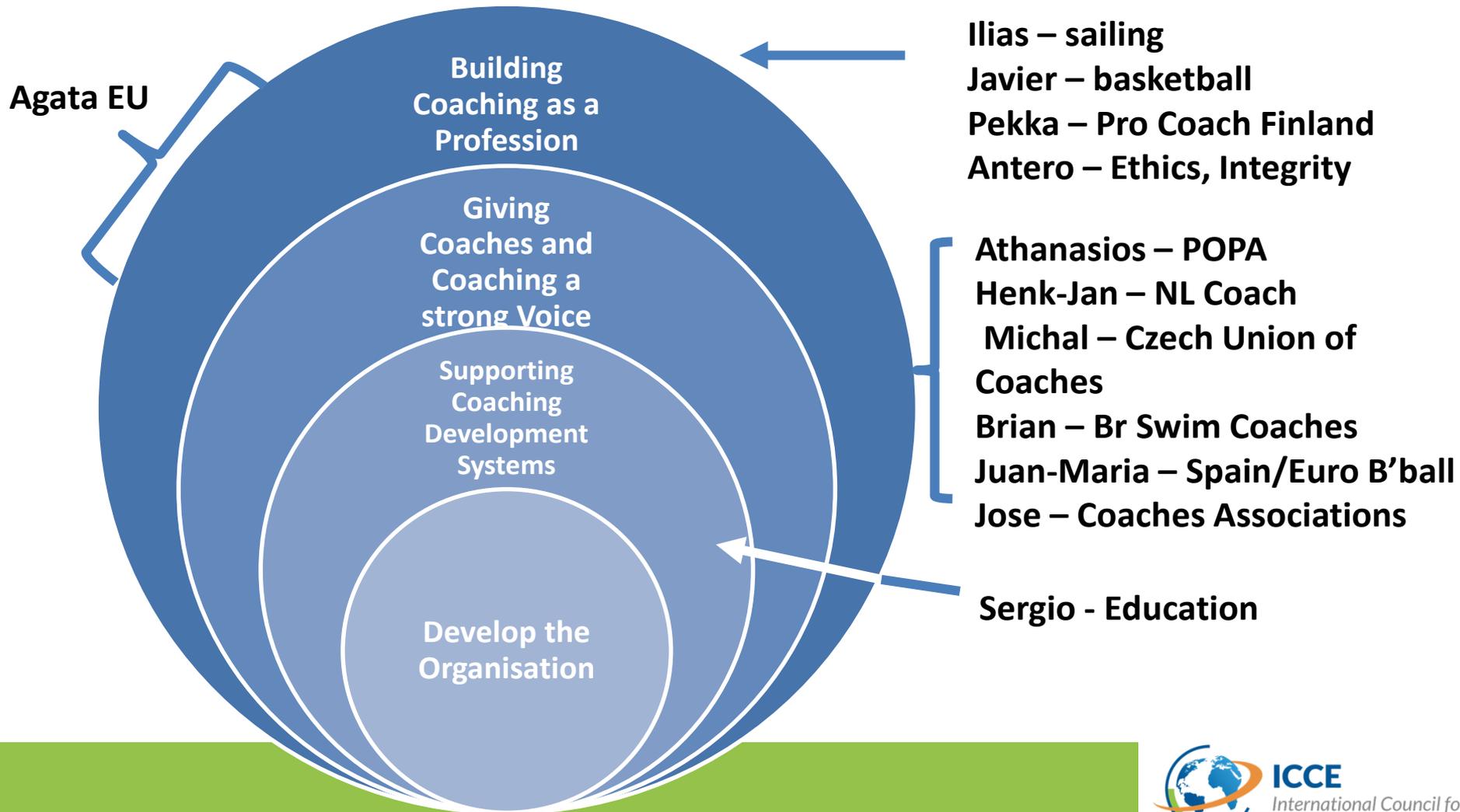


# ICCE Strategic Priorities 2016-2020



# Conclusions from the group

## Coaches Associations (J. Curado)

- **Politics:** recommendations coming from EU that could help accelerate the internal process in the different countries; coaches voice inside the EU documents; direct connection with Brussels through ECC; Social Dialogue;
- Independent bodies (funding)
- Democratically elected
- Multisport (the process to reach there is specific of each country)
- Volunteer & Professional working together – Sharing; Very important to have HP coaches at the frontline
- Women in coaching – organization to get visibility
- Statement – Each athlete has the right to have a qualified coach
- Goals: recognition of the profession; respect for coaches in society; Coach welfare;

# Conclusions from the group

## Education (S. Lara-Bercial) – Q1

### **Q1 – The Role of Coaches Associations in Coach Education**

- Potential for major role as closer to coach than National Federations (NFs)
- Quality Assurance of Coach Education on behalf of NFs
- Lead the way for NFs of what is possible
- If multi-sport, they could be the ‘lead organisation’ for the development and protection of coaching in a country
- Develop Education Programmes and Resources
- In charge of licensing
- One multi-sport Association is more powerful than single-sport

# Conclusions from the group Education (S. Lara-Bercial) – Q2

## Q2 – Barriers/Challenges; Opportunities/Solutions

### Barriers/Challenges

- Lack of recognition by National Federation/Governing Body, and communications
- Shortage of staff/expertise
- Difficulty of uniting different sports together

### Opportunities/Solutions

- Coaches Associations can 'Raise' the voice of the coach
- Increased representation at EU level

# Get Involved!

The IOC is seeking coaches to support the Athlete Learning Gateway Community by providing an insight into their experience on topics such as:

- The making of a great coach
- Leadership in sport
- Recovering from injury

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