



NIELS STENSEN CONFERENCE 2022

The Future of University Education

Thursday 1 September 2022

Culture and Congress Center Antropia, Driebergen

We cordially invite you to join us in a conversation about the future of university education. Experts will be sharing their perspectives and views and challenge our thinking. The conference will be chaired by professor Han van Krieken, Director of Magnificus, Radboud University and Chairman of Niels Stensen Fellowship.

For a long time, the educational model has remained unchanged. Recently, however, the way we educate and learn has been impacted by a range of developments. Technological advances have made large-scale online learning possible, the labour market and required skills has changed, society demands more equal opportunities and greater diversity, and a new dynamic is emerging between students and lecturers.

Keynote Speech

Transformation of University Education: a hypothesis about different speeds in learning

Aape Pohjavirta - Founder and President at Funzi, Finland.
Social good entrepreneur.
Transformative education and learning activist.

Video Message

The Future of University Education

Paul van Tongeren, Denker des Vaderlands

Panel Discussion: The Value of Teaching

Jos de Jonge, former Coordinator Rathenau Institute
Cor Zonneveld PhD, Biology Amsterdam University College
Prof. Sofia Ranchordas, Faculty of Law, University of Groningen (alumnus)

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| 09.30 | Walk-in |
| 10.00 | Opening |
| 10.30 | Video message |
| 10.40 | Check in |
| 11.10 | Keynote speech |
| 11.40 | Panel discussion |
| 12.30 | Lunch with poster sessions |
| 13.30 | Peer Learning (plenary) |
| 14.45 | Parallel Debates |
| 16.00 | Break |
| 16.15 | Parallel Debates |
| 17.15 | Check out |
| 17.45 | Closure with music |
| 18.00 | Drinks |
| 18.45 | 'Diner Pensant' |
| 20.30 | End |

Peer Learning Session

Laura Grassi, facilitator

Parallel Debates – first round

Lessons from COVID

Tessa Rombouts and Alex Crezee, Turner Consultancy

Blended Learning Solutions

Jan Nedermeijer, University Leiden, Education Consultant

Equality Opportunity

Merlijn Karssen, researcher at the Kohnstamm Institute of the University of Amsterdam

Parallel Debates – second round

Woke & Cancel Culture

Cor Zonneveld PhD, Biology Amsterdam University College

Critical Thinking

Ingrid d'Hooghe PhD, Clingendael Institute and Leiden Asia Centre

Diner Pensant

'De verengelsing van het academisch onderwijs' (in Dutch)

Maaïke van der Lugt, medieval history at UVSQ - Université Paris Saclay (alumnus)

You will receive more information about the program and the location two weeks before the conference. You will then be asked to select your Debates.

Sign up before 16 July or let us know if you are unable to attend.

Use the following [link](#) - we would like to receive your response!