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### **CV**

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### **Abstract - BSR**

1. British Spine Registry—overview and data input of spinal implants—I am going to give an overview how the British spine registry was started and how it runs. I will also discuss what features are available and what information about implants are now documented. I will also go through how the registry has evolved over the years since it's inception and what is the usefulness and role of the information available in the registry.
2. How to improve the quality of the data—  
I will give my thought about the quality of the data in the registry and how can we make it better.
3. Spine registry—International collaboration  
I will talk very briefly about the inception of the idea of Stanmore meeting of international Spine registry and hand over to Emin to take us through the Frankfurt meeting