



Europass Curriculum Vitae



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Nationality Dutch

Date of birth 13 November 1952

Gender Male

Occupational field **Quality in Rehabilitation Expert**

Work experience

Dates 2008 - present

Occupation or position held Project leader

Main activities and responsibilities Management and development of the Prometheus project (PROGRESS VP2008)

Name and address of employer European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels

Type of business or sector Social services

Dates 2008 - present

Occupation or position held Chairman CEN Workshop 51

Main activities and responsibilities Management and coordination of the development of Common Quality Framework for Social Services of General Interest (SSGI)

Name and address of employer European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels (via CEN)

Type of business or sector Standardisation of Quality in SSGI

Dates 2008 - present

Occupation or position held Executive manager European Quality in Social Services (EQUASS)

Main activities and responsibilities Overall management, Sales & Marketing, Developments and key expert

Name and address of employer European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels

Type of business or sector European cooperation in the disability field

Date October 2007

Occupation and responsibilities	Quality consultant for in EC-funded project: "Social Integration of Disabled People in the Privolzhsky Federal Okrug"
Main activities and responsibilities	Advising and development of Quality policy in Vocational Rehabilitation Centre
Name and address of employer	European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels
Type of business or sector	European cooperation in the disability field
Dates	2006-2007
Occupation and responsibilities	Quality manager / coordinator
Main activities and responsibilities	Project manager of the project Implementation HKZ (ISO 9000)
Name and address of employer	Stichting Revalidatie Limburg, Zandbergsweg 111 NL-6543 Hoensbroeck
Type of business or sector	Non-profit ; Rehabilitation
Dates	2005 – 2006
Occupation or position held	Project manager of the project: European Quality Assurance for Social Services (EQUASS)
Main activities and responsibilities	Development of a Quality Assurance system for social services : Coordination of the project, supervision of the experts contribution, input as key expert
Name and address of employer	European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels
Type of business or sector	European cooperation in the disability field
Dates	2003 – 2007
Occupation or position held	European Quality in Rehabilitation Mark (EQRМ) Chief Executive Officer
Main activities and responsibilities	Management and coordination of the EQRМ activities: contact with the clients; training of assessors; supervision of the accreditation process with the applicants; report to the Management Committee; business development; consultancy services to potential clients.
Name and address of employer	European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels
Type of business or sector	European cooperation in the disability field
Dates	2001-2002
Occupation or position held	Project manager of EQRМ project.
Main activities and responsibilities	Development of an accreditation system for the rehabilitation sector : Coordination of the project, supervision of the experts contribution, input as key expert
Name and address of employer	European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels
Type of business or sector	European cooperation in the disability field
Dates	2001
Occupation or position held	Member of working group BOREA Quality Mark for Reintegration Enterprises
Main activities and responsibilities	Development of Dutch accreditation system for reintegration enterprises: input as key expert
Name and address of employer	Q-Consult: Zeelandsingel 40 ARNHEM, 6845 BH The Netherlands
Type of business or sector	Quality Accreditation
Dates	2001 – 2003
Occupation or position held	Free lance teacher / trainer
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching communication and Quality assurance.
Name and address of employer	the University of Maastricht, Minderbroedersberg 4-6, 6211 LK Maastricht, the Netherlands

Type of business or sector	Higher Education
Dates	1993 – 2001
Occupation or position held	President of working group "Quality Management and Cost effectiveness"
Main activities and responsibilities	Development and research on Quality issues in Vocational Rehabilitation in European setting : Key expert and chairman
Name and address of employer	European Platform for Rehabilitation (EPR), rue de spa 15, B-1000 Brussels
Type of business or sector	European cooperation in the disability field
Dates	1993- 2003
Occupation or position held	Quality consultant
Main activities and responsibilities	Research, development and consultancy services on Quality issues / policy in Vocational Rehabilitation. Key expert
Name and address of employer	Hoensbroeck Vocational Rehabilitation Centre, zandbergsweg 111, 6432 CC Hoensbroek , the Netherlands.
Type of business or sector	Vocational Rehabilitation
Dates	1990-1993
Occupation or position held	Project manager Hoensbroeck Vocational Rehabilitation Centre, the Netherlands
Main activities and responsibilities	Development and management of national and international projects in Vocational Rehabilitation: project manager.
Name and address of employer	Hoensbroeck Vocational Rehabilitation Centre zandbergsweg 111, 6432 CC Hoensbroek, the Netherlands.
Type of business or sector	Vocational Rehabilitation
Dates	1987-1990
Occupation or position held	Project manager of ESF-project (European Social Fund) at Vocational Training Centre Hoensbroek, the Netherlands.
Main activities and responsibilities	Development of tailor made training programmes (Educational Modular System) for people with a disability. Project manager
Name and address of employer	Hoensbroeck Vocational Rehabilitation Centre, zandbergsweg 111 , 6432 CC Hoensbroek, the Netherlands.
Type of business or sector	Vocational Rehabilitation
Dates	1989
Occupation or position held	Project manager 'Pre vocational training and vocational Education'
Main activities and responsibilities	Development of training programme for people with a disability in Davos. Project manager
Name and address of employer	Dutch Centre for Astma' in Davos, Switzerland (Nederlands Astma Centrum)
Type of business or sector	Health care
Dates	1987 – 1988
Occupation or position held	Freelance teacher 'Commercial Technician'
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching communication programme for 'commercial Technicians', Teacher.
Name and address of employer	Bedrijfsadviescentrum (BAC) of the University for Professional Education and Applied Science Alkmaar, Alkmaar, The Netherlands
Type of business or sector	Higher Education
Dates	1987 – 1988
Occupation or position held	Freelance curriculum developer
Main activities and responsibilities	Development of curriculum for communication programme for technicians. Curriculum developer
Name and address of employer	Bedrijfsadviescentrum (BAC) of the University for Professional Education and Applied Science Alkmaar, Alkmaar, The Netherlands

Type of business or sector	Higher Education
Dates	1986 – 1988
Occupation or position held	Member of the National Advice body for Learning Materials (ALM)
Main activities and responsibilities	Advising the Dutch National Authority (Ministry of Education and Science) about the use of learning Materials in vocational education: board member
Name and address of employer	Dutch Ministry of Education and Science, Rijnstraat 50, 2500 BL D en Haag
Type of business or sector	Education
Dates	1986 – 1987
Occupation or position held	Member of Overleg Orgaan Voortgezet Onderwijs (OOVO)
Main activities and responsibilities	National Council for Education in the Netherlands: member
Name and address of employer	Dutch Ministry of Education and Science Rijnstraat 50, 2500 BL D en Haag
Type of business or sector	Education
Dates	1984 – 1990
Occupation or position held	Teacher Educational Psychology and didactics
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching educational psychology and didactics to students: Teaching and curriculum development
Name and address of employer	Fontys University for Professional Education and Applied Science, Het Eeuwsel 2, Eindhoven
Type of business or sector	Higher Education
Dates	1982 – 1984
Occupation or position held	Deputy director
Main activities and responsibilities	Planning of educational activities, staff development and student counseling: coordination and supervision of the educational programme.
Name and address of employer	Vocational Training Institute Weesp, Irenestraat 2, 1381 NE Weesp
Type of business or sector	Education
Dates	1975 – 1982
Occupation or position held	Teacher
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching languages: Dutch and English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, History, Geography to youngsters: teacher.
Name and address of employer	Vocational Training Institute Weesp, Irenelaan 2, 1381 NE Weesp
Type of business or sector	Education

Education and training

Dates	2005 –present
Title of qualification awarded	PhD programme
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Research on the impact on organisational development by the use of quality standards and quality systems in Vocational Rehabilitation in the EU member states.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Maastricht, Minderbroedersberg 4-6, 6211 LK Maastricht, the Netherlands
Dates	1996 – 1997
Title of qualification awarded	Post Employment Certificate
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Rehabilitation Administration

Name and type of organisation providing education and training San Diego State University, 5500 Campanile Drive, San Diego, CA 92182 United State of America

Dates 1996

Title of qualification awarded Auditor

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Quality Management

Name and type of organisation providing education and training INK

Dates 1993

Title of qualification awarded Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Vocational Rehabilitation

Name and type of organisation providing education and training Stout University Wisconsin and San Diego State University

Dates 1993 – 1994

Title of qualification awarded MBA Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Strategic Management

Name and type of organisation providing education and training Rothmans & Partners

Dates 1975-1981

Title of qualification awarded MO Pedagogic

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Educational Psychology and Pedagogic

Name and type of organisation providing education and training the Nuts seminarium of the University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Dates 1972-1975

Title of qualification awarded Teacher

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Education

Name and type of organisation providing education and training Academy for Professional Education, 's Hertogenbosch, the Netherlands

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **Specify mother tongue** (if relevant add other mother tongue(s), see instructions)

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level ()*

English

Understanding		Speaking		Writing
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
C2	C2	C1	C1	C1

German	C1		C1	C1	C1	B1
Frensh	B1		B1	B1	B1	A2

(* Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences	- good ability to adapt to multicultural environments, gained though my work experience abroad; (15 years experience in International work) - good communication skills gained through my experience as project manager (Managing national and international projects)
Organisational skills and competences	- good experience in project or team management (professional activities as team leader of different projects)
Technical skills and competences	- good command of quality control processes (I am responsible for the implementation of quality audit in my organisation);
Computer skills and competences	- good command of Microsoft Office™ tools (Word™, Excel™ and PowerPoint™)and SPSS (competences have been acquired by training and work)
Artistic skills and competences	- good skills in playing the piano, keyboards and guitar (Skills have been acquired in leisure time)
Other skills and competences	-
Driving licence	Driving Licence for Category B and E

Additional information

Publications:

Beek van G., Lierop van B.A.G (Eds.) (2009)
Successstory: Europees kwaliteitskeurmerk voor de sociale zorg
In: Maandbald Reintegratie Volume 9 nr. 7/8
2009 Den Haag, The Netherlands

Beek van G. (2005)
El Camino hacia la Excelencia en Rehabilitación
In : SIGLO CERO nr. 216 2005 Volume 36 / 4
2005 Madrid, Spain

Beek van G., Kuvaja K., (Eds), (1999):
'The Role of Quality Management in the European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation'
In: Disability and Rehabilitation: An interdisciplinary journal 1999 Volume 20,7
1999 London, The United Kingdom

Beek van G., Kuvaja K., (Eds), (1997):
'A Guide to the European Model for Total Quality Management in the European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation'
Report of the working group Quality Management and Cost Effectiveness in the European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation,
1997 Hoensbroek , the Netherlands.

Amelvoort van L., Beek van G., Cook E. Kuvaja K., (1997):
'The Role of Quality Management in the European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation'
In: Rehab Review. Newsmagazine of the Canadian Association of Rehabilitation Professionals British Columbia Society (pag. 6 – 11)
CARP-BC Winter 1997 Volume XVIII Number 4
1997 Vancouver, Canada

Amelvoort van L., Beek van G., Cook E. Kuvaja K., (1997)
'Le Rôle de la gestion de la qualité dans la Plate-forme européenne pour la réinsertion professionnelle'
In: Formation professionnelle des personnes ayant un handicap moteur. (pag. 89 – 96)
Actes des 10^e Entretiens de l'institut Garches
1997 Paris, France

Papers and presentations:

Ireland

Annexes

Papers and presentations:

Papers and presentations:

European Quality in Social Services (EQUASS): a comprehensive quality approach in meeting needs and expectations of stakeholders"

In: International Seminar on Rehabilitation

Universidade do Minho

17 October 2009

Braga, Portugal

La label qualité européen EQUASS,

In: Forum des professions de la gérontologie et du handicap

27 May 2009

Paris, France

"EQUASS, a comprehensive quality approach in meeting needs and expectations of stakeholders"

In: European Conference "Protecting and promoting the rights of persons with disabilities in Europe: towards full participation, inclusion and empowerment"

30 October 2009

Strasbourg, France

The future perspective of EQUASS certification

In: National Norwegian conference "Å dele er å forbedre" for Vocational Rehabilitation Enterprises

2 November 2008

Trondheim, Norway

European Quality in Social Services

In: Exclusive Stakeholder Seminar on Quality

Centre for Accreditation and Quality Development

11 June 2008

Copenhagen, Denmark

Quality Certification in Social Services

In: AVIT project

3 and 4 January 2008

Bergen, Norway

Major developments in Vocational Rehabilitation (reintegration) since 2003

In: AVIT project

3 and 4 January 2008

Bergen, Norway

Label qualite European en Readaptation

In: UEROS

18 December 2007

Paris, France

Discovering Quality systems

'Quality systems in VET services for persons with a disability'

In EC-funded project: "Social Integration of Disabled People in the Privolzhsky Federal Okrug"

29 October 2007

Naberezhnye Chelny, Tatarstan Republic, Russia

The rehabilitation system in the Netherlands

In: study tour of project Social Integration of Disabled in the Privolzhsky Federal Okrug

21 November 2006

Hoensbroek, The Netherlands

European Initiative for Quality Certification in Social Service of General Interest

In: Social Platform seminar on quality of health and social services

25 April 2007

Brussels, Belgium

A European Quality Framework for Rehabilitation Services

In: 40 anniversary Astangu Vocational Rehabilitation Centre

31 October 2006

Talin, Estonia

Quality Systems in Vocational Rehabilitation

In: Study tour AVRE West group Norway

7 September 2006

Utrecht, the Netherlands

European Accreditation of Quality in Rehabilitation

In: 'Quality of Services ... Quality of life'

Organised by European Association of Service Providers to People with Disabilities (EASPD)

7 October 2006

Boxtel, The Netherlands

Development of Quality Systems in Social Services

In: Congress Quality approaches in Social Services

Organised by LOS

8 and 9 June 2005

Nyborgstrand, Denmark

Excellence in Rehabilitation

In: Congress GESQUAL, National development Quality Standards for Vocational Rehabilitation

Ministry of Social Affairs and Employment

9 May 2005

Estoril, Portugal

Quality Systems in Rehabilitation

In: Congress Quality Management in Rehabilitation

15 October 2004

Portoroz, Slovenia

The Way to Excellence in Rehabilitation

In: ILO World congress:

The Role of Rehabilitation in an Inclusive Society and the Problem of Disabling Barriers

23 June 2004

Oslo, Norway

The Way to Excellence in Rehabilitation

In: II International Conference: Quality of Rehabilitation Services as Promoter of Life Quality

9 October 2003

Lisbon, Portugal

The Ocean of Quality

An exploration of Quality systems for rehabilitation

In: CRPG Summer School

July 2003

Porto, Portugal

Winnie the Pooh on TQM in Vocational Rehabilitation

Efforts of five years transnational co-operation in the working group Quality Management and Cost-effectiveness

In: The seventh annual seminar of the EPVR 'The effectiveness of vocational rehabilitation and training'

The European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation (EPVR)

17 May 1999

Helsinki, Finland

Disability Employment Policies and Disability Management from a European perspective.

In: Third Annual DMEC Disability Management Conference: 'Pieces of a Puzzle'

The Disability Management Employers Coalition

21 July 1998

San Diego, California

United States of America

A challenging journey

An overview of the work Quality Management activities in the European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation.

In: The sixth Annual seminar of the European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation.

The European Platform for Vocational Rehabilitation (EPVR)

April 1998

Dublin, Ireland

The Imagination of Vocational Special Training

About evaluation of the social significance of vocational special training

In: 'Challenges to Vocational Special Training', 40 years Vocational Special Training in Northern Finland

17 October 1997

Oulu, Finland

The Evaluation of Quality Programmes in Vocational Rehabilitation

About evaluating Quality programmes and self-assessment in Vocational Rehabilitation

In: International seminar of the QuIS-project (Horizon project): Quality Improvement Systems in Vocational Rehabilitation

3 October 1996

Oulu, Finland

Evaluation of Quality programmes in Vocational Rehabilitation.

In: The Evaluation of Vocational Rehabilitation

Rehabilitation International

European Sub-Commission on Vocational Rehabilitation

12 June 1995

Dublin

Ireland