

Erasmus Autograph wall on Woudestein campus

The Erasmus autograph wall is a work of art presented by the Erasmus Alumni Society (EAV) on the occasion of the university's 85th anniversary in 1998. The artist, Ms Annemoon Geurts, applied a screenprint showing 140 different portraits of random Rotterdam citizens wearing Erasmus' famous cap. This cap was chosen as symbol of wisdom gained upon graduation. Colored sections represent the colors of the seven faculties that made up the university in 1998.

The graduation ceremony can be made particularly memorable when the graduate places his or her signature on the "jubilation wall". On the autograph wall are some thousands of alumni signatures. By placing a signature on the wall the graduate symbolically take leave of the Alma Mater and yet remain linked forever. The autograph wall is located in A-building near the Examination Rooms, Auditorium and Senate Room.

Erasmus Autograph wall on Hoboken campus (Erasmus MC)

The Erasmus MC receives its own autograph wall in 2008. A jubilation panel will also be created.

The autograph wall will be placed at a noticeable place in the medical faculty, right near the entrance of the faculty building. Once the Erasmus MC's new Education Centre has been completed, the monument will move to the centre court of the building.

The Erasmus autograph monument consists of independent units of six glass panels each, on a steel foot plate. This unique piece of art has been designed by Annemoon Geurts, who also designed the Woudestein monument. The new design has been largely kept identical to the original autograph wall. The monument will be revealed on 3 October 2008, bearing 450 initial signatures.

Autograph search

To find your signature on the wall please look at the website for the files with autograph coordinates.

Signature Registration form

If you want your signature to be placed on one of the Erasmus Autograph walls please download the respective file from the EAV website and send the form to the secretariat of the Erasmus Alumni Society.

Contact

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