



## Europass Curriculum Vitae

### Personal information

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Nationality Dutch

Date of birth 15.05.1954

Gender male

### Desired employment / Occupational field

#### Work experience

Dates	01-01-2002 to 30-06-2019
Occupation or position held	Senior Associate European Patent Attorney
Main activities and responsibilities	Drafting and prosecuting patent applications in the field of biotechnology. Counselling on IP matters.
Name and address of employer	V.O., Carnegielaan 5, 2508 DH, The Hague, The Netherlands
Type of business or sector	Legal services
Dates	November 2001 onwards
Occupation or position held	Deputy justice
Main activities and responsibilities	Participating in the panel of judges in civil appeal cases, especially IP cases. Writing appeal decisions.
Name and address of employer	Appeal Court (Gerechtshof), Prins Clauslaan 60, 2595 AJ, The Hague, The Netherlands
Type of business or sector	Court
Dates	May 1995 – December 2001
Occupation or position held	Patent attorney and Company counsel
Main activities and responsibilities	Head of the IP function
Name and address of employer	MOGEN International NV (later Zeneca MOGEN B.V. and Syngenta MOGEN B.V.), Einsteinweg 97, Leiden, The Netherlands (not existing anymore)
Type of business or sector	Life Sciences (Plant biotechnology)
Dates	January 1990 – May 1995
Occupation or position held	Patent attorney and patent attorney trainee
Main activities and responsibilities	Drafting and prosecuting patent applications
Name and address of employer	Akzo Pharma N.V., Molenweg, Oss, The Netherlands (not existing anymore)
Type of business or sector	Life Sciences (Pharmaceuticals)

Dates September 1988 – December 1989  
Occupation or position held Patent information specialist  
Main activities and responsibilities Patent and literature searching  
Name and address of employer N.V. Organon, Molenweg, Oss, The Netherlands (later MSD, not existing anymore)  
Type of business or sector Life Sciences (Pharmaceuticals)

Dates September 1975 – August 1988  
Occupation or position held Research technician  
Main activities and responsibilities Performing animal experiments  
Name and address of employer N.V. Organon, Molenweg, Oss, The Netherlands (later MSD, not existing anymore)  
Type of business or sector Life Sciences (Pharmaceuticals)

## Education and training

Dates 1997  
Title of qualification awarded Company counsel  
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Drafting, interpretation and legal aspects of agreements, international law, liability law, IP law,, etc., all focused on in-house counsel activities  
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Stichting Beroepsopleiding Bedrijfsjuristen, Centrum voor Postdoctoraal Onderwijs (CPO), Nijmegen, The Netherlands  
Level in national or international classification ISCED 5B

Dates 1990-1994  
Title of qualification awarded European Patent Attorney  
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Theoretical and practical knowledge to represent clients before the European Patent Office  
Level in national or international classification ISCED 5B

Dates 1990-1994  
Title of qualification awarded Dutch Patent Attorney  
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Theoretical and practical knowledge to represent clients before the Dutch Patent Office  
Level in national or international classification ISCED 5B

Dates September 1988 to 28 May 1993  
Title of qualification awarded Meester in de rechten (LL.M.)  
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered General education in Dutch and European civil law. Special topics: IP law, Anglo-American law and liability law  
Name and type of organisation providing education and training University Tilburg Civil Law Faculty, Tilburg, The Netherlands  
Level in national or international classification ISCED 5A

Dates September 1988 – May 1990  
Title of qualification awarded Information specialist  
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Retrieval and reporting of information searches in (patent) literature  
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Stichting GO, Celebesstraat, The Hague, The Netherlands (current name and address: GO Opleidingen, Charlotte van Pallandtlaan 18, 2272 TR, Voorburg)

Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5B
Dates	1985 - 1988
Title of qualification awarded	drs biologie (M.Sc. Biology)
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Master's level in biology, specializing in microbiology, molecular biology, physiology
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University Utrecht, Yalelaan, Utrecht, The Netherlands
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5A
Dates	1978 - 1985
Title of qualification awarded	MO Biologie (B. Sc. Biology)
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Bachelor level education in biology
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University Utrecht, Yalelaan, Utrecht, The Netherlands
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5A
Dates	1975 - 1978
Title of qualification awarded	Zoological technician
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	basic zoology; performance of animal experiments
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	OLAN, Heyendaalseweg, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5B

**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			
C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user
C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	B2	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user
A2	Basic user	B1	Independent user	A2	Basic user	A2	Basic user	A2	Basic user

(\*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Social skills and competences

Good ability to work in an international environment, gained through working in various bodies in the European Patent Institute, such as the Disciplinary Council.  
Good communication skills, developed during the teaching of courses on patent law.

Organisational skills and competences

Been responsible for leading a team of patent information specialists (4 people) + secretary.  
Previously responsible for leading the legal function (IP and general counsel) of a small start-up biotech company (3 people).  
Organiser of yearly Dutch CEIPI 'Basic course of the European Patent Convention'.

Technical skills and competences	<p>Skills in sitting in panels of judges and decision making in legal disputes, especially in disciplinary matters, gained by &gt;10 years experience in the Dutch Disciplinary Council of patent attorneys, the Disciplinary Council of epi, and the Disciplinary Board of Appeal of the European Patent Office and &gt;10 years experience as deputy justice in the Appeal Court in The Hague.</p> <p>Good teaching skills: able to explain difficult (legal and technical) concepts in a clear and concise way.</p> <p>Good writing skills as proven by the numerous patent applications that have been written and by the writings in a regular internet blog.</p>
Computer skills and competences	<p>Good command of Microsoft Word™, PowerPoint™ and Outlook™. Basic knowledge of Excel™.</p> <p>Experience in programming in Fortran and SQL™.</p>
Driving licence	<p>Category B</p>
References to be contacted	
<b>Additional information</b>	<p>From 22 October 2008 to 31 December 2018 member of the Disciplinary Board of Appeal of the European Patent Office.</p> <p>From 1998 to 2018 member of the Judicial Commission of the Dutch Organisation of Patent Attorneys.</p> <p>From about 2002 to April 2018 member of the Disciplinary Council of the Dutch Organisation of Patent Attorneys.</p> <p>Author of several articles and news items in the magazine "Managing IP".</p> <p>Lecturer at the IPKM Masters Education program at the University of Maastricht (since 2011)</p> <p>Lecturer at the training courses for patent information specialists at GO Opleidingen, Voorburg (since 2007)</p> <p>Organizer of the CEIPI Basic course in The Hague (from 2004-2018). Lecturer at the CEIPI Basic course in The Hague (since 1995).</p> <p>Lecturer at the CEIPI Pre-exam course in Strasbourg (since 2011).</p> <p>Lecturer in patent law at the post doctoral education of company counsel, CPO Nijmegen (from 2000-2010)</p> <p>From 2018 writing annotations to Dutch and European Patent Office patent case law for Kluwer IP Blogs (Wolters Kluwer).</p> <p>Main contributor to a regular blog on IP matters on the Rubicon Personal IP site from 2013-2016.</p> <p>Member of AIPPI, FICPI and epi</p> <p>In <b>epi</b> (organisation of European Patent Attorneys) substitute council member, member of the Professional Education Committee and chair of the CPE subcommittee</p>