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Jaap W. Groothoff is a Professor Emeritus in Pediatric Nephrology at the Emma Children's Hospital/University of Amsterdam, having served as a Pediatric Nephrologist from 1994 to 2024. With a PhD focused on long-term outcomes of renal insufficiency in children (LERIC), Dr. Groothoff has been a leading researcher in hyperoxaluria, currently working on a project from 2023 to 2027. Key positions include President of the Dutch Society of Paediatric Nephrology (2000-2015), Chair of the European Society Paediatric Nephrology Registry (2014-2018), and Chair of the European Consortium Hyperoxaluria (Oxaleurope) from 2017 to 2023.

With over 200 peer-reviewed publications, Dr. Groothoff is an expert in chronic renal failure and primary hyperoxaluria in children. Additionally, he has chaired several committees and consortia, including the 53rd Annual ESPN Meeting in 2021, and led the Master's Program at the University of Amsterdam's Medical School (2009-2013). Beyond academia, Dr. Groothoff is actively involved in several professional groups, including the CKD-MBD working group ESPN, and holds memberships in Erknet, the ERA-EDTA Registry, and the Dutch Ministry of Health's Board for Foreign Physicians.