



Europass Curriculum Vitae

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Nationality Dutch

Date of birth 08 July 1957

Gender Male

Desired employment / Occupational field

Consultant European and International Affairs

Work experience

Dates	01 July 2003 →
Occupation or position held	General manager
Main activities and responsibilities	Stimulating and managing (international) networks between local and regional authorities Stimulating and managing cross border cooperation European funding (ERDF, INTERREG, URBACT, CIP, LIFE, 7th R&D Framework Prog. etc.) Managing the organisation, Consultancy and lobby at a national and international level Assisting Companies and Governmental institutions
Name and address of employer	H&G Group BV Pilmus 5, 5864CC Meerlo (The Netherlands)
Type of business or sector	Consultancy
Dates	15 August 1993 - 01 July 2003
Occupation or position held	Manager International Affairs
Main activities and responsibilities	External Affairs and lobby Stimulating and managing (international) networks between local and regional authorities Stimulating and managing cross border cooperation European funding Committee of the Regions The Congress of Local and Regional Authorities (Council of Europe) The Council of European Municipalities and Regions Assembly of European Regions EU-funding Cooperation with NL cities and companies Cooperation with EU-regions and -cities
Name and address of employer	Province of Gelderland Markt 11, 6800GX Arnhem (The Netherlands)
Type of business or sector	Regional Government
Dates	01 May 1989 - 15 August 1993
Occupation or position held	Managing Director

Main activities and responsibilities	Management, Consultancy, Lobby, stimulating EU-funding, organizing workshops for cities and companies, cooperation with European Commission, EU-regions and cities
Name and address of employer	Euro Info Centers Gelderland & Overijssel Kronenburgsingel 525 , 6831GM Arnhem (The Netherlands)
Type of business or sector	EU-Consultancy
Dates	01 January 1986 - 01 May 1989
Occupation or position held	Advisor
Main activities and responsibilities	Assisting students with their curriculum Organizing Training and Education
Name and address of employer	Radboud Universiteit Nijmegen Comeniuslaan 4 , 6525 HP Nijmegen (The Netherlands)
Type of business or sector	Professional, Scientific And Technical Activities
Dates	14 October 1979 - 14 July 1980
Occupation or position held	Military Advisor
Main activities and responsibilities	Advisor to the UNIFIL Forces in Lebanon
Name and address of employer	Ministry of Defense Plein 4, 2511 CR Den Haag (The Netherlands)
Type of business or sector	Military
Education and training	
Dates	01 October 1989 - 15 July 1993
Title of qualification awarded	Specialist EU-funding
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Managing the EU-subsidizing schemes, the EU-databases, building International Networks
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	European Commission, DG XXIII (European Union) Rue de la Loi 200, 1040 Brussels (Belgium)
Dates	01 September 1980 - 01 September 1989
Title of qualification awarded	Doctorandus Philosophy
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Philosophy of Science, Logic, Artificial Intelligence
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Radboud Universiteit Nijmegen (University) Comeniuslaan 4 , 6525 HP Nijmegen (The Netherlands)
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 6
Dates	01/09/1975 - 01/09/1979
Title of qualification awarded	Bachelor of Science
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Librarian Scientific Libraries
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Bibliotheek Academie (Technical College) Robert Fruinstraat 31, 5046 DS Tilburg (The Netherlands)
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5
Dates	01 September 1969 - 01 September 1975
Title of qualification awarded	Highschool Graduate
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Highschool graduate in the Dutch and English language, Mathematics, Physics, Biology and Chemistry
Name and type of organisation	St. Odulphus Lyceum (Highschool)

providing education and training Noordhoekring 99, 5038GC Tilburg (The Netherlands)
 Level in national or international classification ISCED 4

Dates 01 September 1963 - 01 September 1969

Title of qualification awarded Primary school

Principal subjects / occupational skills covered Basic training

Name and type of organisation providing education and training Basis school Theresiastraat (Primary school)
 Theresiastraat 23, 5041 BH Tilburg (Tilburg)

Level in national or international classification ISCED 1

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **Dutch**

Other language(s)

Self-assessment
 European level (*)

English

German

French

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user
C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user
B1	Independent user	A1	Basic User	A1	Basic User	A1	Basic User	A1	Basic User

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference \(CEF\) level](#)

Social skills and competences Team builder: stimulates other people to cooperate together; Networker; Good ability to adapt to multicultural environments; intermediary; problem solver; peoples person

Organisational skills and competences Very experienced in team management, organisation / project management and re-organisations management, planning and control of (European) projects

Technical skills and competences Planning and control processes, Subsidizing schemes and the implementations of these schemes in organisations, Project development, coordination

Computer skills and competences Very good command of all the Microsoft Office programs, Adobe programmes etc. etc. Very good command of many operating systems and languages (Windows, Linux, PHP, SQL, Unix, C++). Etc.
 Mr. Van Diessen has worked with computers for over 25 years now.

Artistic skills and competences Designing Websites, Painting, Writing.
 Writing computer applications.

Other skills and competences Breeding deer and chickens.
 Building computer systems
 Coaching people

Driving licence(s) BE

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