
Curriculum vitae

13 June 1975

Born in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

1987 – 1995

Petrus Canisius College, Alkmaar. *Diploma obtained in 1993*

Cornelis Drebbel College, Alkmaar. *Additional subjects*

1995 – 2004

M.Sc. in Applied Physics at Eindhoven University of Technology.

◇ Traineeship at the Plasma and Materials Processing group of the Department of Applied Physics, Eindhoven University of Technology. Subject: *Study of carbon films deposited with a cascaded arc*, supervised by dr. A. de Graaf and prof. dr. ir. M.C.M van de Sanden.

◇ Traineeship at Philips Research, Eindhoven. Subject: *Contamination effects related to EUV production*, supervised by dr.ir. J. Jonkers and prof.dr. J.J.A.M. van der Mullen.

◇ Master thesis project at the Polymer Physics group of the Department of Applied Physics, Eindhoven University of Technology. Subject: *Theory of the nucleation kinetics of nematic droplets*, supervised by dr.ir. P.P.A.M. van der Schoot and prof.dr. M.A.J. Michels.

Extracurricular activities include the founding of a classical guitar ensemble, taking part in several theatre productions and the formation of an alternative rock band.

2004 – 2007

Ph.D. at the Elementary Processes in Gas Discharges group of the Department of Applied Physics at Eindhoven University of Technology. Subject: *Transport phenomena in metal-halide lamps, a poly-diagnostic study*, supervised by dr.ir. W.W. Stoffels, prof.dr.ir. M. Haverlag and prof.dr. J.J.A.M. van der Mullen.