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Kees is Chief Scientific Officer of Adrok. He planned on becoming a musician as a teenager, then changed his mind and became a theoretical particle physicist (PhD Univ. of California Santa Cruz). After several years of post-doctoral research on Quantum Chromodynamics he changed his mind again and studied musical composition at the University of British Columbia where he acquired a taste for computer music, which led him to change his mind once more and obtain a PhD in computer science from that University, focusing on scientific application of computer sound, continuing as faculty for 15 years in this field. Kees left academia in 2015 for a position at Adrok where he is responsible for the development and communication of the science behind the innovative technologies deployed at this company. Kees lives in Vancouver Canada and is also an expert on traditional Persian music and has performed extensively on the Persian Ney flute.

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