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Personal Details

Degree: Dr., LLM

Date of birth: 4 September 1985

Place of birth: Nigtevecht, the Netherlands

Nationality: Dutch

Education

2008-2015 PhD candidate

VU University Amsterdam

Dissertation: *Facts Matter: A Study into the Casuistry of Substantive International Criminal Law* (Eleven International Publishing)

(Co-)supervisors: Prof. Elies van Sliedregt, Dr. K. Rozemond and Dr. L. Stevens

2007-2008 Talent Program (research track)

Leiden University, Graduate School of Legal Studies

2003-2007 LLM in Criminal Law (*summa cum laude*)

BA in Law (with distinction)

Leiden University, Faculty of Law

Professional Experience

2017-present *Deputy judge*

District Court Rotterdam, Section of Criminal Law

2015-present *Assistant professor (International) Criminal Law and Procedure*

VU University Amsterdam, Department of Criminal Law and Criminology

2008-2014 *PhD candidate/ Lecturer (International) Criminal Law and Procedure*

VU University Amsterdam, Department of Criminal Law and Criminology

2008 *Lecturer Criminal Law and Procedure*

Leiden University, Department of Criminal Law and Criminology

2008 *Legal clerk*

Court of Appeal The Hague, Sector Criminal Law

Academic Fellowships and Leadership Positions

2020-present *Member expert group* Research project ‘Secondary Liability for International Crimes (SLIC), Amsterdam Center for International Law

2015-present *Board member Center for International Criminal Justice (CICJ),* VU University Amsterdam, Faculty of Law

2017 *Academic leader* *training program* ‘Fair Trial Rights within the National and International Legal Framework and Jurisprudence’ for the Rwanda National Public Prosecution Authority (NPPA)

2017 *Visiting professional*, International Criminal Court (ICC), Defence legal teams (Bemba *et al.*)

2016-2017 *National rapporteur on corporate complicity,* International Association of Penal Law (AIDP)

2013-2016 *Chair program Committee Master International Crimes and Criminology*, VU University Amsterdam, Faculty of Law

2013 *President Jonge Nederlandse JuristenVereniging (JNJV) (Dutch Society for Young Lawyers)*

* 1. *PhD representative*, VU University Amsterdam, Faculty of Law

2010 *Visiting fellow*, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, Cambridge, UK

Presentations and Conference Contributions (Selection)

**Invited speaker**

*Columbus Course for Dutch National Police*, Netherlands Institute of International Relations Clingendael, The Hague, the Netherlands, ‘The Development of International Criminal Law’ (24 January 2018)

*Expert Day International Crimes Act*, Training and Study Centre for the Judiciary (SSR), Utrecht, the Netherlands, ‘Criminal Responsibility of Businessmen’ (10 November 2017)

*The Common Law and the Civil Law Today – Convergence and Divergence,* Southern European Center for Legal Research (SECLR), Canj, Montenegro, ‘Common Law and Civil Law Approaches to Excessive Group Crimes’ (26-29 May 2017)

*AIDP International Congress of Penal Law*, International Association for Penal Law, Buenos Aires Argentina, ‘Individual Liability for Business Involvement in International Crimes: National Report the Netherlands’ (20-24 March 2017)

*Pluralist Approaches to International Criminal Justice*, Royal Netherlands Academy for Arts and Sciences (KNAW), ‘The Impact of the Casuistic Method on Uniformity and Pluralism of Substantive International Criminal Law’ (8 January 2016)

*Lebanon Inter-University Program on International Criminal Law and Procedure*, T.M.C. Asser Institute, The Hague, ‘General Principles of Liability: Superior Responsibility’ (15 January 2014, 13 October 2014, 3 February 2016)

*7th Vienna Course on International Law for Military Legal Advisers*, Ministry of Defence, Vienna, Austria, ‘Individual Criminal Responsibility and National Jurisdiction’ (26 April 2013)

**Selected for oral presentation**

*Accountability and International Business Operations*, Utrecht Centre of Accountability and Liability Law (UCALL), Utrecht, the Netherlands, ‘Holding Business Leaders Accountable for International Crimes: Lessons from Abroad in Tackling Remoteness’ (18-20 May 2017)

*European Society of International Law (ESIL) Research Forum*,Koç University Law School, Istanbul, Turkey, ‘Judicial Law-Making in International Criminal Law: Appraising the Interplay between Law and Facts' (21-22 April 2016)

*3rd Global Conference on Genocide,* International Network of Genocide Scholars, San Francisco State University, San Francisco, USA, ‘Understanding Genocidal Intent through Historical Evidence’ (1 July 2012)

**Chair and panel organization**

*Punishing International Crimes in Domestic Courts: Sentencing, Incarceration and Reintegration*, Center for International Criminal Justice (CICJ), VU University Amsterdam (chair) (12 June 2017)

*Annual Conference* *European Society of International Law (ESIL)*, University of Oslo, Oslo, Norway, ‘The Performance of International Criminal Courts’ (chair) (11 September 2015)

Counter-Piracy in the 21st Century: Lessons from the Netherlands , VU University Amsterdam (23 April 2015)

*Annual Seminar Dutch Society for Young Lawyers (JNJV)*, ‘Europe Threat or Chance?’, VU University Amsterdam (11 December 2013)

*Annual Criminal Law Day, ‘Judicial* Decisions’, VU University Amsterdam (21 May 2010)

Teaching Experience

Since 2008, I have been involved in the courses: Introduction to Criminal Law, Substantive Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Comparative Criminal Law, International Criminal Courts and Tribunals, International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition, Criminal Law Research Lab, Terrorism & Security, Migration Control, and the Summer School of the Center for International Criminal Justice. In addition, I supervise Bachelor and Master theses and act as mentor of Master students.

Professional Training

2020 *Female Leadership*, VU University Amsterdam

2013 *13th Specialization Course in International Criminal Law*, International Institute of Higher Studies in Criminal Sciences, Syracuse, Italy

2012 *University* *Teaching Qualification* *(BKO)*, VU University Amsterdam

2009 *Marie Curie Top Summer School*, Leiden University

2009 *Qualitative Empirical Research Methods*, Netherlands Center for the Study of Crime and Law Enforcement (NSCR)

2007 *English for Academic Purpose*, Leiden University

2007 *Summer School English Legal Methods*, University of Cambridge Institute of Continuing Education, Cambridge, UK

Contributions to Periodicals

2016-present Editor and author *Militair Straf- en Tuchtrecht* (Military Criminal Law and Disciplinary Law)

2012-present Annotator *Annotated Leading Cases* (edited by Prof. G. Sluiter and Prof. A. Klip)

2012-present Author *Rubriek Tribunalenstafrecht* (chronicle International Criminal Law) in *Delikt & Delinkwent*

Review Positions and Memberships

Assistant-editor *Principles Governing Modes of International Criminal Responsibility* (with Prof. E. van Sliedregt, Prof. R. Roth, Dr. J. Hemptinne, and Dr. L.Y. Yanev)

Reviewer *Leiden Journal of International Law*

Reviewer *Utrecht Journal of International and European Law*

Member of Society for International Criminal Law (GIS); Dutch Society of Lawyers (NJV); Dutch-Flemish Society for Lawyers.

Scholarships, Grants and Prizes

Gezina van der Molenfonds 2016 (€10.000)

Tender Research and Documentation Center Ministry of Justice (WODC) (€49.610)

Tender Rwanda National Public Prosecution Authority (NPPA) (€74.942)

Publications

A full list of publications can be send on request.