

Curriculum vitae (short English version) updated 2025

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Current academic position and last positions held

1998 – 2001	Associate professor in Intensive Care Medicine, Department of Surgery, VUmc, Amsterdam
2001 – today	(full) Professor in Intensive Care Medicine
1998 - 2001	Chairman division of Surgical Intensive Care, University Hospital VU medical centre, Amsterdam
2001 – 2023	Chairman department of Intensive Care, University Hospital VUmc, AmsterdamUMC
1998 – 2001	Associate professor in Intensive Care Medicine, Department of Surgery, VUmc, Amsterdam
1991 – 1998	Senior consultant and lecturer, ICU, department of Surgery, University Hospital Groningen
1991 – today	Intensivist-internist
1997 – today	Clinical pharmacologist

Teaching experience

1991 – 1998	Lecturer in Emergency Medicine and Intensive Care, State University Groningen, NL
1998 – today	Involved in educational programme University VU, Amsterdam: Intensive Care Medicine (and Emergency Medicine)
1998 – 2002	Deputy responsible for (postgraduate) training in Intensive Care Medicine, VUmc
2002 – 2023	Primary responsible (trainer) for (postgraduate) training in Intensive Care Medicine, VUmc
2001 – today	Professor/lecturer for emergency medicine and intensive care medicine

License type

1984	Registered as MD in Dutch Board
1991	PhD thesis, State University of Groningen (Title: Clinical Aspects of new dopamine agonists)
1991	Register as Internist in Dutch Specialist Registration Board (SRC)
1993	Registered as intensivist
1997	Registered as clinical pharmacologist

BIG registration number: 09021118201

Education

1977	Diploma Gymnasium beta (High school)
1984	MD, State University Groningen
1991	PhD, State University Groningen
1981	Qualified teacher in gymnastics

Publications and scientific work

See Medline/PubMed, author Girbes A
>400 publications as author/co-author

Oral presentations

> 350 on national and international symposia

Editorial Board

- Member Editorial Board Netherlands Journal of Medicine from 1997
- European Editorial Advisory Board member. Care of the Critically Ill. The Journal for Critical Care Professionals. (1998-2006)
- Member editorial board “Nederlands Tijdschrift voor Intensive Care” (1993 – 2002)
- Member editorial board Netherlands Journal for Critical Care (2003 - 2007)
- Member editorial board Hospital ICU management (from 2004)

Reviewer

International reviewer for various international medical journals

Other

- Chairman Dutch board for training in Intensive Care Medicine (2003-2009)
- 2003 Chairman European Congress of the ESICM, Amsterdam
- Chairman Subcommittee for Determination of Levels of Intensive Care on behalf of The Dutch Institute for Healthcare Improvement (CBO)
- International advisor Irish Healthcare Authorities for the organization of Intensive Care in Ireland (2008-2009)
- Chairman national intensive care guideline, 2010-2011
- Former Dutch representative in ESICM council
- Member board European Diploma in Intensive Care
- Member European Board of Intensive Care Medicine
- Chairman National Audit commission for quality of Intensive Care (2004-2012)
- Chairman EDIC part 2 examination European Diploma in Intensive Care for the Netherlands (2013-2017)
- Secretary and member Executive Committee of ESICM (European Society of Intensive Care Medicine) (2015-2018)
- Chair Division of Scientific Affairs (DSA) of ESICM
- Member of Dutch Society of Clinical Pharmacology, British Pharmacological Society, Dutch Society of Intensive Care, ESICM

Languages

Dutch, French, German, English, Spanish