



Name, age & hobby's - David van Bodegom (41) (calendar age)

- Loves to play with his children, Lucca (7) and Boris (5)
- Read and write books
- Go on nature hikes

In which institute/organization are you working?

Leyden Academy on Vitality and Ageing
VOILA – RL6

What's your role in VOILA? What would be the best outcome for you?

Together with Frans van de Ouderaa I am the workpackage leader for Research line 6: Communication, dissemination and implementation.

We will ensure that all the great work and discoveries of the DuSRA-VOILA consortium find their way to the general public and to stakeholders. Next to general communication, we will use microlearnings that translate research findings in small 'nuggets'; infographics, video's, etc, that can be shared and evaluated through social media.

To ensure translation of findings to new (research)projects, products and services we will organize SPARK workshops, in which societal and business stakeholders will join hands with DuSRA-VOILA to increase our impact.

The best outcome would be if after 5 years we have not only answered our research questions, but also have proven that we can work together as ageing researchers to make an impact on ageing in the Netherlands and continue to do so in several new spin off projects.

Mention your Pension. What will you be doing?

I hope to live on the countryside, on a farm, with children and grandchildren close. Here, I work in the vegetable garden in the morning, and read and write in the afternoon sun.