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I am Head of Department Junior Elite Sports at IAT since 2009. I studied sport science and did my PhD in sport psychology. My sporting background is basketball, I am a former coach and player.

At our department, we are supporting on the one hand our national sport federations in developing, implementing and evaluating solutions for talent identification and development. On the other hand we evaluate the promotion system (or sub-systems) for junior elite sports, one topic within this field is the analysis of careers and pathways of successful athletes as well as of dropouts. We also try to transfer or deliver knowledge (scientific as well as practical) to coaches. One project in collaboration with HAN University (Netherlands) and Ghent University (Belgium) within this area for example aims to develop sport profiles to characterize and compare sports.