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{ EDUCATION

- 2003-2007 MA, Art History & Archeology, Sorbonne Paris IV
- 2002 NY Film Academy Los Angeles, Director's Course
- 1994-1996 Photo Academy Amsterdam
- 1988-1992 Law, University of Amsterdam

{ AWARDS

- 2013 Laureate EuroDutchman of the Year awarded by the European Mouvement
- 2012 Laureate of the Prix de l'initiative européenne for best coverage of European Affairs

{ LANGUAGES

- French, English & Dutch: fluent (C2)
- Spanish & German: colloquial (B1)
- Italian: basics (A2)
- Japanese: beginner (JLPT N5) (A1)

{ MISCELLANEOUS

- ▶ Founding Board Member European Citizens Initiative Let me vote
- ▶ Board Member Europresse
- ▶ Board Member Association des journalistes européens
- ▶ Jury Member Prix Louise Weiss

{ BITS AND BYTES

- DTP since 1988; internet since 1991; digital video editing since 1998.
- MS Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint)
- Image: Adobe Photoshop; Illustrator; Lightroom
- Web: Dreamweaver; HTML; Coda; CSS; CMS; Wordpress
- AV: Adobe Première; After Effects; Final Cut Pro; Apple Motion; DaVinci Resolve; Adobe Audition
- DTP: Adobe InDesign; Adobe Acrobat

{ PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

MEDIA

- since 2004 Journalist, Paris covering French current affairs and French and European politics
 - ▶ correspondent for RTL Netherlands, VRT Belgium and BBC Radio (UK)
 - ▶ since 2015: Co-host of current affairs podcast 'So French!'
 - ▶ 2015-2017: 'The European Eye' in Avenue de l'Europe, France 3
 - ▶ 2014: Co-host 'Tous Politiques' on FranceInter
 - ▶ since 2006: Political analyst/commentator for several French media, i.a. France 24, ARTE, France 3, iTélé, La Croix, Radio France, Europe 1
 - ▶ 2010-2012: creator/presenter of the weekly radio show BNR Europa, live from Brussels and Strasbourg
 - ▶ 2005-2012: Correspondent for BNR Nieuwsradio

INTERNET & COMMUNICATION

- 2000-2002 Director Design & Ergonomy, 'Prisma Presse Interactive', Paris
 - ▶ creation of 16 web sites i.a. capital.fr, femmeactuelle.fr, vsd.fr, caminteresse.fr
- 1999-2000 Strategy Director Web 'Reflex Multimédia', Paris
 - ▶ Strategy and web concepts
- 1998-1999 Creative Director and Partner 'The Building', Amsterdam
 - ▶ Creation of Filmview.com, the world's first broadband video website
- 1996-1998 Copy Director, 'ARVH', advertising agency, Amsterdam

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- 11/2016 'Het Blauwe Boekje' ('The Blue Book') Guide on manners, food and fashion, 416 pages. Amsterdam: Bluebeard. Bestseller in The Netherlands and Belgium (75,000 copies sold)
- 04/2016 'De race naar het noorden' ('The Race to the North')
 - ▶ Reports on the Refugee Crisis. Contributing editor. Amsterdam: Balans
- 02/2014 'Parijs op Zak' ('Paris in the pocket')
 - ▶ Travel Guide for Insiders, 640 pages. Amsterdam: Dwarsligger.
- 10/2011 'Onder mijn zolen!' ('Under my soles!')
 - ▶ On the Arab Spring, 256 pages. Amsterdam: Bluebeard.
- 10/2010 'Bye Bye Babyboomers'
 - ▶ Contributing editor. Amsterdam: Business Contact.
- 03/2009 'De Francyclopedie' ('The Francyclopedia')
 - ▶ An abc of all things French, 224 pages. Amsterdam: Bluebeard.
- 11/2006 'Het Blauwe Boekje Kledingvoorschriften'
 - ▶ On dress codes and fashion history, 196 pages. Amsterdam: Bluebeard.