

CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal data

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Education

1974 - 1980 Gymnasium B (Grammar School), St. Bonifatiuscollege, Utrecht.
1980 - 1988 MA (doctoraal) History (six years' program), Universiteit Utrecht, Faculty of Humanities, specialization: Medieval History.
1983 - 1989 MSc (doctoraal) Cultural Anthropology (four years' program), Universiteit Utrecht, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, specialization: Ideological Systems.
1995 PhD, Universiteit Leiden, title thesis:
De Draaiende Put - Een studie naar de relatie tussen het Sunjata-epos en de samenleving in de Haut-Niger (Mali). Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Peter L. Geschiere, Prof. Dr. Jarich G. Oosten and Prof. Dr. Walter E.A. van Beek.

Research appointments

1991 - 1995 Junior researcher (OiO) at the Research School CNWS, Universiteit Leiden (four year contract).
1996 - 1998 Postdoc researcher at the Institute of Cultural Anthropology and Development Sociology, Universiteit Leiden (two year contract).
1999 - 2004 Research Fellow of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences KNAW (five year contract) (office at Universiteit Leiden).
2004 - present Lecturer at the Institute of Cultural Anthropology and Development Sociology, Universiteit Leiden.

Administrative appointments (selection)

2016 - 2021 Director of Studies at the Institute of Cultural Anthropology and Development Sociology, Universiteit Leiden.

Other relevant experience (selection)

- 2000 - present: (founding) editor *African Sources for African History* (published by Brill, Leiden/Boston).
- 2003 - present: (founding) editor *Mande Worlds* (published by Lit Verlag, Münster).
- 2010 - 2020: editor/managing editor *History in Africa – A Journal of Debates, Methods, and Source Analysis* (published by Cambridge University Press).
- secretary of the Netherlands Association of Anthropologists (ABv) (2003-2010).
- 1995 and 2002: organizer (together with Rogier Bedaux) of the Third (1995) and Fifth (2002) International Conference of Mande Studies.
- 1997 - 2003: editor-in-chief *Bibliotheca Africana* (published by Elmar, Rijswijk).