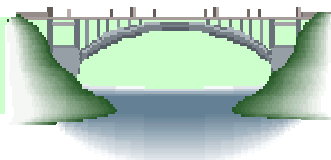


- Personalia -

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- Work experience -

- May '06 – Jan '07 Production manager and landscape architect of Dutch-Bosnian company in Bosnia which produces seeds, tissue cultures plants and sells garden plants.
experience: *hands-on management, cross-cultural co-operation, marketdevelopment*
- May '03 – Jan '06 Fellow executor of a feasibility studies for start-up of agricultural business in Bosnia.
experience: *build up of international network, project development, enhancing entrepreneurial skills*
- Mar '02 – Mar '04 Landscape architect at DLG. DLG is an institution of the Dutch government's 'Department of Agriculture' with the objective to implement national 'reconstruction of the rural area's policy' in different regions of the Netherlands. Consultant in landscape development in the 'Gelderse Vallei', a rural area in The Netherlands.
experience: *insight into technical, social, political and management processes in rural areas on national and regional scale; operating within multi-stakeholder project teams*
- May '01 – March '02 Free lance landscape architect: working in rural and urban areas of development
experience: *being self-employed; working together with local groups; focussing on both process management and project results*
- 1997 – 2001 Landscape architect at the local government of Ede in The Netherlands: emphasis on rural area development and large scale projects like new regional infrastructure and new residential quarters.
experience: *insight in local administrative relations; being involved in negotiation with farmers and local interest groups; project management*
- 1996 Landscape architect at Dutch Provincial Government of Drenthe. Co-operating on formulating provincial landscape policies: landscape as source for inspiration.
experience: *formulating clear, inspiring and action-oriented policy*
- 1996-1998 Free lance landscape architect on behalf of a local innovation team in one of the lower class neighbourhoods in the city of Zwolle in The Netherlands
experience: *working with small groups, independent consultant*



- Education -

2003-2005	M.Sc. Wageningen University
Specialisation	Rural Development Sociology, MAKS program (www.mak.wur.nl)
Projects	- The integration of business and mission: an exploratory study of Protestant-Evangelical thoughts and practices in a Bosnian context. - Analysis of the process of interaction between local interest groups and local government in the Achterhoek, The Netherlands. A practical research on demand of the 'VKK' (Association for local interest groups). A Science Shop project (nr. 205)
1990-1996	M.Sc. Wageningen Agricultural University
Specialisation	Landscape architecture
Projects	- participant of the "Eo Wijersprijsvraag 1995" competition. Formulation of a vision and a local scale design for the development of the central green area in Holland (het Groene Hart). Winner of the encouragement prize. - visionary research of the future development of the city of Emmen.
Foreign experience	Half a year studies in Sweden

- Relevant experiences -

2005	training on process management (Association for local interest groups)
2003	PHLO course communication and interactive policy development
2002	Projectmanagement (KernConsult),
2002	Creative Personal Management (PMT)
2001	certificate in Organisation Psychology, (NHA)
1999 and 2000	courses in advisory and conflict management
computer skills	Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Internet, website design
languages	Dutch, English, German, Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian

- Keywords -

encouraging development of people and ideas

combining thought and handwork

involvement in processes of change

a heart for integrating theory and practice