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Interventional experience

- Diagnostic coronary angiograms: over 1200 cases (first operator).
- Right heart catheterizations: over 50 cases (first operator).
- Percutaneous coronary interventions: over 900 cases (first operator).
- Primary percutaneous coronary interventions: over 170 cases (first operator).
- Radial percutaneous coronary procedures: over 30 cases (first operator)
- Rotablation, intra-aortic balloon pump insertion, aortic valve dilatation, ASD/PFO closure, septal ablation for HOCM, pericardial puncture, heart biopsies: about 80 cases (first and second operator).
- Intra-myocardial stem cell injection and ventricular mapping: over 40 cases (second operator).
- Transcatheter aortic valve implantation; transfemoral and transapical: about 15 cases (second operator).

Scientific attendances and contributions

- Poster presentation at the American College of Cardiology conference, April, 2011- New Orleans- Louisiana.
- Two oral presentations at the Euro-PCR conference, May, 2011- Paris.
- Poster presentation at the European society of Cardiology conference, August, 2011- Paris.
- Leiden Cardiology Course 2010, 2011.
- Course on "Basic methods and reasoning in biostatistics", LUMC- December 14-18, 2009
- Advanced course in biostatistics "Regression analysis: statistical model building", LUMC- May 17-21, 2010.
- "Percutaneous transcatheter aortic valve implantation" training program on June 15-16, 2011.
- "Percutaneous Mitral Valve Repair: Multidisciplinary Team Training", on June 9-10, 2011.

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