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Curriculum Vitae

Maaïke Meurs was born in 1985 in Feerwerd, the Netherlands. In 2003, she graduated from secondary school (Athenaeum) at the H.N. Werkman College in Groningen. Subsequently, she worked and traveled in Australia and New Zealand. From 2004-2007, she studied Life Science & Technology at the University of Groningen, where she specialized in Molecular Physiology and Pharmacology.

After receiving her Bachelor's degree she did volunteer work and travelled in South-East Asia and the United States. In 2008, she started a transitional year in Psychology at the University of Groningen, after which she graduated from the Master Psychology, specialization Brain and Behavior (cum laude, 2010). During this Master she wrote her major thesis at the department of Experimental Psychology in Groningen. She also did a clinical internship at Koninklijke Visio in Haren, where she performed neuropsychological diagnostics in children with a visual disability.

From 2010-2011 she worked at Cavari Clinics, where she learned to read ECG's. One of the main aims of this clinic is to prevent and detect early signs of disease by offering Health Checks to companies as well as to the private sector. Her major tasks were performing ergometry and holter ECG tests during health checks, as well as in a Cardiology outpatient department setting.

In 2011 she started to research depression in the context of somatic diseases, at the Interdisciplinary Center Psychopathology and Emotion regulation (ICPE, department of psychiatry, University Medical Center Groningen). She worked under supervision of Prof. dr. Peter de Jonge, Prof. dr. Judith Rosmalen, and dr. Annelieke Roest, first in the function of a junior scientist, and later as a PhD student.