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THE LANCET AND SCIENTIFIC INTEGRITY

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And well , [working on image integrity in scientific papers](#), I came also across another example of Elsevier infiltrating the integrity community - the [Headt Center](#) in Berlin - as highlighted also recently at Twitter



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And the rabbit hole goes even deeper. I just learned there is the so-called [@headt_centre](#) in Berlin: [headt.eu](#) where apparently Elsevier's surveillance technology is being leveraged to "measure research integrity".
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I can't believe [@HumboldtUni](#) is all in on these pernicious big data surveillance games at the "Humboldt-Elsevier Advanced Data and Text Centre".

<https://twitter.com/brembs/status/1517417659612205057>

Headt has [identified just one faked](#) image while PubPeer users found thousands in the same time. IMHO the Headt output by April 2022 looks a bit weird...



The screenshot shows the HEADT Centre website. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for HOME, THE HEADT CENTRE, RESEARCH, WORKSHOPS & WEBINARS, NEWS ROOM, and RESOURCES. Below the menu, there is a section titled "Publications" with a sub-section for the year "2020". Under "2020", there are two entries: one by Rügenhagen, M., Beck, T., & Sartorius, E. (2020) about information integrity in the era of fake news, and another by Rügenhagen, Melanie and Michael Seadle (2020) about GDPR compliant research at iSchools. Below "2020", there is a sub-section for the year "2019". Under "2019", there are three entries: one about an exhibition on negligence, fraud, and measuring integrity; one by Beck, Thorsten; Melanie Rügenhagen, and Michael Seadle (2019) about the same exhibition; and one by Beck, Thorsten (2019) about detecting image manipulations.

Screenshot 25/4/2022 <https://headt.eu>

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