

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

1. Pre-university	VWO at Revius in Deventer	1972-1978
2. University	Horticulture at Wageningen University (WUR)	1978-1985
3. PhD	Communication and Innovation Studies (WUR)	1994-2001

PhD Communication and Innovation Studies, Wageningen University: Cactus Pear and Cochineal in Cochabamba, the development of a cross-epistemological management toolkit for interactive design of farm innovation.
(30-01-2002)

Languages: Fluency in Dutch, Spanish and English

Career:

10-2015 / today: **Consultant Renewable Energy at ROM3D** on three-dimensional visualisation of energy installations in landscapes for improved planning and communication among stakeholders

07-2015 / today: **Chairman of the table Sustainable Energy of the Gelders Energy Agreement (GEA)** of the province of Gelderland for acceleration of the energy transition by way of rollout of solar parks, windenergy and waterpower production.

01-2014 / today: **Director ParaTodos (“duurzaamheid is voor iedereen)**

Three projects were realized in 2014/15:

- **Projectleader** of the People to People project: Citizens for Energy/Energy for Citizens: coordination of inventory, exchange and planning of joint cooperation for strengthening citizens organization on sustainable energy (Euregio project with partners from Germany and the Netherlands);
- **Projectleader** of “met Frisse Wind” regional project on the development of wind energy from bottom-up by five energy cooperations in the Stedendriehoek region;
- **Coordinator** client participation and research of the IPIN Smart Grid project of LochemEnergie: Slim Net Lochem

03-2010 / today: **Councillor of the municipality of Lochem**

09-2001 / 12-2013: **Senior Policy Researcher** at the Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency (PBL: Planbureau voor de Leefomgeving), and specifically coordinator of the DMW/BZ funded international capacity building and joint research program. Partners in 10 developing countries were contracted, trained and supported on geo-referenced biodiversity assessments on the basis of the GLOBIO3 model and linkages with poverty. The project aims at improved decision-making in production sectors and at national or regional

policy levels (ministries of environment, agriculture or planning and investment). I was the head of a team in Bilthoven that facilitated several research groups on mapping biodiversity loss (in past, present and future on the basis of scenario analysis), natural resource actor types, poverty relationships, migration patterns, etc. I supported additionally five master students and one PhD candidate.

02-1998 / 02-2001: Director of the extension service (Centro de Gestión) at the Talca University, Chile for 350 farmers and 15 production and commercialization cooperatives. For the University, I designed and implemented two series of lectures to bachelor students and I participated in the **design and implementation of a Master course** with double certification on rural development and agricultural economics: Göttingen, Germany and Talca, Chile. I supported also ten bachelor and master students on research for their degree thesis. I published three papers on communication and innovation at national conferences of agricultural economics.

06-1994 / 12-1997: Private consultant for SNV and local governments in Nicaragua and Honduras on **Strategic Environmental Analysis**. I was the head of a small team that introduced SEA in Central America in the context of local sustainable development for decision making at stakeholder groups and the local government. Three courses on SEA were designed and implemented and several papers and other educational material has been written. Central in analysis was the interface between production, people's wellbeing and nature conservation or its sustainable use.

07-1991 / 05-1993: Director of the Cactus Pear and Cochineal **Research Project** funded by the World Bank and implemented by DHV consultants in Cochabamba, Bolivia. The main research topic was on restoration of degraded agricultural land by cactus pear plantation and diversification of income by the production of cochineal and other cactus pear uses.

01-1987 / 05-1991: Agricultural extensionist and project leader on research for small farmers in FEPADE, Cochabamba, Bolivia.

04-1986 / 10-1986: Coordinator and trainer (design and implementation) of the first course on ecological agriculture in the tropics at Warmonderhof, Tiel, The Netherlands.