

Symposium in Honour of Retirement of professor Gerrit Timmer

Is Data Science the new Operations Research ?

31st January 2019
Auditorium of Tinbergen Institute
Gustav Mahlerplein 117
1082 MS Amsterdam

14:00h-14:30:

Welcome & Coffee

14:30h-15:30h:

Opening

Vincent Warmerdam (GoDataDriven): **Data or Science**

André Merkus (CEO and Co-Founder Objective Partner, Alumnus): **Global Optimization: a *Personal Approach***

Henk Tijms (emeritus, VU Amsterdam): **Terugblik**

15:30h-16:00h

Coffee

16:00h-17:00h

Hein Fleuren (Tilburg University): **Would World-Food-Programme-beneficiaries care whether it is Data Science or Operations Research?**

Marc Salomon (UvA): Panel discussion **Econometrics, Operations Research and Informatics at Dutch universities and abroad: synergy of allergy ?**

The panel members will be:

Jan Karel Lenstra (former director CWI)

Max Welling (UVA, entrepreneur)

Michael van Duijn (CEO ORTEC)

Closing

17:30h-18:30h

Drinks and Snacks

Please help us in making the symposium success: if you will attend the symposium then please send an email to Hedda Werkman (secretary of department of Econometrics and Operations Research at the VU, email Hedda.Werkman@vu.nl) and let us know.