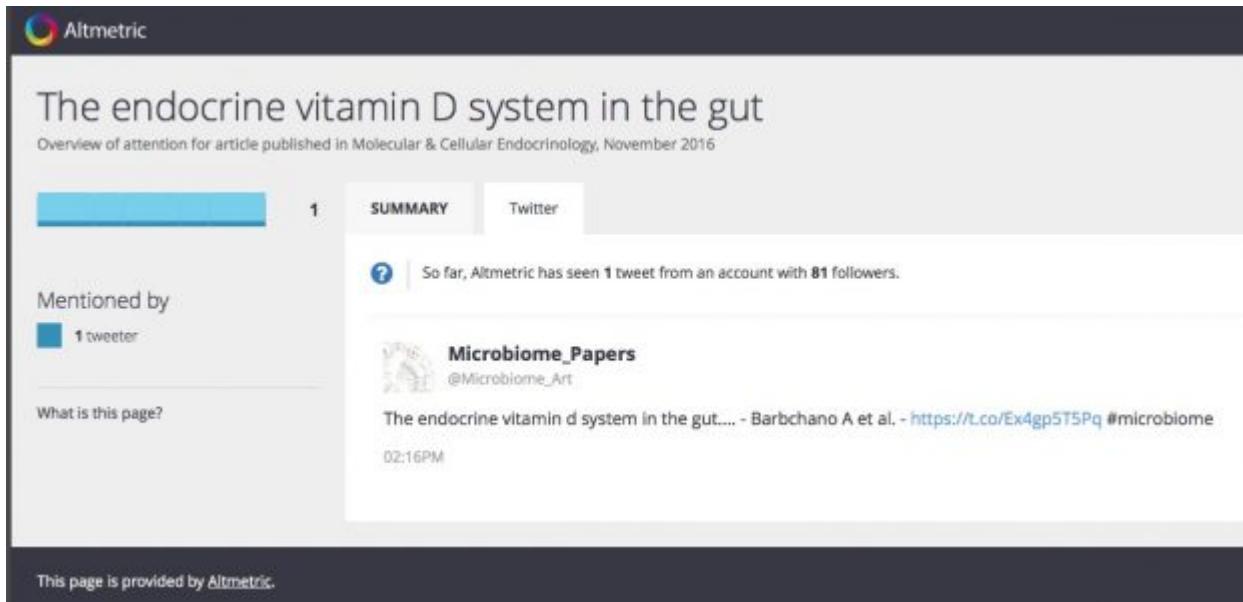


SOFTWARE

ALTMETRIC SPAM AND TWITTER BOTS

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I can't get rid of Altmetric Spam Emails while I see this company now also appearing on journal websites from Wiley and Taylor & Francis.



The screenshot shows the Altmetric summary page for an article. The title is "The endocrine vitamin D system in the gut" and it is an overview of attention for an article published in Molecular & Cellular Endocrinology, November 2016. The page includes a summary section with 1 tweet from 1 tweeter, a Twitter button, and a "Mentioned by" section showing 1 tweeter. It also includes a "What is this page?" section with a tweet from "Microbiome_Papers" (@Microbiome_Art) dated 02:16PM. The tweet content is "The endocrine vitamin d system in the gut.... - Barbchano A et al. - <https://t.co/Ex4gp5T5Pq> #microbiome". At the bottom, it says "This page is provided by Altmetric."

The only thing Altmetric is reporting here, is an activity of a Twitter Bot. Maybe it is their own bot?



Microbiome_Papers @Microbiome_Art

TwitterBot searching and publishing every new microbiome article from pubmed. My dad : @notmaxib #M1IB

- 📍 <https://github.com/maxibor>
- 🔗 maximeborry.com
- 📅 Beigetreten September 2016

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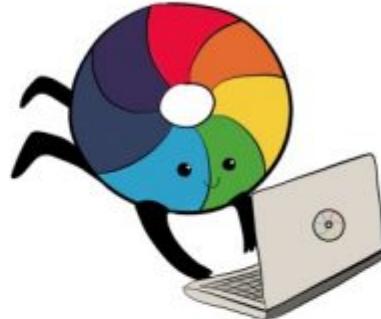
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Who are we?

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Why join us?

While our day-to-day challenges involve scaling web applications, machine learning and data analysis, we also maintain strong relationships with both the academic community and the world of scholarly publishing.

We believe that a relaxed and supportive atmosphere is key to being productive and enjoying our work. Despite our modest size, we offer great employee benefits such as life assurance cover, a personal pension plan, childcare vouchers, private medical insurance and a travel or bike loan.

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