

Curriculum Vitae

Personal details

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Education

2017 Passed European Board of Hand Surgery Examination (EBHS Diploma (FESSH))
2007 – 2014 PhD program Erasmus Medical Center Rotterdam, The Netherlands: Research: Primary osteoarthritis of the first CMC joint.
1997-2005 University Medical Center Utrecht, The Netherlands. Passed doctoral examination September 2003. Passed medical exam with honor November 2005.
1991-1997 Grammar school, Christelijk Gymnasium Utrecht, as far as the fifth grade, including Greek and Latin. Final examination subjects: Dutch, English, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Biology and History.

Relevant work experience and training

March 2016 – present Management team Xpert Clinic (Equipe healthcare company)
March 2015 – present Plastic Surgeon Xpert Clinic (Hand and Wrist Surgery Clinic) Hilversum, Zeist and Amsterdam, The Netherlands
March 2015 – Jan 2016 Plastic Surgeon Medisch Centrum Alkmaar, The Netherlands
2014 – present Committee member of the Xpert and Erasmus MC Rotterdam hand and wrist research team, responsible for PhD program surgical treatment of osteoarthritis of the thumb base.
Aug 2014 - Feb 2015 Perth (Australian) International Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Fellowship <http://www.piprs.com.au>. I have experienced a wide range of reconstructive plastic surgery including hand and limb trauma surgery, skin cancers, perforator flaps, adult craniofacial, oncological head and neck microsurgery and oncological breast reconstructive surgery.
Feb 2014 – Jul 2014 Fellowship hand and wrist surgery Xpert Clinic Hilversum & Zeist, The Netherlands
2013 – 2014 Committee member IFSSH (International Hand Surgery Federation) responsible for the treatment recommendations of the surgical treatment of osteoarthritis at the trapeziometacarpal joint.
2012 – 2014 Committee member responsible for the Dutch medical directive for the surgical treatment of osteoarthritis of the trapeziometacarpal joint, including GRADE assessment of literature (NVPC/NVvH).
2010 – 2014 Resident in Plastic Surgery at the Department of Plastic, Reconstructive and Hand Surgery Isala Klinieken Zwolle, The Netherlands as part of my specialization in Plastic Surgery. Reference Dr. M.A. Tellier.
2007 – 2014 PhD program Erasmus Medical Center Rotterdam, The Netherlands: Research: Primary osteoarthritis of the first CMC joint. The research consists of a systematic review, a pilot study, a book chapter, 3 randomized clinical trials, and several scientific presentations. Reference Prof. dr. S.E.R. Hovius.
Nov. 2011 IntReS Foundation: Team member of the last mission to the charitable hospital in Amarkantak in India. During 9 days of surgery we operated 57 patients with cleft lips, cleft palates, burn wounds and several congenital disorders.

Dec. 2008 – Nov. 2010	Resident General Surgery Tergooiziekenhuizen Hilversum, The Netherlands as part of my specialization in Plastic Surgery. Reference Dr. J.P. Eerenberg.
Aug. 2006 – Nov. 2008	Resident at the department of Plastic, Reconstructive and Hand Surgery, Diakonessenhuis Utrecht, The Netherlands. Reference Dr. T.M. Moojen
Jan. 2006 - July 2006	Resident in General Surgery Tergooiziekenhuizen Hilversum, The Netherlands. Reference Dr J.P. Eerenberg.
Aug. 2004-Sep. 2004	Elective Obstetrics & Gynaecologie at the University of Stellenbosch, at Tygerberg Hospital in South Africa. Reference prof. Stein.
Oct. 2004	Elective ENT at the University of Pretoria at Kalafong Hospital in South Afrika. Reference prof. Mulder.
2002-2005	Assistant-researcher for the department of Plastic Surgery University Medical Center Utrecht, The Netherlands concerning Carpal Boss. A study concerning the effect of wedge excision depth on joint stability between the capitate and third metacarpal bone in fresh-frozen wrist specimens.
2000-2001	Practical-assistant Functional Anatomy; Brains & Senses.
2000-2001	Practical-assistant Functional Anatomy, Extremities. Reference Prof. Bleys.

Courses

2013	Flap course upper and lower extremity UMC Groningen Wenckebach institute.
2008-2013	Several fresh frozen cadaver dissection courses with the Dr Nicolaes Tulp Foundation in Facial Aesthetic Surgery, Hand Flaps & Wrist Surgery, and Breast Reconstruction Surgery, UMC Utrecht, The Netherlands.
2012	Radiation protection course 4A/M Zwolle, The Netherlands to be licensed to perform X-rays during surgery.
2011	Microsurgery course Northwick Park Hospital London, UK
2010	Evidence Based Surgery, AMC Amsterdam, The Netherlands Esser Arthroscopy Course, Erasmus MC Rotterdam, The Netherlands
2009	AO fracture fixation course, Belgium

Extra curricular activities

May 2002	Media training by Utrecht University.
October 2001	Media training by Headline media trainers, Halfweg.
1995 – 1997	Hockey-trainer of different youth hockey teams at MHC Woerden.

Scientific presentation

2019	Invited speaker Symposium of trauma: Routine outcome measurements and daily practice.
2018	Keynote speaker NVvH Day of the PROMs, Routine outcome measurements, how it is done.
2017 – Present	Several lectures and training in the basics of hand and wrist surgery for general practitioners including skills lab: how to perform cortisone injections
2016	Keynote speaker IFSSH Buenos Aires Argentina 2016: Round Table: TMC Arthroplasties: what to do in the revision and reoperations: Causes of failure of TMC surgery.
2013	Keynote speaker Esser course Erasmus MC Rotterdam, The Netherlands: Evidenced Based Surgical Treatment of Trapeziometacarpal Osteoarthritis.
2012	Lecture: Eurohand congress FESSH 2012 Antwerp, Belgium: Arthrodesis or Trapeziectomy with Ligament Reconstruction in Primary Trapeziometacarpal Osteoarthritis: A Randomized Controlled Trial.

2012	American Association for Hand Surgery (AAHS) Annual Meeting January 2012 in Las Vegas, Nevada, Poster: Trapeziometacarpal Arthrodesis Compared to Trapeziectomy with LRTI and Total Joint Prosthesis Compared to Trapeziectomy in the Treatment of Trapeziometacarpal Osteoarthritis: Two Randomized Clinical Trials
2011	Keynote speaker: Eurohand Congress FESSH 2011 Oslo, Norway: Evidenced Based Surgical Treatment of Trapeziometacarpal Osteoarthritis.
2010	Lecture: Dutch Society of Hand Surgery: Primary Osteoarthritis of the First CMC Joint.
2007	Lecture: Autumn meeting of the Dutch Society of Plastic Surgery (NVPC): Isolated dislocation of the scaphoid with associated carpal dissociation
2006	Lecture: Spring meeting of the Dutch Society of Plastic Surgery (NVPC): Lecture about Carpal Boss and wedge excision depth.

Skills

Languages

Dutch, mother tongue

English, oral en written command: Excellent (Passed IELTS exam Academic (2014), average score 8 of 9)

Computer

Windows, MS Word, Excel, Internet and accessory skills

Hobby's

Traveling, reading, sailing, and running.