

Professors of Wageningen University 1 September 2024

Name		Function
Kroeze	prof.dr.C. (Carolien)	Rector Magnificus
Bregt	dr ir A.K. (Arnold)	Dean of Education
Hendriks	dr ir W.H. (Wouter)	Dean of Research
Chairs		
Name		Chair
Afman	dr ir. L.A. (Lydia)	Human Nutrition & Health
Alpizar Rodriguez	dr F. (Francisco)	Environmental Economics and Natural Resources
Amerongen	dr H. van (Herbert)	Biophysics
Ankeny	dr.R. (Rachel)	Philosophy
Anten	dr ir. N.P.R. (Niels)	Crop and Weed Ecology
Bakker	dr M.M. (Martha)	Land Use Planning
Beurs	dr. K.M. (Kirsten) de Beurs	Remote Sensing
Bitter	dr J.H. (Harry)	Biobased Chemistry and Technology
Boom	dr ir. R.M. (Remko)	Food Process Engineering
Bosch	dr Q.A. ten (Quirine)	Infectious Disease Epidemiology
Brok	dr P.J. den (Perry)	Education and Learning Sciences
Bulte	dr ir. E.H. (Erwin)	Development Economics
Büscher	dr B.E. (Bram)	Sociology of Development and Change
Bush	dr S.R. (Simon)	Environmental Policy
Calus	dr ir. M.P.L. (Mario)	Animal Breeding and Genomics
Comans	dr R.N.J. (Rob)	Soil Chemistry
Creamer	dr R.E. (Rachel)	Soil Biology
Descheemaeker	dr.ir. K.K.E. (Katrien)	Plant Production Systems
Dicke	dr M. (Marcel)	Entomology
Dolfsma	dr W.A. (Wilfred)	Business Management and Organisation
Eeuwijk	dr F.A. van (Fred)	Mathematical and Statistical Methods
Ettema	dr T.J.G. (Thijs)	Microbiology
Evers	dr.J.B. (Jochem)	Crop Physiology
Feskens	dr ir. E.J.M. (Edith)	Human Nutrition & Health

Forde	dr C.G. (Ciaran)	Human Nutrition & Health	
Frankema	dr E.H.P. (Ewout)	Economic and Environmental History	
Groenen	dr M.A.M. (Martien)	Animal Breeding and Genomics	
Groot Koerkamp	dr ir. P.W.G. (Peter)	Agricultural Biosystems Engineering	
Gucht	dr ir. J. van der (Jasper)	Physical Chemistry and Soft Matter	
Hardon	dr A.P. (Anita)	Knowledge, Technology and Innovation	
Heijne	dr.ir.A. ter (Annemiek)	Biological Recovery and Re-use Technology	
Heijster	dr P.J.A. van (Peter)	Mathematical and Statistical Methods	
Hellegers	dr ir. P.J.G.J. (Petra)	Water Resources Management	
Hofstra	dr ir. N. (Nynke)	Water Systems and Global Change	
Huijbens	dr E.H. (Edward)	Cultural Geography	
Huitema	dr.D. (Dave)	Public Administration and Policy	
Kampman	dr ir. E. (Ellen)	Human Nutrition & Health	
Keijer	dr ir. J. (Jaap)	Human and Animal Physiology	
Kema	dr ir. G.H.J. (Gert)	Phytopathology	
Kemp	dr ir. B. (Bas)	Adaptation Physiology	
Kleijn	dr ir. D. (David)	Plant Ecology and Nature Conservation	
Koelmans	dr A.A. (Bart)	Aquatic Ecology and Water Quality Management	
Krol	dr M.C. (Maarten)	Air Quality and Atmospheric Chemistry	
Langevelde	dr ir. F. van (Frank)	Wildlife Ecology and Conservation	
Leeuw	dr ir. S.L.J.M. de (Sander)	Operations Research and Logistics	
Leeuwen	dr ir. E.S. van (Eveline)	Urban Economics	
Lenzholzer	dr S. (Sanda)	Landscape Architecture	
Linden	dr E. van der (Erik)	Physics and Physical Chemistry of Foods	
Marcelis	dr ir. L.F.M. (Leo)	Horticulture and Product Physiology	
Moore	dr D.S. (Spencer)	Health and Society	
Muijres	dr.F.T. (Florian)	Experimental Zoology	
Murk	dr A.J. (Tinka)	Marine Animal Ecology	
Naguib	dr M. (Marc)	Behavioural Ecology	
Oers	dr M.M. van (Monique)	Virology	
Oosting	dr.ir. S.J. (Simon)	Animal Production Systems	
Oude Lansink	dr ir. A.G.J.M. (Alfons)	Business Economics	
Pierik	dr R. (Ronald)	Molecular Biology	

Ploeg	dr. ir. M.J. van der (Martine)	Hydrology and Environmental Hydraulics	
Ridder	dr ir. D. de (Dick)	Bioinformatics	
Rietjens	dr ir. I.M.C.M. (Ivonne)	Toxicology	
Ritsema	dr C.J. (Coen)	Soil Physics and Land Management	
Schranz	dr M.E. (Eric)	Biosystematics	
Schulte	dr ir. R.P.O. (Rogier)	Farming Systems Ecology	
Sheil	dr R.D. (Douglas)	Forest Ecology and Forest Management	
Smant	dr ir. G. (Geert)	Nematology	
Srinivas	dr M. (Mangala)	Cell Biology and Immunology	
Suarez Diez	dr.M.(Maria)	Systems and Synthetic Biology	
Tekinerdogan	dr B. (Bedir)	Information Technology	
Testerink	dr C.S. (Christa)	Plant Physiology	
Trijp	dr ir. J.C.M. van (Hans)	Marketing and Consumer Behaviour	
Velders	dr A.H. (Aldrik)	BioNanoTechnology	
Vila-Guerau de Arellano	dr J. (Jordi)	Meteorology	
Vincken	dr ir. J.P. (Jean-Paul)	Food Chemistry	
Vliegenthart	prof. dr. R.(Rens)	Strategic Communication	
Wallinga	dr J. (Jakob)	Soil Geography and Landscape	
Weijers	dr D. (Dolf)	Biochemistry	
Wells	dr J.M. (Jerry)	Host-Microbe Interactomics	
Wertheim	dr B. (Bregje)	Entomology	
Wesseler	dr J.H.H. (Justus)	Agricultural Economics and Rural Policy	
Wiegertjes	dr ir. G.F. (Geert)	Aquaculture and Fisheries	
Wijffels	dr ir. R.H. (René)	Bioprocess Engineering	
Willemsen	dr.V.A.(Viola)	Cell and Developmental Biology	
Winkel	dr G.C.M. (Georg)	Forest and Nature Conservation Policy	
Wiskerke	dr ir. J.S.C. (Han)	Rural Sociology	
Witkamp	dr R.F. (Renger)	Human Nutrition & Health	
Zuilhof	dr J.T. (Han)	Organic Chemistry	
Zwaan	dr B.J. (Bas)	Genetics	
Zwietering	dr ir. M.H. (Marcel)	Food Microbiology	
VACANCY		Artificial Intelligence	
VACANCY		Consumption and Healthy Lifestyles	

VACANCY		Environmental Systems Analyses	
VACANCY		Water Technology and Metropolitan Solutions	
VACANCY		Plant Breeding	
VACANCY		Geo Information Sciences	
VACANCY		Law	
Personal Professors			
Name		Chair	
Aanen	dr D.K. (Duur)	Genetics	
Aarts	dr M.G.M. (Mark)	Genetics	
Angenent	dr ir. G.C. (Gerco)	Molecular Biology	
Angenent	dr ir. G.C. (Gerco)	Plant Deveopment Systems	
Arts	dr B.J.M. (Bas)	Forest and Nature Conservation Policy	
Athnasiadis	dr I.N. (Ioannis)	Artificial Intelligence	
Bai	dr Y. (Yuling)	Plant Breeding	
Barbosa	dr M.J. (Maria)	Bioprocess Engineering	
Bentsink	dr L. (Leonie)	Plant Physiology	
Besten	dr.ir.H.W.den (Heidy)	Food Microbiology	
Biesbroek	dr G.R. (Robbert)	Public Administration and Policy	
Blok	dr.V.(Vincent) MBA	Philosophy	
Bock	dr ir. B.B. (Bettina)	Rural Sociology	
Boelens	dr ir. R.A. (Rutgerd)	Water Resources Management	
Boer	dr ir. I.J.M. de (Imke)	Animal Production Systems	
Bouwmeester	dr ir. H. (Hans)	Toxicology	
Bovenhuis	dr ir. H. (Henk)	Animal Breeding and Genomics	
Bregt	dr ir. A.K. (Arnold)	Remote Sensing	
Brink	dr ir. P.J. van den (Paul)	Aquatic Ecology and Water Quality Management	
Brink	dr.ir.N.W.van den (Nico)	Toxicology	
Brouwer	dr. ir. I.D. (Inge)	Nutrition and Disease	
Buisman	dr ir. C.J.N. (Cees)	Biological Recovery and Re-use Technology	
Da Silva Torres	dr R. (Ricardo)	Artificial Intelligence	
Dewulf	dr A.R.J.P. (Art)	Public Administration and Policy	
Deyn	dr ir. G.B. de (Gerlinde)	Soil Biology	

Dijk	dr ir. J.W.M. van (Han)	Sociology of Development and Change	
Fensel	dr.A.(Anna)	Artificial Intelligence	
Fogliano	dr V. (Vincenzo)	Food Quality and Design	
Geissen	dr V. (Violette)	Soil Physics and Land Management	
Geleijnse	dr J.M. (Marianne)	Human Nutrition & Health	
Gerrits	dr ir. W.J.J. (Walter)	Animal Nutrition	
Goot	dr ir. A.J. van der (Atze Jan)	Food Process Engineering	
Groenigen	dr ir. J.W. van (Jan-Willem)	Soil Biology	
Groot	dr ir. C.P.G.M. de (Lisette)	Nutritional Biology	
Gupta	dr A. (Aarti)	Environmental Policy	
Hein	dr L.G. (Lars)	Water Systems and Global Change	
Henten	dr ir. E.J. van (Eldert)	Agricultural Biosystems Engineering	
Hettinga	dr. ir. K.A. (Kasper)	Food Quality and Design	
Hoffland	dr E. (Ellis)	Soil Biology	
Hogeveen	dr ir. H. (Henk)	Business Economics	
Hoitink	dr ir. A.J.F. (Ton)	Hydrology and Environmental Hydraulics	
Ittersum	dr ir. M.K. van (Martin)	Plant Production Systems	
Kammenga	dr ir. J.E. (Jan)	Nematology	
Kleerebezem	dr M. (Michiel)	Host-Microbe Interactomics	
Klippel	dr A.K.A.J. (Alexander)	Cultural Geography	
Koenraad	dr C.J.M. (Sander)	Entomology	
Komen	dr ir. J. (Hans)	Animal Breeding and Genomics	
Kooistra	dr.ir.L.(Lammert)	Remote Sensing	
Kruikemeier	dr S. (Sanne)	Strategic Communication	
Leermakers	dr ir. F.A.M. (Frans)	Physical Chemistry and Soft Matter	
Leeuwis	dr ir. C. (Cees)	Knowledge, Technology and Innovation	
Machado de Sousa	dr D.Z. (Diana)	Microbiology	
Macnaghten	dr P.M. (Philip)	Knowledge, Technology and Innovation	
Martins dos Santos	dr ir. V.A.P. (Vitor)	Bioprocess Engineering	
Medema	dr.M.H.(Marnix)	Bioinformatics	
Meuwissen	dr ir. M.P.M. (Miranda)	Business Economics	
Mol	dr ir. A.P.J. (Arthur)	Business Economics	
Mommer	dr ir. L. (Liesje)	Forest Ecology and Forest Management	

Oost	dr J. van der (John)	Microbiology	
Peña Claros	dr M. (Marielos)	Forest Ecology and Forest Management	
Pennings	dr ir. J.M.E. (Joost)	Marketing and Consumer Behaviour	
Peters	dr W. (Wouter)	Air Quality and Atmospheric Chemistry	
Pijlman	dr.ir. G.B. (Gorben)	Virology	
Poelman	dr.ir.E. (Erik)	Entomology	
Poorter	dr ir. L. (Lourens)	Forest Ecology and Forest Management	
Schroën	dr ir. C.G.P.H. (Karin)	Food Process Engineering	
Schutyser	dr ir. M.A.I. (Maarten)	Food Process Engineering	
Smet	dr.ir.L.C.P.M. de (Louis)	Organic Chemistry	
Smid	dr E.J. (Eddy)	Food Microbiology	
Smidt	dr H. (Hauke)	Microbiology	
Sprakel	dr ir. J.H.B. (Joris)	Biochemistry	
Sprakel	dr ir. J.H.B. (Joris)	Physical Chemistry and Soft Matter	
Sterck	dr.ir. F.J. (Frank)	Forest Ecology and Forest Management	
Stieger	dr M.A. (Markus)	Food Quality and Design	
Stieger	dr M.A. (Markus)	Human Nutrition & Health	
Stremke	dr ing. S. (Sven)	Landscape Architecture	
Tatenhove	dr ir. J.P.M. van (Jan)	Environmental Policy	
Termeer	dr ir. C.J.A.M. (Katrien)	Public Administration and Policy	
Trindade	dr L.M. (Luisa)	Plant Breeding	
Veer	dr ir. P. van 't (Pieter)	Sensory Science and Eating Behaviour	
Veling	dr H.P. (Harm)	Consumption and Healthy LifestyleS	
Visser	dr J.A.G.M. de (Arjan)	Genetics	
Vries	dr ir. W. de (Wim)	Water Systems and Global Change	
Wagemakers	dr.ir.A. (Annemarie)	Health and Society	
Wals	dr ir. A.E.J. (Arjen)	Education and Learning Sciences	
Werf	dr G. (Guido) van der	Air Quality and Atmospheric Chemistry	
Weusthuis	dr R.A. (Ruud)	Bioprocess Engineering	
Zanten	dr.ir.H.H.E. (Hannah)	Farming Systems Ecology	
Zuidema	dr P.A. (Pieter)	Forest Ecology and Forest Management	

Special Professors & Professors holding an endowed chair

Name		Special Chair	Financer
Alkemade	dr J.R.M. (Rob)	Global Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services Modelling	Planbureau voor de Leefomgeving
Andel	dr T.R. van (Tinde)	Ethnobotany	Naturalis
Bakker	dr E.S. (Liesbeth)	Rewilding Ecology	Stichting Rewilding Europe
Bartholomeus	dr ir. R.P. (Ruud)	Plant Water Stress & Regional Water Management	KWR Water Research Institute
Biemans	dr H. (Hester)	Integrated Assessment of Water and Crop Production	WENR
Buijse	dr A.D. (Tom)	Freshwater Fish Ecology	Sportvisserij Nederland
Carmichael	dr P.L. (Paul)	Next Generation Risk Assessment Approaches for Human & Environmental Health	Unilever UK
Defraeye	dr.T. (Thijs)	Data and Simulations for Self-Care Postharvest Fresh-Food Supply Chains	EMPA
Dufourcq	dr.A.(Annabelle)	Humanistic Philosophy	Humanistische Stichting Socrates
Duynhoven	dr J.P.M. van (John)	Magnetic Resonance in Relation to Food	Unilever R&D
Fels-Klerx	dr ir. H.J. van der (Ine)	Food Safety Economics	WFSR
Gerber	dr P.J. (Pierre)	Global Environmental Sustainability Challenges in Livestock Systems	World Bank
Haan	dr S. (Stef) de	Seed Systems and Agrobiodiversity	CGIAR
Hamelers	dr ir. H.V.M. (Bert)	Electrochemical Resource Recovery	Wetsus
Hazebroek	dr E.J. (Eric)	Nutrition and Obesity Treatment	Rijnstate ziekenhuis
Heuvelink	dr G.B.M. (Gerard)	Pedometrics and Digital Soilmapping	ISRIC
Hoehne	dr N.E. (Niklas)	Mitigation of Greenhouse Gas Emissions	New Climate Institute
Immink	dr ir. G.H. (Richard)	Flowering and Reproduction of Ornamentals	KAVB/Stimuflori
Janssen	dr J.G.M. (Hans-Gerd)	Recognition Based Analytical Chemistry	Unilever R&D
Kabat	dr P. (Pavel)	Global Water and Climate Systems	iHFSP0
Kranenburg	dr ir. R. van (Richard)	Bacterial Cell Factories	Unremunerated professor
Meer	dr J. van der (Jaap)	Sustainable Marine Food Production	Wageningen Marine Research
Meijl	dr J.C.M. van (Hans)	Macro-Economic Assessment of the Circular and Bio-Economy	WECR
Messelink	dr ir. G.J. (Gerben)	Biological Pest Control in Greenhouse Production Systems	Koppert Biological Syst. BV
Mooij	dr W.M. (Wolf)	Aquatic Foodweb Ecology	NIOO-KNAW
Nabuurs	dr ir. G.J.M.M. (Gert-Jan)	European Forest Resources	WENR
Oers	dr C.H.J. van (Kees)	Animal Personality	NIOO-KNAW
Onwezen	dr.M.C. (Marleen)	Behavioural Economics for Enduring Sustainable Food Choices	WECR
Peck	dr. M. (Myron)	Life Cycle Ecophysiology of Marine Animals	NIOZ

Poel	dr W.H.M. van der (Wim)	Emerging and Zoonotic Viruses	Wageningen Bioveterinary Research
Putten	dr ir. W.H. van der (Wim)	Functional Biodiversity	NIOO-KNAW
Ramirez--Villegas	dr J. (Julian)	Agricultural Climate Impacts and Adaptation	CIAT
Rebel	dr J.M.J. (Annemarie)	Healthy and Resilient Livestock	ASG Research
Scheres	dr.ir.B.J.G. (Ben)	Applied Plant Developmental Biology	Rijk Zwaan Zaadteelt & Zaadhandel B.V.
Schueren	dr M.A.E. de van der (Marian)	Dietetics	Ned.Vereniging van Diëtisten
Schukken	dr Y.H. (Ynte)	Management of Farm Animal Health	Gezondheidsdienst voor Dieren
Sman	dr ir. R.G.M. van der (Ruud)	Modelling in Food Materials Engineering	AFSG Research
Smits	dr ir. C.H.M. (Coen)	Functional Ingredients for Sustainable Animal Nutrition	Trouw Nutrition
Stoep	dr J. van der (Jan)	Christian Philosophy	Stichting voor Christelijke Filosofie
Tengö	M.M.(Maria)	Human-Nature Relationships in the Anthropocene	Stichting Natuur College
Veerkamp	dr ir. R.F. (Roel)	Numerical Genetics	ASG Research
Velthof	dr ir. G.L. (Gerard)	Soil Nutrient and Carbon Management	WENR
Wal	dr ir. A. van der (Albert)	Electrochemical Water Treatment	Voltea B.V.
Weerts	dr A.H. (Albrecht)	Hydrological Predictability	Deltares
Zandstra	dr ir. E.H. (Liesbeth)	Food Reward and Behaviour	Unilever R&D
Zanten	dr A.R.H. van (Arthur)	Role of Nutrition in Recovery from Metabolic Stress	Ziekenhuis Gelderse Vallei
Zanten	dr M.C. (Margreet)	Emission, Deposition and Dispersion of Atmospheric Constituents	RIVM
Special Professors on behalf of International Education			
Name		Field	Financer
Fraiture	dr C. de (Charlotte)	Land and Water Development	IHE Delft
Irvine	dr K.A. (Ken)	Aquatic Ecology and Water Quality Management	IHE Delft
Vasconcelos Fernandes	dr ir. T. (Tânia)	EcoTechnologies for a Circular Economy	IHE Delft
Professors other University			
Name		Field	Financer
Rodenburg	dr T.B. (Bas)	Animal Welfare	University Utrecht
Kersten	dr.I.H. (Sander)	Nutrition Metabolism and Genomics	Wageningen University & Research
Distinguished Professors			
Name		Field	
Scheffer	dr M. (Marten)	Aquatic Ecology and Water Quality Management	

Other Professors			
Name		Field	
Vorst	dr ir. J.G.A.J. van der (Jack)	Managing Director (former chairholder)	