



## Curriculum Vitae - Stefan Braam

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### Education

- PhD. **Medicine, stem cell research**, Leiden University 2010, *Cum laude*  
MSc. **Biomedical Sciences**, Utrecht University 2006, *Cum laude*

### Current & previous posts

- Chief Executive Officer, Chief Scientific Officer and board member– Ncardia group of companies (formerly known as Pluriomics) – daily responsibility for company strategy, technology development, intellectual property, financing and general management. *Ncardia is a worldwide top player implementing stem cell technology in the pharmaceutical industry (45-65 fte)* Aug 2015 -now
- Chief Scientific Officer and board member – Pluriomics – daily responsibility of managing R&D activities, Intellectual Property and research grants, active role in business strategy and development (0-10FTE) Nov. 2010 – July 2015  
*Pluriomics became operational in Feb 2012 founded by S. Braam and H. Spolders. The two managers raised venture capital investment in October 2014*
- Global Shaper Amsterdam hub, World Economic Forum – *Global Shapers generate a positive impact by catalyzing and enhancing, individually and collectively, fresh ideas and entrepreneurial solutions to the world's most pressing challenges. I was active in education and knowledge valorization projects.* Sept 2011 – Sept. 2015
- LUMC – scientist / project leader – co-author Pluriomics business and financial plan, secured pre-seed investments (>500k Eur), established key collaborations with industrial partners, project leader Pluriomics research projects June 2010 – March 2012
- LUMC, Department of Anatomy and Embryology, PhD student with Prof. Dr. C. L. Mummery and Dr. R. Passier April 2008 – May 2010
- Monash Immunology and Stem Cell laboratories, Melbourne, Australia visiting PhD student with Profs. Drs. A. Elefanty and E. Stanley April 2008 – Aug. 2008
- Hubrecht Institute, Developmental Biology and Stem Cell Research, Utrecht, PhD student with Prof. Dr. C. L. Mummery April 2006 – April 2008
- Nottingham University, institute Stem cell Research and Modeling (STEM). Internship supervised by Dr. C. Denning Sept. 2005 – April 2006
- Hubrecht Institute, Developmental Biology and Stem Cell Research. Internship supervised by Dr. L Tertoolen and Prof. Dr. C Mummery Sept. 2004- Sept. 2005
- VU Medical Centre, Cancer Centre Amsterdam, Division of Medical Oncology, Sections Gene Therapy and Pharmacology. Internship supervised by Drs. F.A.E. Kruijt and M. Abou-el-Hassan Sept. 2003- June 2004

### Awards and grants

- H2020 SME instrument grant (coordinator) July 2016
- Eureka-Eurostars – Heartchip (PI) Feb 2016
- Co-investigator Crack-it Impulse phase I and II (PI) Sept 2014/ Jan 2015
- Recipient Hugo van Poelgeest prize (alternatives animal experiments) June 2014
- EU FP7 Plurimes grant (PI and member of technical committee) May 2013

- Eureka-Eurostarts - CardioXpress grant (PI) June 2012
- NIRM grant, dutch ministry economic affairs (PI) July 2011
- Masterclass biobusiness (co-author winning Businessplan, BioTxs) May 2011
- STW phase I - Valorization grant (project-leader) June 2010
- NGI pre-seed grant (PI and project-leader) June 2010
- Recipient Bolk prize – Dutch society for Anatomy Jan. 2010
- Winner NGI venture challenge – Pluriomics Dec. 2009
- Heartrepair travel grant to Monash University, Melbourne Australia April 2008
- Wijck-Stam-Caspers award best research proposal – Utrecht University Jan. 2007
- Erasmus grant for internship University of Nottingham Sept. 2006

### Business Education

- Niaba Masterclass Biobusiness - Nyenrode business University Sept. 2010 - May 2011
- NGI Venture Challenge Sept. 2009 – Dec. 2009

### Patent Applications

- Inventor on the following patent families that protect key ncardia technologies products and services  
WO2016133392, WO2015187023, WO2017164746, WO2017039445, WO2014200339

### Scientific publications in peer reviewed Journals

- During my academic career I wrote as first author a number of highly cited, high impact articles in amongst others Nature methods, Cell stem cell, Nature protocols, Stem Cells and Stem cell research. Full overview can be found under the following link  
<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/?term=braam+sr>