



## SUMMARY RESUME PROF.DR.F.JONGEJAN

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- Professor Frans Jongejan holds a PhD from Utrecht University, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine in veterinary parasitology.
  - He has extensive field experience through his assignments in animal disease control projects in several African countries as an animal health officer,
  - He is currently director of the Utrecht Centre for Tick-borne Diseases (UCTD) situated at the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Utrecht University in the Netherlands,
  - UCTD has recently been designated FAO Reference Centre for Ticks and Tick-borne Diseases by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO-UN),
  - He holds an extra-ordinary professorship at the Department of Veterinary Tropical Diseases, Faculty of Veterinary Science, University of Pretoria in South Africa,
  - His undergraduate teaching at both vet schools is focused on tropical animal health provided in elective M.Sc. courses, wherein both Dutch and South African students participate,
  - His area of specialization concerns ticks and tick-borne diseases with particular reference to tick transmission studies focusing on pathogens of companion animals, livestock and those affecting humans,
  - He is a consultant to the pharmaceutical industry and to the specialized agencies of the UN,
  - He has published 212 research papers on ticks and tick-borne diseases (PubMed, 2016).
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