**Curriculum Vitae Prof. Dr. René van den Hoven 2025**

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***Summary***

René van den Hoven was born on 25 March 1952 in Nijmegen, a city in the east of the Netherlands. He studied veterinary medicine at the faculty of veterinary medicine (Faculteit Diergeneeskunde) qualified within the shortest possible time with honours in February 1977. Prior to qualifying, in 1976 he spent 6 months in Newmarket (UK) working at the Equine Research Station (Animal Health Trust), mainly for projects of Professor Leo Jeffcott and Dr. Peter Rossdale. After 2 years of large animal practice, he was offered a position at the clinic of large animal internal medicine in Utrecht. In the early 1980ies the clinic had an annual equine case load of about 1500 cases and about 1300 cattle. This attracted many foreign visitors and one of the first Turkish colleges, the later dean of Konya, Prof. Dr. Veysi Aslan was met there. After his PhD in 1988, he was hired by a Solvay Animal Health as researcher and in 2000 he was appointed Full time professor of Equine Medicine in Vienna. In April 2017 prof van den Hoven became emeritus professor of the Elmedin Vienna. René van den Hoven also had and still has functions in equestrian organisations (e.g. FEI) as judge, team veterinarian, doping controller and advisor. Next to being a diplomate of the European College of Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology (ECVPT) he is a diplomate and past president of the College of Equine Internal Medicine (ECEIM). René van den Hoven is still involved cooperation with a Erciyes Vet School and the Turkish Lockey Club and is an honorary doctor of Erciyes vet school. Rene van de Hoven was guest professor at the Ontario Veterinary hat school an Ontario Veterinary College (OVC) at the University of Guelph and at the Veterinary Faculty of the Near East University, Nicosia, Cyprus.

Rene van den Hoven is a peer reviewer of many important journals (e.g. EVJ) and has been or still is a reviewer and advisor for research founding organisations such as the German Research Foundation (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft), Ontario Veterinary Research Council, Kazakhstan National Centre of Science and Technology and the Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO) FWO.

René van den Hoven was external reviewer of PhD studies for the universities of Utrecht (NED), Brno (SLO), Cluj-Napoca (RUM), Gent (B) and Liège (B). Furthermore, he was external reviewer for candidates of professor chairs in Guelph (CAN), München (GERM), Giessen (GERM) and an internal reviewer or chairman of the many search and appointment committees of professors for the vetmeduni, Vienna. (AUT), München (Germ), Giessen (Germ), and the University of Edinburgh (UK). Since 2023 René van den Hoven is a member of the board of the water authority of the Rhine-Ijssel water Bassin and chairman of the advisory bord of the scientific office of the Dutch farmer’s party.