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- Mr. Ali Abbassene is a Senior Researcher and Information System expert. Since 2016, he is the Director of the Telecom Division of CDTA research center (Algeria), and in 2014 he was the Chief Information Officer of CDTA. Since 2006, Ali took the lead of various R&D groups and managed many projects in the fields of information systems, healthcare informatics and telemedicine. He is working on B2B collaboration in the context of Web and semantic technologies, on inter-organizational workflow integration problems, and on IoT data-related standardization issues.
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