

# First European i2b2 Academic User Group Meeting

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**i2b2**

*Ein Projekt für die vernetzte medizinische Forschung im Namen der TMF.*



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# It started in January 2009 . . .

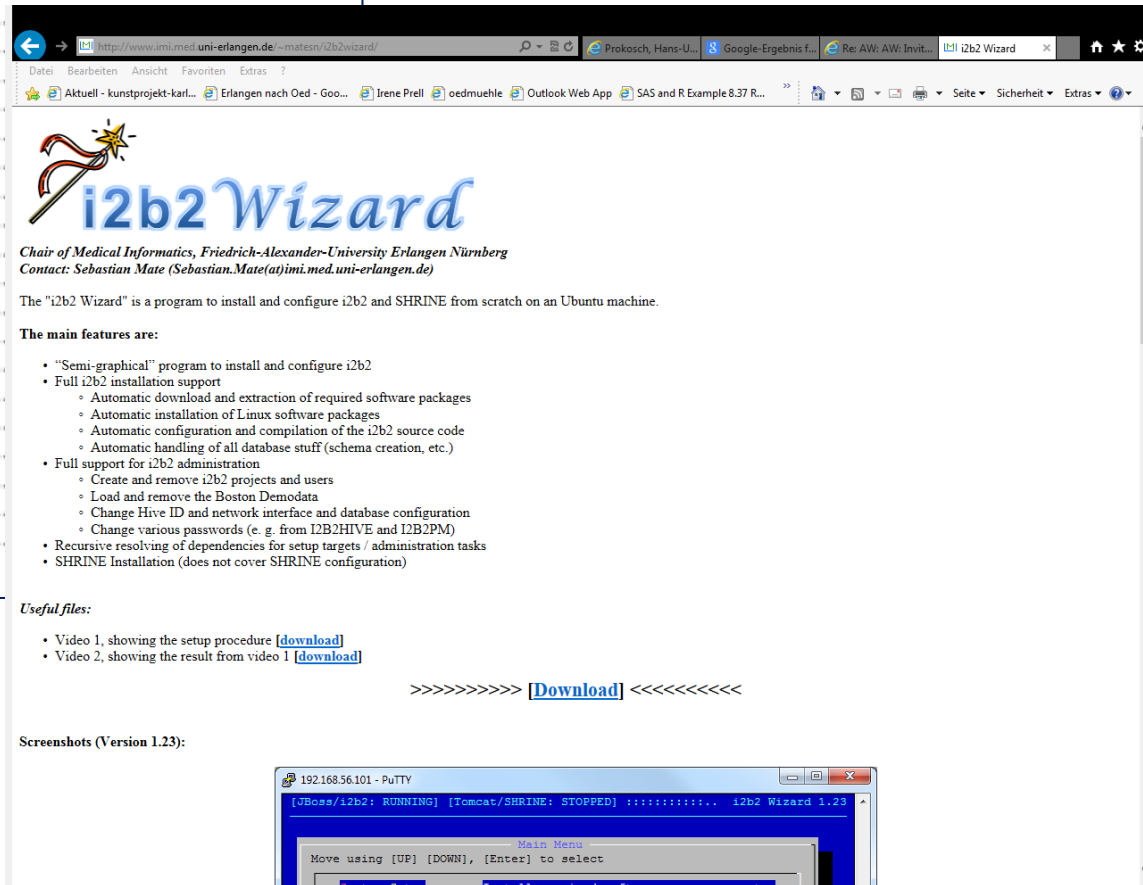
Sebastian Mate, Chair of Medical Informatics, University Erlangen-Nuremberg

## i2b2 Quick Install Guide and Tools

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The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the 'i2b2 Wizard' website. The browser's address bar shows the URL 'http://www.imi.med.uni-erlangen.de/~matest/i2b2wizard/'. The website features a logo with a wand and a star, and the text 'i2b2 Wizard'. Below the logo, it identifies the 'Chair of Medical Informatics, Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen Nürnberg' and provides contact information for Sebastian Mate. The main content describes the wizard as a program to install and configure i2b2 and SHRINE on an Ubuntu machine. It lists several main features, including semi-graphical installation, full i2b2 installation support (with sub-points for automatic software handling), full support for i2b2 administration (with sub-points for user management and configuration changes), and recursive dependency resolution. There are also links to 'Useful files' (video 1 and video 2) and a prominent blue 'Download' button. At the bottom, there are 'Screenshots (Version 1.23):' showing a terminal window with the wizard's progress.

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The "i2b2 Wizard" is a program to install and configure i2b2 and SHRINE from scratch on an Ubuntu machine.

**The main features are:**

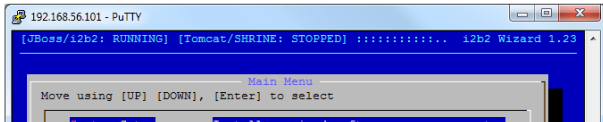
- "Semi-graphical" program to install and configure i2b2
- Full i2b2 installation support
  - Automatic download and extraction of required software packages
  - Automatic installation of Linux software packages
  - Automatic configuration and compilation of the i2b2 source code
  - Automatic handling of all database stuff (schema creation, etc.)
- Full support for i2b2 administration
  - Create and remove i2b2 projects and users
  - Load and remove the Boston Demodata
  - Change Hive ID and network interface and database configuration
  - Change various passwords (e. g. from I2B2HIVE and I2B2PM)
- Recursive resolving of dependencies for setup targets / administration tasks
- SHRINE Installation (does not cover SHRINE configuration)

**Useful files:**

- Video 1, showing the setup procedure [\[download\]](#)
- Video 2, showing the result from video 1 [\[download\]](#)

>>>>>>>>>> [\[Download\]](#) <<<<<<<<<<<<<<

**Screenshots (Version 1.23):**



The terminal screenshot shows the i2b2 Wizard installation progress. The window title is '192.168.56.101 - PuTTY'. The output shows '[JBooss/i2b2: RUNNING] [Tomcat/SHRINE: STOPPED] :::::::::::::: i2b2 Wizard 1.23'. Below this, there is a 'Main Menu' with instructions: 'Move using [UP] [DOWN], [Enter] to select'. The menu options are 'System Setup' and 'Install required software, prepare system'.

November 2009:

The Departments of Medical Informatics from Erlangen and Göttingen and

the i2b2 National Center for Biomedical Computing

signed a memorandum of understanding on the further cooperation

in applying and further developing i2b2

Collaboration between the i2b2 (Informatics for Integrating Biology and the Bedside) National Center for Biomedical Computing, the Chair of Medical Informatics, University of Erlangen-Nuremberg and the Department of Information Technology, Göttingen University Hospital

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

The i2b2 (Informatics for Integrating Biology and the Bedside) National Center for Biomedical Computing based at Brigham and Women's Hospital and Partners Healthcare System, Boston, MA, USA wishes to establish a Memorandum of Understanding with the Chair of Medical Informatics at the University of Erlangen-Nuremberg, represented by Prof. Dr. Hans-Ulrich Prokosch, and the Department of Information Technology at Göttingen University Hospital, represented by Prof. Dr. Ulrich Sax, regarding our mutual interest in the development and application of the i2b2 software which is currently available at www.i2b2.org under a free license. This software package represents the core of a long-term product line designed to enable academic health centers to organize and query their existing electronic records system for discovery research, including but not limited to such applications as definition of study cohorts; identification of disease trends, genetic associations and co-morbidities; analysis of environmental risk factors; pharmacovigilance; drug target development; and, potentially, resultant improvements in health care delivery.

i2b2 seeks collaborations with institutions who will interactively install and use this software and offers such institutions membership in the i2b2 Academic Users' Group, a forum for cooperative users interested in working together to modify existing and/or create new applications and other refinements that render the product universally useful and, ideally, interoperable. It is i2b2's intention that all improvements and enhancements made by collaborators will be freely available to the entire community, either through the i2b2 website (if fully validated) or through a dedicated SourceForge i2b2 site for those who prefer this distribution model.

Based on current adoption trends in those US institutions receiving Centers for Translation Science Awards (CTSA), it is anticipated that the maturing software infrastructure will be widely used and supported and will offer networking capabilities which will enable very large population based studies to be conducted using data collected in the routine course of clinical care. The extension of this network to our European colleagues is warmly welcomed.

The Chair of Medical Informatics at Erlangen University and the Department of Information Technology at Göttingen University Hospital are welcome to contribute to the testing of the current implementation of the i2b2 platform and to the development of specific modules that they will find useful for dealing with the need of their studies.

The agreement will last four years from now

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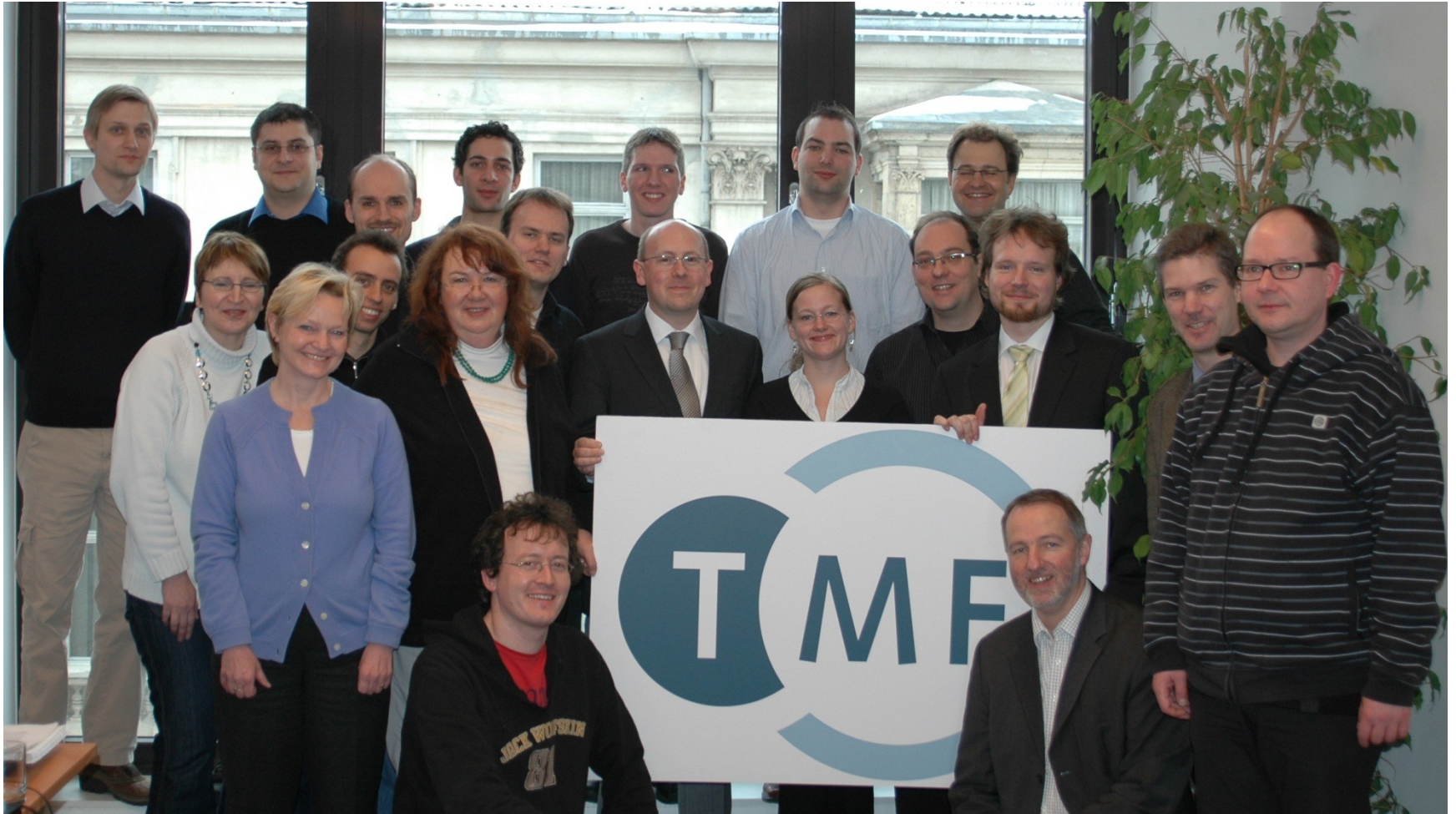
# First i2b2-Workshop at Erlangen University Hospital December 2009





# Second i2b2-Workshop

## TMF Berlin, February 2010





# Third i2b2-Workshop

## TMF Berlin, 27<sup>th</sup> of February 2012



# TMF Project

## Integrated Data Repository Toolkit

<b>Session 1: Results from the German Integrated Data Repository Toolkit Project</b>		
12.30 pm	IDRT: Platform Architecture and tools to support the re-use of routine clinical data for research	Sebastian Mate, Erlangen
12.55 pm	IDRT: Unlocking Research Data Sources with ETL for use in a Structured Research Database	Christian Bauer, Matthias Quade, Göttingen
1.20 pm	IDRT: Integration and Maintenance of Medical Terminologies in i2b2	Matthias Löbe, Leipzig

**12.15 pm**

**Welcome at Erlangen**

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**Dean of the Medical Faculty Erlangen**















