

## **CURRICULUM VITAE.**

Name : **STEVENS Willem J.M.K.**

Born in Antwerpen, 19.12.1944.

### **1. DIPLOMA'S**

- candidate in physics and medicine, State University Ghendt, 07.1966, great distinction.
- Doctor in medicine, State University Ghendt, 14.07.1970, great distinction.
- Geaggregeerde van het hoger onderwijs (Ph.D.), University of Antwerp, 17.03.1981.

### **2. POSTGRADUATE TRAINING**

- assistant internal medicine, State University of Ghendt, 1970-1974
- assistant internal medicine, University of Antwerp, 1975
- certificate of specialist in internal medicine, Ministry of Health, october 1975.

### **3. ACADEMIC FUNCTIONS**

- Lector, U.I.A. 01.01.1980.
- Deputy-chairman Pneumology, University Hospital Antwerpen, 01.04.1980.
- Head section Clinical Immunology, University Hospital Antwerpen, 09.07.1980.
- Professor of Allergology and Immunology, University of Antwerp, 1.10.1983.
- Chairman Immunology, University Hospital Antwerpen, 1.10.1983.
- Rotating chairman, Internal Medicine, University Hospital Antwerpen, 1.10.1984 - 30.09.1987.
- Member of the National Board for Certification of Internal Medicine and Geriatrics, 1.10.1986 - 30.09.1992.
- President of the Working Group "Medical Immunology" of the National Foundation for Scientific Research, 1.06.1986 - 31.12.1993.
- President of the Section Internal Medicine of the department of Medicine, University of Antwerp, 1.10.1988 - 30.09.1991.
- Dean of the department of medicine, University of Antwerp UIA (01.10.1991-30.09.1995)
- Vice Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Antwerp UIA (01.10.1995-30.09.1997)
- Member of the Advisory Committee, Organisation of Medical and Dentistry Practice, Ministry of Health, Belgium, 1996-
- Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Antwerp, UIA (1.10.1997-01.03.1998)
- Member of the Examination board for acceptance of Medical en Dentistry Students, Ministry of the Flemish Community, 1997-
- President of the Microbiology-Immunology Commission, Foundation for Scientific Research, Flanders, 1997-1999
- Member of the Board for Environment and Health, Ministry of the Fleish Community (06.05.1997-)
- Member of the Bureau for Coordination of Medical Education, University of Antwerp, 18.02.1998-30.11.1999.
- Chairman of the Internal Medicine Department, University Hostital Antwerp, 1.1.1999-
- Coordinating Head of the Trainees in Internal Medicine, University of Antwerp, 13.12.1999-

- President of the Belgian Society for Allergology and Clinical Immunology, July 2001-
- Expert of the Scientific Committees "GM food/feed" and "Transgenic Plants" of the Biosafety Council
- Co-Promotor International Scientific Association University of Antwerp 2002-2009:
  - Vascular Biology (chairman M. De Broe)
  - Preventive Medicine (chairman A. Meheus)
- Member of the Disciplinary Committee University of Antwerp UA (2004-04-)
- Member of the Central Commission for evaluation of promotion ZAP UA (2004-04-)
- President of the Working Group Orfelina, University of Antwerp, faculty of Medicine
- President of the Commission for Scientific Investigations, Faculty of Medicine, University of Antwerp, 1.11.2004-
- Member of the Board of the General Assembly, University Hospital Antwerp, 1.11.2004-
- Visiting professor University of Butare, Rwanda, 2004
- Expert of The Biosafety Advisory Council and the Division of Biosafety and Biotechnology, Belgium, 25.10.2005.
- Member of the board of directors, Royal Academy of Medicine, Belgium 1.1.2006-

#### **4. MEMBERSHIPS**

##### **- Belgian Societies**

Belgian Society for Pneumology  
 Belgian Society for Allergology and Clinical Immunology (chairman)  
 Belgian Society for Immunology  
 Belgian Society for Clinical Biology  
 Belgian Society for Internal Medicine  
 Belgian Society for Rheumatology  
 Royal Academy of Medicine of Belgium

##### **- Foreign Societies**

Corresponding member (1982) and fellow (1987) American Academy of Allergy and Immunology.  
 International Association of Allergology and Clinical Immunology.  
 Societas Europaea Physiologiae Clinicae Respiratoriae.  
 Nederlandse Vereniging voor Immunologie.  
 Nederlands Asthma Fonds - Werkgroep bronchiale hyperreactiviteit.

#### **5. CERTIFICATES.**

- Certificate "Clinical Immunology", Edinburgh 1975.
- Certificate "Allergologie et Immunologie clinique", Marseille 1976.
- Certificate "The lymphocyte", London 1979 (British Council).

#### **6. AWARDS**

- First Specia award 1970.
- APRA award 1986: Air-conditioning: een medisch probleem?
- Honorary medal University of Crakow 1995

## **7. ORGANISATION.**

- Symposium : Diagnosemiddelen bij Allergie, Wilrijk 6 oktober 1979.
- Symposium : Provocatie en eliminatieonderzoek in de allergologie, Wilrijk, 7 juni 1980.
- Cursus : Interuniversitaire Kursus Allergologie, Wilrijk, 8-13 september 1980.
- Symposium : Behandeling van Allergische aandoeningen, Wilrijk, 29 november 1980.
- Symposium : Urticaria (Belg. Ver. Allerg. Klin. Immunol.) Wilrijk 21 november 1981.
- Symposium : Urticaria en hymenoptera overgevoeligheid, Wilrijk 12 december 1981.
- Cursus : Interuniversitaire Kursus Allergologie en Klinische Immunologie, Gent, 27.9 tot 2.10.1982 (medeorganisator).
- Congres : Annual meeting of the European Academy of Allergology and Clinical Immunology, Brussels, may 16-19, 1984 (medeorganisator).
- Symposium : Autoimmuunziekten, Antwerpen, 28 september 1985.
- Cursus : Interuniversitaire Kursus Allergologie en Klinische Immunologie, Brussel, 15.9 tot 20.9.1986 (medeorganisator).
- Symposium : Medicamenteuse therapie van autoimmuunziekten, Antwerpen, 24.4.1988
- Symposium : Atopisch eczeem bij kinderen, Antwerpen, 6.10.1988
- Cursus : Interdisciplinaire cursus AIDS, Antwerpen, oktober-december 1988
- Symposium : Immunologie en reumatologie, Antwerpen, 15.04.1989
- Cursus : Interdisciplinaire cursus AIDS, updating, Antwerpen, 9.11.1989
- Symposium : Allergie, UIA, Antwerpen, 31.03.1990
- Symposium : Voeding en allergie, Belgische Vereniging voor Allergologie en klinische Immunologie en werkgroep medische immunologie NFGWO, Antwerpen, 28.04.1990
- Cursus : Interuniversitaire cursus allergologie en klinische immunologie, Antwerpen, 24-29.09.1990
- Cursus : Multidisciplinair cursus AIDS, Antwerpen, spring 1991
- Symposium : Allergic disorders in young children and infants, Antwerpen, 6.03.1993
- Symposium : Tien jaar immunologie, Antwerpen, 29.10.1994
- Symposium: Aanwinsten in immunologie, allergologie en reumatologie, 25.11.1995
- Symposium: Urgenties in de immunologie, 30.11.1996
- Symposium: Huid en Immunologie, 27.11.1997
- Symposium: Immunologie van jong naar oud, 05.12.1998
- Congress of the European Academy for Allergy and Clinical Immunology, 3-7.7.1999
- Symposium: Updates in Immunology, 9.10.1999
- Symposium: Pregnancy and Immunology, Belgian Society for Allergology and Clinical Immunology, 9.12.2000
- Symposium Pregnancy and Immunity, Belgische Vereniging Allergie en Klinische Immunologie, UIA, 9.12.2000.
- Symposium: Updates in immunologie, Antwerpen, 23.11.2001
- Symposium: Twenty year of Immunology, University of Antwerp, 22.11.2003

Nationaal Symposium Allergie zorg begint met vroegtijdige diagnose. , Astma en Allergiekopel, Brussel, 23.10, 2004  
Symposium IgE in allergic diseases, Belgian Society of Allergology and Clinical Immunology, Brussel, 11. 2004  
Symposium Allergy in childhood and adults, Gent, 27.11.2004  
Symposium: Diagnosis in allergy and autoimmunity, Edegem, 1911.2005  
Symposium: Limitation of medical students in Flandrers, Koninklijke Academie voor Geneeskunde van Belgie, Brussel, 28. 01. 2006  
Symposium: Drug Allergy, Belgian Society of Allergology and Clinical Immunology, Brussels, 03. 02. 2007

### **Promotor Ph.D. thesis**

Anthoons, J.A.M.S., 1989  
De Clerck, L.S.T., 1990  
Van Bever, H.P., 1993  
Muylle, L., 1993  
Schuerwegh, A, 2001 (copromotor)  
Ebo D, 2003  
Hagendorens M, 2004  
Van Offel J, 2005  
Dombrecht E, 2007 (copromotor)

### **Promotor or co-promotor research fellowship**

1.10.1995-30.09.1987: P. Gigase  
1.10.1987-30.09.1989: N. Struyf  
1.10.1990-30.09.1992: M. Moens  
1.10.1991-30.09.1993: A. Mertens  
1.10.1993-30.09.1995: C. De Gendt  
1.10.1996-30.09.1998: A. Verbruggen  
1.10.1997-30.09.2001: A. Schuerwegh  
1.10.1997-31.12.2003: M. Hagendorens  
1.10.1999-30.09.2005: E. Dombrecht  
1.10.2006-30.09.2010: N. Aerts

Postdoctoral fellowship:  
Pinxteren Jef 1999-2003

### **Publications:**

+300 publications in peer reviewed scientific papers

+190 abstracts published in scientific papers

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