Stellingen behorende bij het proefschrift

- 1. High resolution, multi-site epicardial mapping of the entire atria is a suitable technique for identification of electropathology in the individual patient. *This thesis*
- 2. Longitudinal conduction abnormalities in Bachmann's Bundle predispose to atrial fibrillation. *This thesis*
- 3. Sinus rhythm mapping has no predictive value for post-operative atrial fibrillation. *This thesis*
- 4. Diagnosis of atrial fibrillation needs to be individualized. This thesis
- 5. Progression of atrial fibrillation is characterized by transmural propagation of fibrillation waves in this thesis. *This thesis*
- Optimal therapy of cardiac arrhythmias requires close collaboration of both surgeons and cardiologists.
- 7. A clear observation does not need statistical support.
- 8. A single misplaced heartbeat can cause a complete chaos in the patient's heart and life.
- 9. Omdat de kans om 100 jaar te worden steeds toeneemt, wordt atriumfibrilleren een zeer actueel en groot probleem, aangezien ouderdom gepaard gaat met atriumfibrilleren.
- 10. It is much more important to know what sort of a patient has a disease than what sort a of a disease a patient has. *William Osler*
- 11. The important thing is not to stop questioning; curiosity has its own reason for existing.

 *Albert Einstein**