

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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### ***Present position***

- 2006- IMF - Resident Representative in Tajikistan  
Central Asia Division, Middle East and Central Asia Department  
  
Responsibilities: running the Representative Office in Dushanbe, Tajikistan ([www.imf.org/external/country/tjk/rr](http://www.imf.org/external/country/tjk/rr)), forming the liaison between IMF headquarters and Tajik authorities, both at the highest and at the technical levels, working on diplomatic relations, economic analysis, policy reforms, technical assistance, donor coordination, and outreach activities

### ***Previous positions***

- 2000-2006 IMF - Economist  
PRGF Operations Division, Policy Development and Review Department (2001-2006)  
  
Responsibilities: low-income countries/development policies in general, Bangladesh (2004-2006), Yemen (2003-2004), Senegal (2001-2003)  
  
Baltic Division, European II Department (2000-2001)  
  
Responsibilities: Estonia, Baltic countries in general
- 1996-2000 Tinbergen Institute - Assistant Researcher  
Faculty of Economics and Econometrics, University of Amsterdam  
  
Responsibilities: research on transition economics, teaching macroeconomics, taking courses

- 2000 IMF - Visiting Scholar  
Research Department  
  
Responsibilities: research on capital flight from transition countries
- 2000 World Bank - Consultant  
Development Economics Research Group  
  
Responsibilities: research on capital flight from developing countries
- 1999 World Bank - Summer Intern  
Development Economics Research Group  
  
Responsibilities: research on capital flight from developing countries
- 1992-1996 'De Nederlandsche Bank' (Central Bank of The Netherlands) - Economist  
Monetary and Economic Policy Department (1994-1996)  
  
Responsibilities: analysis of Dutch balance of payments, competitiveness, business cycle, Japan  
  
Department of International Affairs (1992-1994)  
  
Responsibilities: analysis of Former Soviet Union, Central and Eastern Europe, Denmark, Japan
- 1990 'De Nederlandsche Bank' - Economist Intern  
Department of International Affairs  
  
Responsibilities: analysis of EMU fiscal criteria
- 1990 University of Amsterdam - Research Assistant  
Faculty of Economics and Econometrics  
  
Responsibilities: research on international monetary economics

### ***Academic education***

- 1996-2002 University of Amsterdam - PhD  
Faculty of Economics and Econometrics and Tinbergen Institute  
  
PhD-thesis: Institutions, economic performance and transition (One of three theses shortlisted for the European Association for Comparative Economic Studies Award 2002 for the best PhD-thesis in the fields of comparative economic systems and economics of transition submitted during 2000 and 2001)  
  
Specialization: transition and international macroeconomics

- 1986-1992 University of Amsterdam - MA (incorporates BA in The Netherlands)  
Faculty of Economics and Econometrics  
  
MA-thesis: Consumption and fiscal policy under rational expectations (One of two theses given the ‘Herman Karel Nieuwenhuis’ Award 1992 for the best MA-thesis of the Faculty of Economics and Econometrics, University of Amsterdam submitted during 1992)  
  
Specialization: international macroeconomics
- 1992 University of Minnesota, Minneapolis - International Student Exchange Program  
  
Specialization: monetary and macroeconomics

### **Languages**

- Dutch Native language
- English Fluent reading, speaking and writing (6 years of secondary education)
- French Good reading, speaking, and writing (private lessons, IMF (2002); summercourse, University of Aix-Marseille 1, Aix-en-Provence (1989); and 4 years of secondary education)
- German Good reading and speaking, fair writing (3 years of secondary education)
- Russian Good reading, fair speaking and writing (private lessons, IMF (2007); 2 summercourses: Russian language school of Moscow Architecture Institute, Moscow (1998), and Russian language school ‘Zlatoust’, St.Petersburg (1997))
- Spanish Good reading, fair speaking and writing (group lessons, IMF (2003-2004); 2 trimester courses Spanish cultural center ‘Molinos de Viento’, Amsterdam (1996 and 1995); and summercourse, Spanish language school ‘Santa Maria’, Quetzaltenango (1995))

### **Publications**

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- Moers, L.A.M., 2000, Determinants of enterprise restructuring in transition: description of a survey in Russian industry, Post-Communist Economies, vol. 12, no. 3, pp. 307-335
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- -, 1999, How important are institutions for growth in transition countries?, Tinbergen Institute Discussion Paper, no. 99-004/2
- -, 1999, From plan to market: why output collapse? (in Dutch), 'Economische Statistische Berichten', vol. 84, no. 4188, pp. 95-97
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- -, 1998, What makes (breaks) dinosaurs? (in Dutch), 'Economenblad', vol. 20, no. 5, p. 6
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- -, 1997, The many appearances of protectionism (in Dutch), 'Economische Statistische Berichten', vol. 82, no. 4114, pp. 565-568
- -, 1996, Just how protectionist is Japan? A survey (in Dutch), Monetary and Economic Policy Department Series, no. 1996-14, 'De Nederlandsche Bank', Amsterdam
- -, 1995, Consumption and fiscal policy under rational expectations, MA-thesis, ISBN 90-800937-7-7, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam
- -, 1994, Which lessons does Japan learn from the bubble economy? (in Dutch), 'Bank- en Effectenbedrijf', vol. 43, no. 6, pp. 26-29
- Haack, W.G.C.M., E. de Jong and L.A.M. Moers, 1990, The entry of the British pound into the Exchange Rate Mechanism of the European Monetary System (in Dutch), 'Economische Statistische Berichten', vol. 75, no. 3780, pp. 988-991