

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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### **Personal data**

Birthplace: Oruro, Bolivia  
Birthdate: April 11, 1950  
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### **University Education**

Ph.D. 1977	University of Amsterdam: Faculty of Arts (cum laude). Thesis: <i>Syntactic Developments in the Verb Phrase of Ecuadorian Quechua</i> . Supervisor: S.C. Dik
M.A. 1974	University of Amsterdam: Faculty of Arts (cum laude). Thesis: <i>Some syntactic aspects of creolization</i> . Minors Quechua and Papiamentu.
B.A. 1972	Yale College (magna cum laude). Major: Latin American Studies and Spanish

### **Teaching and Research Positions**

2002	Visiting Professor, Summer School in Applied Linguistics, State College, PA
2002	Visiting Professor, DGFS/LSA Summer School Düsseldorf
2001-	Professor of General Linguistics, Radboud University Nijmegen
1998-2001	Professor of Linguistics, in particular Ibero-American Linguistics, Leiden University
1998	Visiting Professor, Summer School in Gerona
1989-92	Adjunct Professor of Caribbean studies, Faculty of Arts, Leiden University
1989	Visiting Professor, Summer School, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Sprachwissenschaft, Hamburg
1989	Visiting Professor, Summer School of the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro
1989-98	Professor of General linguistics, in particular sociolinguistics and creole studies, University of Amsterdam
1985	Visiting Associate Professor, University of Salzburg Summer School
1982	Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Linguistics, University of Massachusetts at Amherst

1981	Visiting Associate Professor, San Marcos University Lima
1981	Chercheur invité, Département de Linguistique, Université de Montréal
1976-87	Lecturer, Institute for General Linguistics, University of Amsterdam
1973/4	Teaching assistant, Institute for General Linguistics, University of Amsterdam

### ***Grants and Fellowships***

- 2006 DOBeS (Vokswagen Stiftung) Grant for Katharina Haude  
 2006 DOBeS (Volkswagen Stiftung) Grant for Rik van Gijn  
 2006 NWO Programme Grant for Breaking the Time Barrier  
 2005 NWO Programme Grant for Roots of Ethnolects  
 2005 NWO/VIDI Grant for Hein van der Voort  
 2005 NWO/VIDI Grant for Angela Terrill  
 2005 NWO Grant for Surinam Creole Archive (SUCA)  
 2003 NWO Grant for Dutch Bilingual Database (DBD)  
 2003 KNAW Grant for organizing workshop on cross-linguistic semantics  
 2002 KNAW fellowship for Veerle Van Geenhoven  
 2002 NWO Grant for Sign Prosody Project (with Carlos Gussenhoven)  
 2002 NWO Grant for international collaboration with Oregon and Belem  
 1997 comprehensive NWO grant Lombok project (with Guus Extra)  
 1997 University dissertation grant for Wouter Kusters  
 1996 various grants for closing workshop, NIAS Theme Group on Bilingualism  
 1996 WOTRO/DGIS dissertation grant for Rocky Meade (with Anne Baker)  
 1996 WOTRO dissertation grant for Cheraldine Osepa  
 1996 NWO visiting grant for Francois Grosjean  
 1995 VNC Fellowship, NIAS  
 1995 Language learning scholar in residence, School of Education, Harvard University  
 1995 University dissertation grant for Hadewych van Rheeden  
 1995 Various grants for workshop on language contact, University of Amsterdam  
 1995 NWO post-doctoral grant for A. Bruyn  
 1994 NWO visiting grant for Rajendra Singh  
 1994 NWO post-doctoral grant for J. Arends  
 1993 KNAW fellowship for P. Bakker  
 1993 various grants for Society for Pidgin and Creole Linguistics meeting, Amsterdam  
 1992 WOTRO research grant for S. Kouwenberg  
 1992 University dissertation grant for L. Adamson  
 1992 NWO visitor grant for R. Singh  
 1991 University dissertation grant for T. Veenstra  
 1991 University dissertation grant for A. Bruyn  
 1991 University dissertation grant for M. Post  
 1990 IFOTT dissertation grant for V. de Rooij  
 1991 NWO research grant for C. van Rossem and H. van der Voort  
 1991 KNAW fellowship for J. Arends  
 1988 Various grants for workshop on Linguistica Andina (with Willem Adelaar), Americanist conference, Amsterdam  
 1988 NWO dissertation grant for P. Bakker

- 1988 WOTRO dissertation grant for S. van de Kerke
- 1987 University dissertation grant for J. Veld
- 1987 WOTRO dissertation grant for S. Kouwenberg (with N. Smith)
- 1987 Various grants for Amsterdam Creole Workshop
- 1986 University dissertation grant for J. Rutten
- 1986 University dissertation grant for J. Treffers
- 1986 WOTRO summer fieldwork grant (Peru)
- 1986 Various grants for workshop on configurationality, Aux, and lexical structure (with L.K. Maracz)
- 1986 NWO visitor grant for D. Bickerton
- 1985 NWO dissertation grant for J. Nortier
- 1985 University research grant for J. Treffers
- 1985 NWO dissertation grant for F. Hinskens (with T. Hagen)
- 1984 University research grant for M. Middeldorp
- 1984 NWO visitor grant for M. Alleyne
- 1983 NWO grant for workshop on syntactic features (with H. v. Riemsdijk)
- 1981 WOTRO summer fieldwork grant (Peru)
- 1980 NWO dissertation grant for D. Brouwer/R. Schenk
- 1980 Various grants for Colloquium on Creole Syntax
- 1980 University research grant Quechua-Spanish language contact
- 1978 University research grant second language acquisition
- 1977- University travel grants
- 1975 WOTRO travel grant, Creole Conference Hawaii

### ***Prizes and awards***

- 1998 Spinoza Award (the most prestigious award in science in the Netherlands and regarded as the Dutch Nobel Prize)
- 1990 Prix des Embassadeurs (conjointly with Jeanine Treffers-Daller)
- 1985 Prince Bernhard Prize in the Humanities (conjointly with W. Zonneveld)

### ***Courses Taught***

Introduction to Linguistics, Pidgins and Creoles, Quechua Syntax and Morphology, Bilingualism and Language Contact, Syntactic Theory, Sociolinguistics, Generative Morphology, Introduction to Phonology, Language development, Spanish in the Americas, Historical Linguistics

### ***Member***

*Learned Societies:* Netherlands Royal Academy of Sciences, Max-Planck Gesellschaft, Hollandic Society for the Sciences

*Professional associations:* Algemene Vereniging voor Taalwetenschap, Association Néerlandaise de Linguistique Appliquée (ANELA), Linguistic Society of America, Society for Caribbean Linguistics, Society for Pidgin and Creole Linguistics, Asociación Latinoamericana de Filología Lingüística (ALFAL), Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas (SSILA)

### ***Editorial board***

Journal of Pidgin and Creole Languages, Applied Psycholinguistics (89-96), Tijdschrift voor Taal- en Tekstwetenschap (-94), Revue Québécoise de Linguistique, Linguistics, Amsterdam University Press Humanities Council, International Journal of Bilingualism, Lingua, Journal of multilingualism

### ***Series editor***

1986-1999    Creole Language Library (Benjamins, with John Singler)

### ***Journal Editor***

1997-2005    Bilingualism. Language and Cognition (Cambridge UP), with David Green, Ping Li, Jürgen Meisel (chief editor)

### ***Reviewer***

Natural Language and Linguistic Theory, Linguistic Inquiry, Journal of African Languages and Linguistics, Linguistische Berichte, GLOT, Language, Journal of Portuguese Linguistics, Gramma/TTT, PROBUS, Canadian Modern Language Review, IJAL, Canadian Linguistics Journal

### ***Advisory***

\* Grant proposals National Science Foundation; National Endowment for the Humanities; Conseil de Recherche en Arts et Sciences Humaines (Ottawa); Deutsche Forschungs Gemeinschaft; NWO; WOTRO; KNAW; NIAS; Arts and Humanities Research Board; Volkswagen Stiftung

\* KNAW Assessment Committee Fryske Akademy

\* KNAW Committee Future Meertens Institute; Restructuring Committee Meertens Institute

\* University of the West Indies Assessment Committee Linguistics Departments Barbados, Jamaica, Trinidad

### ***Lectured at***

UIA (Antwerp), Banco Central (Quito, Ecuador), U. Barcelona, FU Berlin, U. Bonn, VUBrussel, U.de Cuzco (Peru), U. Duisburg, U. Düsseldorf, U. Girona, UMass-Amherst, U.de San Marcos (Lima, Peru), McGill, MIT, OISE (Toronto), U. Salzburg, SUNY-Buffalo, UCLA, UQAM (Montreal), UWI (Kingston, Jam.), U. Wien, UNA (Willemstad), U. Hamburg, Ibero-Amer. Inst. Berlin, U. Liverpool, Norwegian Institute Rome, UC London, New York U, Harvard U., U of Pennsylvania, U. Tilburg, U. Nijmegen, U. Groningen, Free U. Amsterdam, U. Maastricht, U. Utrecht, U. Leiden, U. Mannheim, U. Leipzig, MPI Nijmegen, MPI Leipzig, U. Stockholm, U. München, U. Mainz, FAS Berlin, U Leipzig, U. Bamberg, U. Greifswald, U. of Wales Bangor, Asturian Language Academy Oviedo, U. Modena, U San Simon Cochabamba, UN San Andres

La Paz,

### ***Administrative activities***

2005-	Director of Research, Centre for Language Studies, Radboud University Nijmegen
2001-2005	Chair, Linguistics Department, Radboud University Nijmegen
2001-2006	Chair, Board National Research School for Linguistics (LOT)
2001-	Various boards and committees, Nijmegen University
1999-2002	Board, Section of Arts, Royal Academy
1999-2001	Board, LOT
1999-2001	Board, CNWS
1999-2002	Board, WOTRO
1999-2001	Board, HIL
1999-00	Selection committee, Chair Linguistics Department, Radboud University Nijmegen
1996-	Steering Committee, NWO Multicultural and Pluriform Society
1992-00	Steering Committee, NWO Irian Jaya Project
1998-2001	Various committees and boards, Leiden University
1977/98	Various committees and boards, University of Amsterdam
1994-99	Advisory Board, Amsterdam University Press
1994-00	Board, IFOTT
1988/94	Board, NWO Linguistics Foundation
1996-2002	Board, Council for the Humanities, Royal Academy
1989/92	Coordinating Committee, ESF Network on Code-Switching and Language Contact

### ***Dissertations supervised***

#### **University of Amsterdam:**

Name	Title	Year	Nat.	Current
Jacomien Nortier	Dutch-Moroccan Arabic code-switching	1989	Neth	U Utrecht
Jean Rutten	Verb Raising and Verb Projection Raising in Dutch (with H. den Besten)	1991	Neth	Public sector
Anneli Schauffeli	Turkish in an immigrant setting (with R. Appel)	1991	Neth	Tertiary Nijmegen
Silvia Kouwenberg (cum laude)	Berbice Dutch: grammar, texts, dictionary (with N. Smith)	1991	Neth	U of the West Indies, Jam.
Peter Bakker (cum laude)	A language of our own: the genesis of Michif	1992	Neth	U Aarhus, Dmk.
Joop Veld	Post-verbal constituents in Dutch and Turkish (with H. den Besten)	1993	Neth	Tertiary Amsterdam
Jeanine Treffers-	French-Dutch language contact in	1992	Neth	U of West

Daller	Brussels (with S. de Vriendt)			England, Bristol
Marta Dijkhoff	The morphology of the Noun Phrase in Papiamentu	1993	Neth/Cur.	U Neth. Antilles
Leonie Cornips	Regionale syntactische variatie: het Nederlands van Heerlen (with J. Stroop)	1994	Neth	Meertens Institute
Berber Voortman	Regionale variatie in het taalgebruik van notabelen (with M. Gerritsen and R. van Hout)	1994	Neth	Tertiary, Arnhem
Hetty Kook	Leesvaardigheid van Antilliaanse kleuters (with R. Appel)	1994	Neth/Cur.	Min. of Education
Hristo Kyuchukov	Language development in Turkish, Romani, and Bulgarian of Gypsy children (with W. Veder)	1995	Bulg.	George Soros Foundation
José Antonio Flores Farfán	Cuatreros somos. Contactos entre nahuatl y español en el Valle de Balsas	1995	Mex.	CIESAS, Mexico
Ewald Hekking	El Otomí de Santiago Mexquititlán (with D. Bakker)	1995	Neth/Mex	U of Queretaro
Adrienne Bruyn	Grammaticalization in creoles: the noun phrase in Sranan (with N. Smith)	1995	Neth	RU Nijmegen
Tonjes Veenstra	Serial verbs in Saramaccan: predication and creole genesis	1996	Neth	ZAS Berlin
Simon van de Kerke	Affix order and interpretation in Bolivian Quechua (with W. Adelaar)	1996	Neth	U Leiden
Vincent de Rooij	Cohesion through contrast: Shaba Swahili-French code-switching in Zaire (with J. Fabian)	1996	Neth	U Amsterdam
Li Bing	Vowel harmony in the Tungusic languages (with N. Smith)	1996	China	Hunan U, China
Margreet Dorleijn	The decay of ergativity in Kurmanci: internal development or contact- induced?	1996	Neth	U Amsterdam
Frank Martinus	The Kiss of the Slave. Papiamentu's West African Connections and the Role of Guene (with J. Kooij)	1996	Neth/Cur.	Independent author, Curacao
Muhammad Maruf Fattah	A generative grammar of Kurdish	1997	Iraq/Kurd .	U Arbil, Iraq Kurdistan

## Leiden University

Name	Title	Year	Nat.	Current
Wouter Kusters	Complexity in Language	2004	Neth	Meertens Institute

Astrid Alexander-Bakkerus	Eighteenth-Century Cholon	2005	Neth	Retired
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### Radboud University Nijmegen

Name	Title	Year	Nat.	Current
Dédé Brouwer	Gender variation in Dutch (with T. Hagen)	1989	Neth	Tertiary Amsterdam
Frans Hinskens (cum laude)	Dialect levelling in Limburg (with T. Hagen and R. van Hout)	1993	Neth	Meertens Institute /VU Amsterdam
Viveka Vellupillai	The Tense-Mood-Aspect System of Hawai'i Creole English (with Bernard Comrie)	2002	Swe	U Regensburg
Jeanette Sakel	A grammar of Moseten (with Bernard Comrie)	2003	Ger.	U Manchester
Lucrecia Villafaña	Gramática Yuki	2004	Arg.	Independent/U Tucuman, Argentina
Laércio Ba Celar	Gramática da Língua Kanoê (with Hein van der Voort)	2004	Bra.	U Guajaramirim, Brazil
Sonja van Boxtel	Can the late bird feed the worm? (with P.A. Coppen en Th. Bongaerts)	2005	Neth	Tertiary Education, Rotterdam
Rik van Gijn	A grammar of Yuracare (with Mily Crevels)	2006	Neth	MPI Nijmegen, DOBeS
Katharina Haude	A grammar of Movima	2006	Ger	U Köln, DOBeS

### Postdocs under supervision:

Name	Period	Nationality
Jacques Arends	1991-94, 1994-1996	Neth
Peter Bakker	1993-96	Neth
Engin Sezer	1993-1994	Turkey
Adrienne Bruyn	1995-97, 1998-2000, 2002-06	Neth
Frans Hinskens	1994-1997	Neth
Olga Tomic	2000-04	Yug/Macedonia
Marian Klamer	1999-2002	Neth
Rint Sybesma	1999-2000	Neth
Ger Reesink	1999-2001, 2001-05, 2005-08	Neth
Lourens de Vries	1999-2001	Neth
Slava Chirikba	2000	Neth/Russian
Simon Musgrave	2000-2002	Australia
Mily Crevels	1999-2001, 2001-06, 2007-10	Neth

Anthony Grant	2000-2001	British
Hein van der Voort	2002-2005, 2005-10	Neth
Louis Boumans	2000-03, 2003-07	Neth
Onno Crasborn	2002-2004	Neth
Veerle Van Geenhoven	2002-2006	Belgium
Els van der Kooij	2002-2004	Neth
Martina Faller	2003-04	German
Wouter Kusters	2004-06	Neth
Michael Dunn	2005-08	Australia
Angela Terrill	2005-10	Australia

### ***Ten key publications***

- 1988 Contributions of Pidgins and Creoles to Grammatical Theory. F. Newmeyer (ed.) *Linguistics: the Cambridge Survey II*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 285-307
- 1989 Predication chains. Objective case and argument status in Turkish and Quechua. *Linguistic Inquiry* 20.4, 627-645
- 1994 (with R. van Hout) Modelling lexical borrowability. *Language Variation and Change* 6, 39-62
- 1995 Code-switching and grammatical theory. In L. Milroy and P. Muysken (eds.) *One speaker, two languages*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 177-198
- 1999 (with A. Bruyn and M. Verrrips) Double object constructions in Creole languages. In M. DeGraff (ed.) *Language Creation and Language Change. Creolization, Diachrony, and Development*. Cambridge, MA.: MIT Press, 329-374.
- 2000 Bilingual Speech. A typology of code-mixing. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press
- 2004 (Willem Adelaar, in collaboration with Pieter Muysken) *The Languages of the Andes*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press
- 2005 Categories in the syntax and the lexicon: Evidence from language contact research. In Henri Cohen and Claire Lefebvre (eds.) *Handbook of categorization in the cognitive sciences*. Amsterdam: Elsevier Science, pp. 46-71.
- 2006 Mixed codes. In Peter Auer and Li Wei (eds.) *Multilingual communication*. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, pp. 303-328.
- (press) Functional Categories. Cambridge University Press.