Stellingen behorende bij het proefschrift:

3D Workflows in Orthodontics, Maxillofacial Surgery and Prosthodontics

- 1 3D facial scanners can be used for measuring the volumetric change in soft tissue contour (this thesis).
- 2 Treatment of obliterated front teeth can be highly simplified using a directional guide, meanwhile reducing total costs of the procedure (this thesis).
- Within the next decade, the conventional workflow for maxillofacial prostheses will be changed to full 3D.
- 4 The workflow for implant-based rehabilitation of cranial defects can be greatly improved by applying mathematical algorithms for reconstructing the surface of the defect (this thesis).
- 5 Manufacturing removable orthodontic appliances with the aid of 3D printers and wire bending robots has become within reach, thereby reducing manual labour to a minimum and thus reducing costs (this thesis).
- 6 It is envisioned that complementing technology will take over most of the diagnostic and manual skills of the dental profession which will change the role of the dentist to a monitor and supervisor of dental health. The role of the dental technician will change into one of a planner and engineer for the actual dental treatment (this thesis).
- If we project Moore's law on the development of digital dentistry the dentist that graduates today will be out of a job in about twenty years.
- 8 Statisticians are like the witches of Macbeth: they can lie the truth.
- Life-long learning is like life-long jogging: you die healthier.
- 10 This PhD thesis is outdated by the time it is printed.
- 11 A technology PhD thesis should only be available as a download.