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JOURNALIST/CONTENT CREATOR

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{ EDUCATION

- 2003-2007 MA, Art History & Archeology, Sorbonne Paris IV
- 2003-2006 BA, 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

{ PRIZES

- 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
 Spanish & German: near-fluent
 Italian: basics; Arabic: beginner

{ MISCELLANEOUS

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

{ INTERESTS

art; travel; gastronomy; photography; music; literature; swimming; skiing.

{ BITS AND BYTES

DTP since 1988; internet since 1992; digital video editing since 1998.
 MS Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint)
 Image: Adobe Photoshop; Illustrator; Lightroom
 Web: Dreamweaver; HTML; Coda; CSS; CMS; Wordpress
 Video: Adobe Première; After Effects; Final Cut Pro; DVD Studio Pro; Apple Motion; DaVinci Resolve
 DTP: QuarkXpress; Adobe InDesign; PDF

{ PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

MEDIA

- since 2004 Independent journalist, Paris
 - ▶ correspondent for RTL Netherlands, VRT (Belgian Public RTV) and BBC Radio (UK)
 - ▶ 2014: Co-host of the show 'Tous Politiques' on France Inter
 - ▶ since 2006: Political analyst/commentator on several French TV and radiostations, i.a. France 24, ARTE, France 3, iTélé, La Croix, France Inter, 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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- 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 'Het Blauwe Boekje' ('The Blue Book')
 - ▶ Guide on manners, food and fashion, 380 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.