

Short CV - Wim Ceelen



➤ PERSONAL INFORMATION

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➤ EDUCATION

- 1992: Doctor in Medicine (MD), with high honours (magna cum laude), Ghent University
- 1999: Postgraduate in specialist medicine (Master in Surgery), Ghent University
- 2007: PhD thesis: 'Neoadjuvant multimodal therapy in rectal cancer', Ghent University
- 2005: Postgraduate training in medical statistics (UGent)
- 2011: Postgraduate course in health care management (UGent)
- 2017: C1 English certificate (ITC UGent)
- 2024: Master of Science (MSc) in Biostatistics, Hasselt University

➤ CURRENT AND PREVIOUS POSITIONS

- 2000-present: Staff surgeon, Department of Gastrointestinal Surgery (Head: Prof P Pattyn), Ghent University Hospital
- 2010-present: Professor (10% ZAP, hoogleraar) in Surgical Oncology, Department of Human structure and Repair (GE38), Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Ghent University
- 2009-present: Senior Clinical Researcher, Fund for Scientific Research – Flanders (FWO) (Belgium)
- 2010-present: Director, Laboratory of Experimental Surgery (SurgX), Ghent University

➤ SCHOLARLY OUTPUT AND CITATIONS

- Citations: Google scholar: h index 63 (14123 citations).
- Peer reviewed publications (PubMed): 303
- Three edited books
- # completed doctoral theses as (co)supervisor: 11 (medical sciences); 3 (engineering); seven ongoing.

➤ INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- 2018-present: team leader Research, Department of Human structure and Repair (GE38)
- 2014-2018: Chair of the Department of Surgery (GE10), Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Ghent University
- 2014-2022: Faculty board member, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Ghent University
- 2010-2023: member of the Ethical Committee, Ghent University Hospital

➤ COMMISSIONS OF TRUST

- 2017-2019: member of FWO evaluation panel MED4 (cancer research)
- 2016-present: member of the scientific board of 'Kom op tegen Kanker' (Flemish Cancer League)
- 2017-present: member of the scientific board of 'Stichting tegen Kanker' – Foundation against Cancer
- 2013-present: member of the Paritary Committee for Surgery – RIZIV (National health insurance agency)
- 2023-current: board member of the European Cancer Organization (ECO)
- 2023-current: Secretary, European Society of Surgical Society

➤ RESEARCH COORDINATION

- International: member of EU COST action on pseudomyxoma research
- Coordinator of the TRANSCAN PerImmune project (<https://transcan.eu/output-results/funded-projects/perimmune.kl>)
- Partner of EU NanoTecMec 2024 project: 'TripleTreat Combating colorectal peritoneal metastases by a sustained release triple radio-immunotherapy'
- Chair of EU COST action CA24158 - Disparities In Surgical Specialization and Education in Cancer Training (DISSECT)
- PI and coordinator of Horizon Mission Cancer project IMPACT (aerosolized drug delivery for peritoneal metastases) – funded for 10,031,371.25 Euro (<https://www.eu-impact.org/>)