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Stellingen behorende bij het proefschrift
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1. Renal nerve stimulation can be used as an endpoint for the renal sympathetic denervation procedure. (dit proefschrift)
2. Physiological rise in left ventricular ejection fraction alone is by no means explanatory for the observed renal nerve stimulation induced blood pressure rise. (dit proefschrift)
3. Hypertensive patients with advanced vascular calcification do not have to be excluded from renal denervation therapy. (dit proefschrift)
4. In the future, renal sympathetic denervation has a place in the treatment of hypertension, and possibly in other cardiovascular diseases. (dit proefschrift)
5. Regarding renal sympathetic denervation and arrhythmia, there is strong experimental evidence supporting the rationale for the use of renal sympathetic denervation in controlling atrial arrhythmia. (dit proefschrift)
6. We need to think of chronic disease, such as hypertension, like the Covid-19 pandemic; there is a pandemic of chronic disease. (bewerkt van Patrick Soon-Shiong)
7. There are some things you can learn best in calm, and some in storm. (Willa Cather)
8. Success and suffering are vitally and organically linked: if you succeed without suffering, it is because someone suffered for you; if you suffer without succeeding it is in order that someone else may succeed after you. (Edward Judson)
9. Think of the family as a car where all the wheels are integrated and work together to move where it needs to go—no one wheel takes control, no one wheel bears all the weight. (Edith Eva Eger, the ballerina from Auschwitz)
10. Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as though you were working for the Lord and not for people. (Bible)