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### **Position statement**

In January 2022 The Executive Board of the University of Amsterdam (UvA) has received the final report of the research review of Communication Science of the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences. The review was carried out in January 2021 by an international peer review committee, using the Standard Evaluation Protocol 2021-2027. The evaluation was carried out together with the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam.

With this statement, the Executive Board wishes to express its gratitude to the peer review committee, chaired by Professor Jan Van den Bulck PhD, for carrying out the evaluation. The Executive Board is very pleased to see that the research quality and impact are very high at the Amsterdam School of Communication Research, and is content with the viability of the school and the tremendous efforts around the societal relevance of its research.

The Executive Board supports the faculty in using the recommendations of the evaluation report to further enhance the performance of the department, including more time and space for PhD candidates to learn additional statistical approaches and methodologic skills, the promotion of junior staff, diversity and ICT support.

Yours sincerely,  
The Executive Board

Prof. Geert T.M. ten Dam  
President