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Nationality

Netherlands

Date of birth

26 June 1951

Gender

Male

Occupational field

University research

Work experience

Dates

Occupation or position held

2010 -: Full Professor and Director

Main activities and responsibilities

Teaching & training, research & development, management, services

Name and address of employer

Leiden University

Type of business or sector

University sector

Occupation or position held

2007- 2011: Professor

Main activities and responsibilities

Teaching & training, research & development

Name and address of employer

Erasmus University Rotterdam

Occupation or position held

2006 -: Visiting Professor

Main activities and responsibilities

research & development

Name and address of employer

University of Wolverhampton

Occupation or position held	2006 - 2010: Director
Main activities and responsibilities	research & development, management, services
Name and address of employer	Virtual Knowledge Studio for the Humanities and Social Sciences, Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences

Occupation or position held	2001 - 2005: Program Leader
Main activities and responsibilities	research & development, management, services
Name and address of employer	Networked Research and Digital Networks, Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences

Occupation or position held	2001 - 2004: Coordinator
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching and training
Name and address of employer	Graduate Research School WTMC

Education and training

Dates	
Title of qualification awarded	1999 - PhD
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Research evaluation, R&D-indicators, scientometric methods and techniques, history and sociology of science
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Amsterdam, Netherlands

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **Dutch**

Other language(s) **English, German, French**

Self-assessment
European level ()*

Language

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Understanding		Speaking		Writing
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
German	C1	C1	B1	C1
English	C2	C2	C2	C2
French	C1	C1	B1	C1

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

Additional information •

Wouters is a specialist on the application of information and communication technologies in scientific and scholarly research and on the history of information systems in science. He has published on the history of the Science Citation Index, on scientometrics, on the way the criteria of scientific quality have been changed by citation analysis. He has also published on e-science and e-research, open access to scientific data, virtual research environments and webometrics. He has edited a forthcoming volume "Virtual Knowledge" with MIT Press (2012). He is member of the editorial boards of the *Journal of the American Society for Science and Technology Studies*, *Social Studies of Science*, *Cybermetrics*, and the series *Scholarly Communication* with Brill Publishers. He is member of a number of advisory boards, among others: Netherlands Reading Experience Database, OAPEN, and HASTAC—the Humanities, Arts, Science, and Technology Advanced Collaboratory. He publishes a website about the future of research: www.researchdreams.nl and a blog about citation cultures <http://citationculture.wordpress.com/>.