



To whom it may concern,

as legal representative of the International Telematic University Uninettuno, I hereby express my full support and appreciation to the FuturICT Flagship initiative, co-ordinated by Prof. Dirk Helbing, ETH Zurich.

The University Uninettuno will be able to contribute to the project with his huge research in the field of ICT applied to teaching.

Innovation, research and experimentation are the basis of the International Telematic University Uninettuno. The research carried out at Uninettuno is experimental, pure and applied and involves international professors from different fields: technologists, computer scientists, educationalists, psychologists, experts in different languages and communication. The interdisciplinary results affect several areas (technical and engineering, psycho-cognitive, pedagogical, socio-cultural, methodological) and have helped to identify new face-to-face and distance teaching-learning processes, having a relevant effect on the theories related to learning processes, teaching methodologies, the relationship of interaction distance. They have also created the basis of the evolution of educational psychology and educational model that has led to the creation of a new model of distance teaching and learning adopted by Uninettuno and recognized by the international scientific community. Uninettuno also due to the results of his research has made important innovations in practice.

This important research activity has led Uninettuno in this years to be leader or partner of several European research projects on ICT and its applications.

So Uninettuno will be pleased to support the FuturICT proposal and do whatever can be helpful to prepare and promote it.

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