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Amsterdam Cardiovascular Sciences

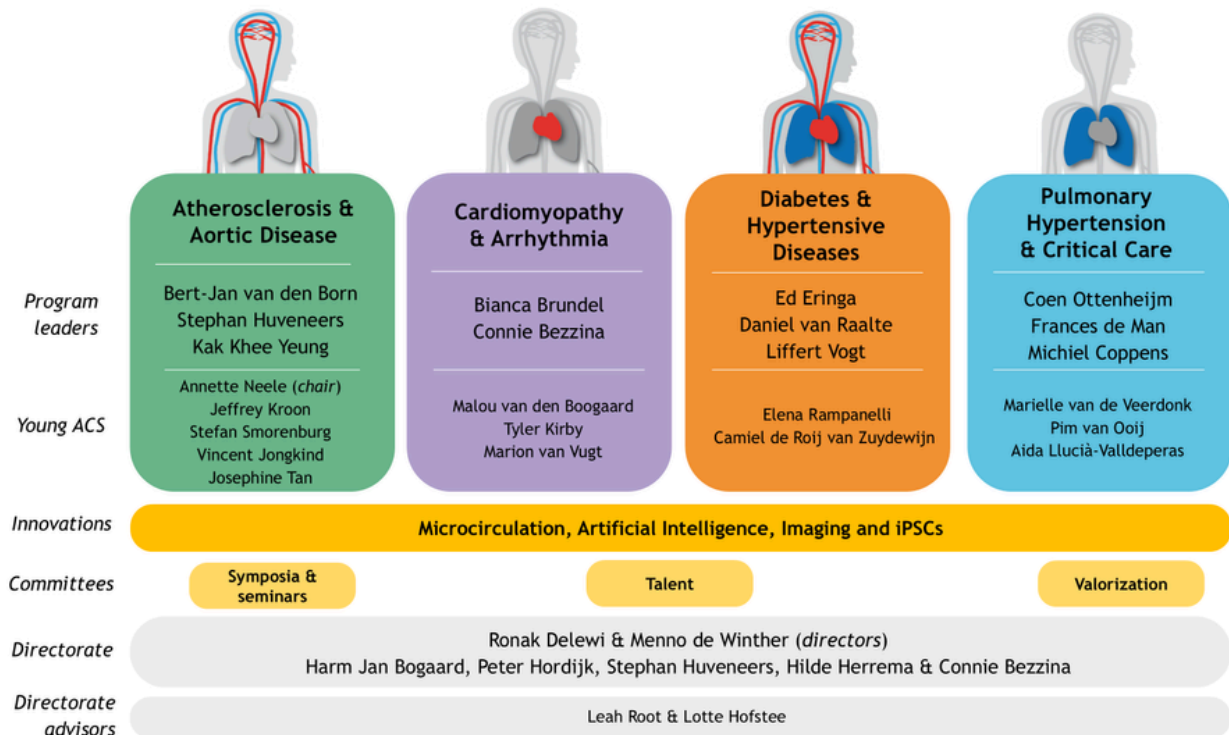


About ACS

The Amsterdam Cardiovascular Sciences (ACS) research institute of Amsterdam UMC is established in 2016 and works towards preventing and curing cardiovascular diseases. It interconnects excellence in clinical and basic research to provide a unique infrastructure for talented cardiovascular researchers. Over 1000 Amsterdam UMC researchers with wide variety of expertise in the field of cardiovascular sciences have been affiliated with ACS.

ACS RESEARCH PROGRAMS & TOPICS

Research within ACS is organized in four research programs. Each program is managed by two or three program leaders and has two or three members of Young ACS, the internal advisory board. There are four overarching innovations that connect the research from the programs. Several of the ACS activities are organized in the three committees.





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ACS EVENTS

Monthly ACS symposia

Every first Wednesday of the month, one of the four research programs or one of the innovations organize a symposium. Lunch is included.

Visit the [events page](#) for an overview of upcoming symposia.

Annual ACS symposium

Every year we organize the Annual ACS Symposium. The aim is to stimulate collaborations between the ACS research programs and to provide a forum to exchange your latest research results.

**Save the date:
10 December 2025**

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**Besides the departmental affiliation, all researchers must also be affiliated with at least one research institute and one research program. You can be affiliated with maximum two research institutes and maximum two research programs per research institute.*

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Affiliation address

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INFORMATION FOR PHD STUDENTS

PhD afternoon

Once a year we organize a special afternoon for all PhD candidates. It includes lunch and a discussion about an item chosen by your peers, such as how to make better figures, how to improve your statistics, how to make a good poster, etc.

ACS PhD Retreat

The ACS PhD Retreat is an annual event for all PhD candidates (starters and seniors). This two-day event will consist of inspiring keynote speakers, workshops and pitches from your peers, focusing on cardiovascular sciences, but also on inspiring stories beyond. The event is free of charge and includes hotel stay and food and drinks.

Interested in organizing one of these events?

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