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Stellingen behorende bij het proefschrift:

**Hemostatic changes and antithrombotic management in kidney transplantation.**

1. Prevention of renal graft thrombosis should be specifically addressed in kidney transplant guidelines. *This thesis*
2. The harm of renal graft thrombosis outweighs the harm of postoperative bleeding and thus perioperative anticoagulation. *This thesis*
3. Routine intraoperative administration of a bolus of 5000 international units of unfractionated heparin is a safe strategy for prevention of renal graft thrombosis. *This thesis*
4. Microvascular thrombosis is an underreported and potentially underestimated complication of kidney preservation. *This thesis*
5. Superior outcomes in transplantation of hypothermic machine perfused human kidneys, compared to those preserved with static cold storage, are in part caused by a prolonged flush and removal of microthrombotic obstructions. *This thesis*
6. In antithrombotic management, one size does not fit all. *This thesis*
7. *“Science knows no country, because knowledge belongs to humanity, and is the torch which illuminates the world.” – Louis Pasteur*
8. *“Sterven is gewoon heel slecht voor organen”*  
– Robert Pol (tijdens de ochtendoverdracht Chirurgie op 2 maart 2021)
9. *“In God we trust, all others must bring data.” - W. E. Deming*
10. Ervaring met het slachthuismodel voor nierpreservatie zou voldoende motivatie moeten geven om vegetariër te worden. Echter, voldoende vleesconsumptie is een voorwaarde voor de beschikbaarheid van slachthuisorganen.
11. Een enthousiaste onderzoeksgroep is belangrijker voor het succesvol volbrengen van een PhD-traject dan het onderwerp alleen.