



**NVHG Najaarsvergadering
vrijdag 10 oktober 2008
Thema: Aging**

**AMC, collegezaal 5,
Amsterdam**

09.00 - 10.25 Ontvangst NVHG-leden; koffie / thee

10.25 - 10.30 Opening **Robert Hofstra** - *voorzitter NVHG - UMCG , Groningen*

Human Aging and Genetics

10.30-11.00 **Rudi Westendorp** – LUMC
Choose your parents well

11.00-11.30 **André Uitterlinden**
Association Studies: Genome-Wide and Globe-Wide

11.30-12.05 **Annachiara De Sandre-Giovannoli** - Marseille, France
Progeria and related premature aging disorders: from gene identification to the first therapeutic approaches

12.05 -12.40 **John Hardy** – London UK
Gene expression in neurodegeneration

12.40-12.55 NVHG ledenvergadering

12.55-13.10 VKGL ledenvergadering

12.40 -14.00 Lunch

14.00-14.35 **Tom Vulliamy** – London UK
Defective telomere maintenance as a cause of bone marrow failure and premature aging

Model systems for Aging

14.35-15.05 **Ellen Nollen** – UMCG
C. elegans models of aging-associated neurological disorders

15.05-15.40 **Jan van Deursen** – Rochester USA
Mitotic checkpoint failure and aging

15.40-16.10 **Tea break**

Mechanisms of Aging

16.10–16.45 **Mario Fraga** – Madrid, Spain
Epigenetics and aging

16.45-17.20 **Jan Hoeijmakers** – Erasmus MC
The impact of DNA damage on aging, cancer and longevity

17.20 drinks