behorende bij het proefschrift "The (Pro)renin Receptor: Moving away from Prorenin"

- 1. (Pro)renin-(P)RR interaction is unlikely to occur in non-(pro)renin synthesizing tissues (this thesis).
- 2. The putative peptidic (P)RR blocker Handle Region Peptide is an agonist of the (P)RR (this thesis).
- 3. The (P)RR regulates Vacuolar H+-ATPase (this thesis).
- 4. The urine/plasma renin concentration ratio reflects the renal efficacy of RAAS blockade (this thesis).
- 5. Aliskiren tissue accumulation is independent of renin (this thesis).
- 6. The (P)RR is not a RAAS component (Cruciat et al., Science 2010).
- 7. Vaccines against RAAS components will offer better control for hypertension (Do et al., Expert Opin Biol Ther 2010).
- 8. Hypertension is an autoimmune disease (Stumpf *et al.*, *Hypertens Res* 2011)
- 9. Obesity is not a disease (David L. Katz, Director Yale University's Prevention Research Center).
- 10. Activation of the intrarenal RAAS does not contribute to the consequences of angiotensin II infusion in mice (Gonzalez-Villalobos et al., J Clin Invest 2013; Lu et al., NDT 2013).
- 11. Genetic engineering will allow us to generate the perfect human being, but perfection is death.