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Professional career

October 2000	Appointed President of the Office for Harmonization in the Internal Market (Trade Marks and Designs) (OHIM) by the Council of the European Union.
1998-2000	Director-General of Civil Aviation, Ministry of Transport, Public Works and Watermanagement.
1997-1998	Director-General of Transport Policy, Ministry of Transport, Public Works and Watermanagement.
1991-1997	Director-General of Competition policy, Technology and Physical planning, Ministry of Economic Affairs.
1987-1991	Director-General for Service-Industry and Consumer Protection, Ministry of Economic Affairs.
1982-1987	Director-General for Small and Medium Sized Enterprises, Ministry of Economic Affairs
1978-1982	Director Legislation and Legal Affairs, Ministry of Economic Affairs.
1972-1978	Legal Affairs Department, Ministry of Economic Affairs.
1974-1978	Part time Lecturer Intellectual Property Law, University of Amsterdam.

Education

1966-1971	Lawschool, University of Amsterdam, specialisation on Intellectual Property.
1960-1966	Barlaeus Gymnasium, Amsterdam.

Other activities since 1982

Member of the Supervisory Board of NMB-Postbank
Member of the Supervisory Board of the National Railway Company
Member of the Board of various organisations in the Tourist Industry
Chairman of the Board of Directors, Hotelschool, The Hague
Member of the Board of Nyenrode University and various other institutes in the academic community
Chairman of the Amsterdam Cricket Club