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## Stellingen behorende bij het proefschrift

TAKING A CLOSER LOOK: NON-INVASIVE TOOLS FOR IN-DEPTH CHARACTERISATION OF VULVAR DISEASES

- The stagnation in vulvar cancer survival should be addressed by improving detection and treatment of premalignant vulvar diseases. (this thesis)
- 2 Clinician-based scoring alone does not reliably measure treatment effects in patients with premalignant vulvar disease. (this thesis)
- 3 We should focus on the functional processes driven by the vulvar microbiome composition rather than taxonomic identification alone. (this thesis)
- 4 The challenge to unravelling the cause of lichen sclerosus lies in combining highly complex, multi-omics datasets without losing relevance to the clinical practice. (this thesis)
- 5 Females should regard checking their vulva with equal normality and necessity as checking their breasts.
- 6 Every information technology carries an intellectual ethical challenge. (Adapted from The Shallows, Nicholas Carr)
- 7 Palliative care standards and research are rife with misplaced morality and denial of mortality. (inspired by Xenia Hospice)
- 8 Mind the (health gender) gap.
- 9 There's no silver bullet to cure climate change.
- 10 Every player on the field has a slightly different ability that makes them perfect for their position. (Adapted from Jennie Finch)
- 11 People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel. (Adapted from Maya Angelou)