

# Cardiovascular Grand Rounds Maastricht 2024



Starts at 7.45 am  
Maastricht UMC+  
Meeting room A3-B3,  
Hospital level 3  
and via Zoom  
Registration not necessary

**5/4** Kate Herum, PhD  
Mechanical regulation of cardiac fibroblast phenotype  
and pro-fibrotic activity  
Novo Nordisk, Måløv, Denmark

**19/4** Jan-Willem Buikema, MD, PhD  
Embryonic Growth Factors in Heart Failure: Friend or Foe?  
Amsterdam University Medical Center,  
the Netherlands

**26/4** Stephan Chlopicki, MD, PhD  
Heterogenous mechanisms of endothelial dysfunction :  
A lesson from in vivo studies  
Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland

**3/5** Liz Jones, PhD  
Microvascular dysfunction and rarefaction in disease  
Catholic University Leuven, Belgium

**17/5** Rory Koenen, PhD  
Platelet-derived extracellular vesicles in inflammation and remodeling  
Maastricht University Medical Center+,  
the Netherlands

**7/6** David Kaye, MD, PhD  
Heart failure with preserved ejection fraction:  
From pathophysiology to therapy  
Alfred Health Hospital, Baker Heart and Diabetes  
Institute, Melbourne, Australia

**21/6** Matthijs Blanckesteijn, PhD  
Cardiac regeneration: from fiction to facts  
Maastricht University Medical Center+,  
the Netherlands

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