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**“UNIVERSAL VERSUS TARGETED
INFLUENZA VACCINATION
STRATEGY” & “THE COVID-19
VACCINATION SAGA IN CANADA”
- PROFESSOR DR. PHILIPPE DE WALS**

WHEN:

Thursday November 17 2022
15u30 - 17u30

PROGRAM:

15u30 - 16u30: lecture
16u30 - 17u30: network drink

WHERE:

Campus UZ Gent, entry 32
Auditorium E

In this lecture Professor De Wals will discuss the pros and cons of the universal versus target influenza vaccine strategy including:

- cost-effectiveness analyses
- the potential risk of repeated influenza vaccination
- the role of new generation vaccines
- the possibility of protection against cardiovascular diseases.

In the second part he will share his experiences with the COVID-19 vaccination strategy in Canada, e.g. how they were able to implement off-label use of mRNA vaccines in December 2020 which saved thousands of lives.

Accreditation for 'Ethics and Economy' has been requested.

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Philippe De Wals (MD PhD) is associated professor at Sherbrooke and Laval University (Canada) and emeritus professor at the Louvain Catholic University. He is a member of research centers at the Quebec University Hospital, the Sherbrooke University Hospital and the Quebec Heart and Lung University Institute. He also serves as medical advisor to the Quebec National Institute of Public Health.

Professor De Wals' research is centered on the epidemiology of infectious diseases and the assessment of health services and public health programs and policies. In 2020 he was the awardee of the Collen-Francqui International Professorship at Antwerp University.

