

2. Johanna Westerdijk Room (Westerdijkkamer)

History

Johanna Westerdijk (1883–1961) was the first female professor in the Netherlands. On 10 February 1917, she was named professor by special appointment at Utrecht University. In 1930, she was also named professor by special appointment at the University of Amsterdam. Westerdijk was a professor of plant diseases (phytopathology). Ever since her first appointment as professor in 1917, she worked to improve the situation of female students. On 10 February 2017, it was exactly 100 years since the first female professor Johanna Westerdijk gave her inaugural speech; this anniversary was celebrated by various organisations.



Hall/room capacity

Reception (standard) 60 persons

Other configurations possible in consultation.

Hire rates

	1 day section	2 day sections	3 day sections
Johanna	€ 345	€ 690	€ 1,035
Westerdijk Room			

The room hire is VAT-exempt.

Room hire includes a mobile LCD screen with a desktop (on request) and Wi-Fi.

A sound installation can be hired for 80 euros per booking.

At weekends, additional charges may apply, such as for security, cleaning and the emergency response service.