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Ms. Jose Drabwell

Ms. Drabwell, a board member since 2008, has played a pivotal role in IPOPI's growth. She served as President from 2008 to 2018 and continues her contributions as a board member. Jose's efforts have raised global awareness about primary immunodeficiencies (PIDs), advocating for optimal treatment and collaborating with stakeholders worldwide. Her initiatives led to the "Principles of Care" publication, shaping PID forums in the EU parliament. Under her guidance, the Bob le Bien Asian Development program launched multiple national member organizations in Asia.

Jose's personal experience with CVID motivated her to expedite accurate diagnoses and prevent organ damage for others. In April 2018, she was appointed Officer of the Order of Orange-Nassau in the Netherlands for her remarkable contributions. This prestigious award recognized her exceptional dedication to the PID community. She expressed her joy and hope that her work inspires patients to engage actively in their health. The Mayor of Rotterdam, Ahmed Aboutaleb, presented the award, acknowledging Jose's selfless commitment to benefiting patients worldwide.