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Bacterial Transmission

1. Mechanisms of transmission of a single layer of bacteria are different from the mechanisms of biofilm transmission (this thesis).
2. In the biofilm dogma, bacterial transmission cannot be put as a minor league.
3. EPS plays an important role in bacterial transmission (this thesis).
4. EPS-rich biofilms show the same structure after compression and transmission as before transmission (this thesis).
5. Nano-pillared structures reduce bacterial adhesion (this thesis).
6. Knowledge and awareness regarding biomaterial-related infection caused by bacterial transmission needs to be raised globally.
7. Lower infection rate does not mean that it is less harmful for patients.
8. “The pursuit of a PhD degree is an enduring, daring adventure”. (Lailah Gifty Akita)
9. “Build resilience in yourselves. When challenge strikes, you have the ability to go through anything”. (Sheryl Sandberg)
10. Being direct as Dutch people is far better than leaving words unsaid.
11. Bacteria cannot be controlled, they grow the way they want.
12. Celebrate, enjoy and feel gratitude for each moment in your life – even when it is a hard moment.