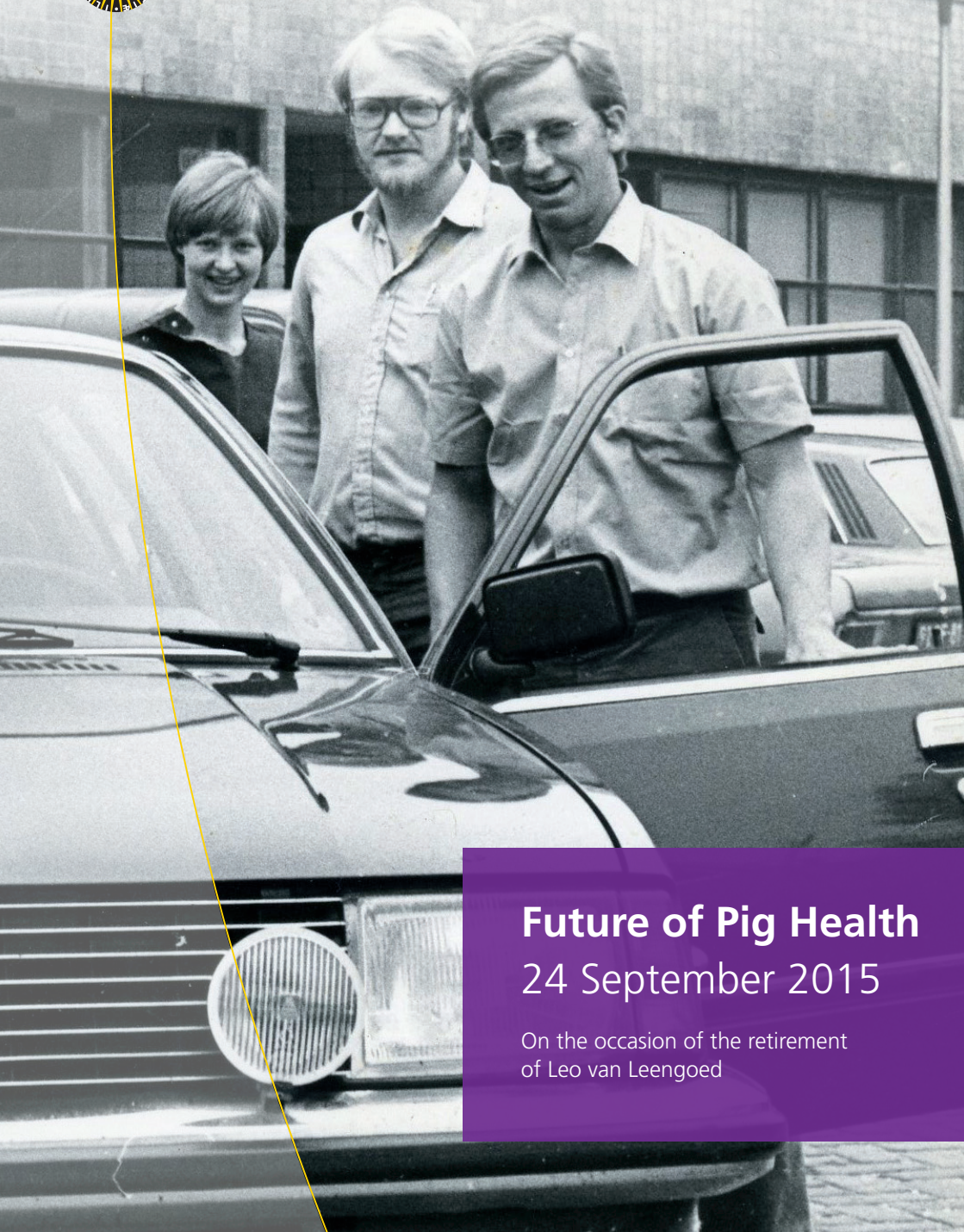




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# Future of Pig Health

## 24 September 2015

On the occasion of the retirement  
of Leo van Leengoed

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After a long and successful career at the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, it is with personal regret but with warm wishes that I announce the retirement of Dr. Leo van Leengoed.

Leo was first appointed as an Assistant Veterinarian at the Department of Farm Animal Health and the Ambulatory Clinic in 1977. In 1982, he moved to the Central Veterinary Institute in Lelystad before returning to the Department of Farm Animal Health in 1987 with a part-time position until 1996, when he adopted a full time schedule. Leo's ability to apply his extensive knowledge of pathophysiology to real-life situations is still unparalleled to this day. We are so fortunate to have had him amongst us during all his years of service. Many students, employees and veterinarians will long remember his curious and critical drive.

For the past few years, Leo has been very dynamic in training and supervising junior lecturers at the Department of Farm Animal Health. He has

shown great enthusiasm and passion in transmitting his expertise and knowledge, not only to his junior lecturers, but to students and fellow colleagues alike. In 2012, he was appointed as Professor of Porcine Health at the University of Pretoria, South Africa. He will continue to perform his duties there after his retirement.

To mark Dr. van Leengoed's departure, I cordially invite you to attend the symposium 'Future of Pig Health' on 24 September 2015, that will be held in his honour. The symposium will conclude with a reception.

Please sign up by sending an email to:  
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*Prof Arjan Stegeman, DVM*

## Programme

- 12.30 Doors open

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- 13.00 **Welcome address** *Prof Arjan Stegeman, DVM*

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- 13.15 **The "en-virome-nt" of the pig respiratory tract.**  
*Dr. Joaquim Segalés, DVM*

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- 13.45 **Helicobacter suis: a less well-known zoonotic pathogen associated with pigs.** *Prof Freddy Haesebrouck, DVM*

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- 14.15 **Environmental enrichment in early life influences susceptibility to PRRSV and co-infections.**  
*Dr. Norbert Stockhofe, DVM*

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- 14.35 **The impact of Leo on science.** *Dr. Arie van Nes, DVM*

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- 14.55 Break

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- 15.25 **Are you sure?** *Manon Houben, DVM*

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- 15.45 **Farewell lecture 'Future of Pig Health'.**  
*Dr. Leo van Leengoed, DVM*

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- 16.15 **Conclusion** *Prof Arjan Stegeman, DVM*

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- 16.30 **Reception until 19.00.**

### Date

Thursday, 24 September 2015

### Venue

Lecture hall Department of Equine Sciences, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Yalelaan 114, 3584 CM Utrecht, The Netherlands

### Registration

Sign up to attend the symposium via [secretariaat.landbouwhuisdieren@uu.nl](mailto:secretariaat.landbouwhuisdieren@uu.nl) before 1 September 2015.