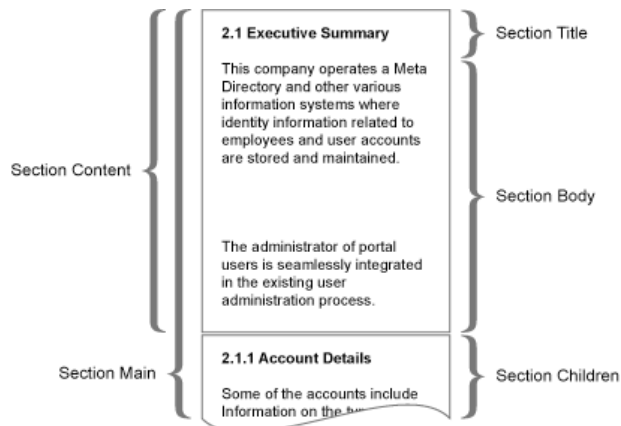
90 minutes



Second phase



Many documents
Only some are
useful



Executive report & Questions

- Analysis and problem solving
- Communication
- Delivering quality and results
- Prioritizing and organizing



PERSONAL INTERVIEW



**KEEP
CALM
AND
DON'T
STRESS**

PRESENTATION



Second phase
EPSO center

GROUP INTERVIEW



- Learning & Development
- Work with others
- Resilience
- Leadership



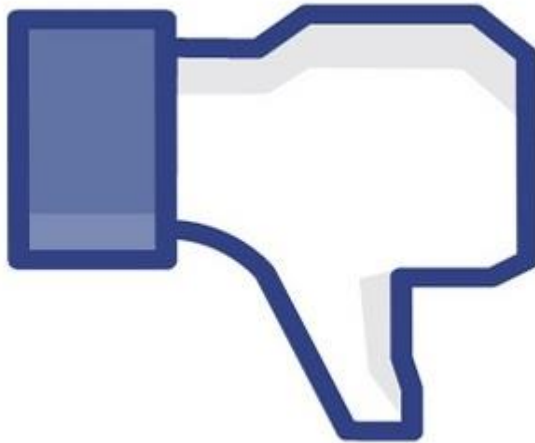
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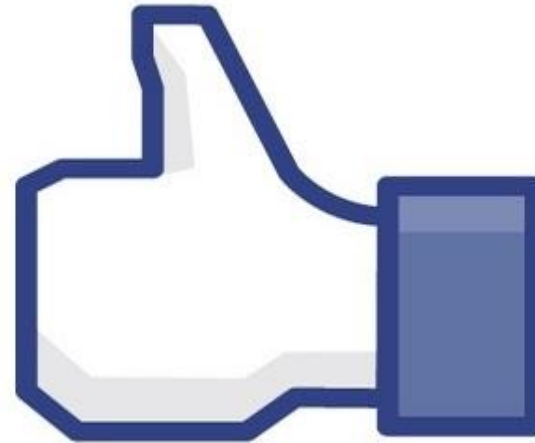
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- Long process
- Low success rate (a priori)



- Needs effort
- Not necessarily science

- Preparation compatible with other activities
- Degree in any área (generalist)



- Capacities vs knowledge
- Estability and personal development

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WHY NOT?

THANKS



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QUESTIONS?