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Prof. Henk Stam MD, PhD, FRCP (1953) was Head and Chair of the Department of Rehabilitation Medicine since 1994 until September 2018 at Erasmus University Medical Center in Rotterdam, the Netherlands.

He is past president of the European Federation of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation and founder and past president of the European Society of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine.

Henk Stam has an interest in objective long-term measurement of activities, posture and movement, physiology of exercise and inactivity, spasticity and shockwave medicine.

In 2012 he was editor in chief of the book "Acute Medical Rehabilitation", Volume I (also in Chinese and Rumanian translation).

In 2013 he received the Sidney Licht Lectureship Award of International Society of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine.

Since 2016 he is Editor in Chief of the Journal of Rehabilitation Medicine, the official journal of the International Society of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine.

In 2017 he was co-founder of Journal of Rehabilitation Medicine -Clinical Communications, a journal that publishes papers with specific interest for clinicians instead of researchers.

In 2018 he published an educational book "Dilemmas in Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine". He is (co) author of more than 300 research papers in peer reviewed journals and he supervised 45 PhD projects.

Since September 2018 he is President of the European Academy of Rehabilitation Medicine His current position at Erasmus University is Professor in Rehabilitation Medicine with special focus on diagnosis and treatment of spasticity.