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PROFESSIONAL CAREER:

- Ph. D. dissertation (1979): Large deviations and asymptotic efficiencies (supervisor: J. Oosterhoff).
- Mathematical Centre (CWI), Amsterdam: 1973-1984.
- Visiting assistant professor UW, Seattle (Department of Statistics and Mathematics): 1979-1981 (unpaid leave from Mathematical Centre).
- Professor of Statistics at the University of Amsterdam (Department of Mathematics): 1984-1988.
- Professor of Statistics at Delft University of Technology (Department of Mathematics and Computer Science): 1988-2006. Emeritus professor since 2006.
- Visiting Professor, Stanford University, Department of Statistics (on leave from the Delft University from June till September, 1990; invitation by David Siegmund, Iain Johnstone and Persi Diaconis).
- Visiting Professor, Université Paris VI, Spring 1994.
- Visiting Professor, Department of Statistics, University of Washington, Seattle, Spring 1998 and Spring 1999.
- Affiliate Professor of Statistics, University of Washington, Department of Statistics, Seattle, U.S.A. since May 1999.

- Affiliate professor of Statistics, Free University, Amsterdam, Department of Mathematics, 2000-2006. Emeritus professor since 2006.
- Visiting Professor, Institut Henri Poincaré, Paris. February-March, 2001.
- Visiting Professor, Department of Statistics, University of Washington, Seattle, Spring 2006.
- Visiting Professor, ETH, Zürich, Fall 2007.

MISCELLANEA:

- Fellow of the IMS.
- Elected member of ISI.
- Rollo Davidson prize 1985, Cambridge, UK, for the preprint “Brownian motion with a parabolic drift and Airy functions”, Report MS-R8413, Mathematical Centre, Amsterdam (which appeared in Probability Theory and Related Fields (1989)).
- Visitor at MSRI, Berkeley, 1983 and 1991.
- Invited organizer of a DMV (Deutsche Mathematiker Vereinigung) seminar, 1990.
- Special Invited Paper at Joint Statistical Meeting, Boston, 1992, with David Donoho and Niels Keiding as discussants.
- Invited lecturer at the Ecole d’Eté de Probabilités de Saint-Flour, 1994.
- Wald lecturer, Joint Statistical Meeting, Montreal, 2013.

PH. D. STUDENTS:

- Jaap Praagman (jointly supervised with Peter Sander).
Dissertation: Efficiency of change-point tests.
Ph. D. examination: Juni 27, 1986, Eindhoven University of Technology.
- Albertus Jacob van Es.
Dissertation: Aspects of Nonparametric Density Estimation.
Ph. D. examination: November 2, 1988, University of Amsterdam.
- Ello Aart Gijsbert Weits.
Dissertation: A stochastic heat equation for freeway traffic flow.
Ph. D. examination: May 17, 1990, Delft University of Technology.
- Frank Windmeyer (jointly supervised with H. Neudecker).
Dissertation: Goodness of Fit in Linear and Qualitative-Choice models.
Ph. D. examination: June 9, 1992, University of Amsterdam.
- Annoesjka Joberte Cabo (jointly supervised with Adrian Baddeley).
Dissertation: Set Functionals in Stochastic Geometry.
Ph. D. examination: June 28, 1994, Delft University of Technology.
- Geurt Jongbloed.
Dissertation: Three Statistical Inverse Problems.
Ph. D. examination: October 9, 1995, Delft University of Technology.
- Ronald Bertus Geskus.
Dissertation: Estimation of Smooth Functionals with Interval Censored Data and something completely different.
Ph. D. examination: February 11, 1997, Delft University of Technology.
- Peter-Paul de Wolf.
Dissertation: Estimating the extreme value index -tales of tails.
Ph. D. examination: October 5, 1999, Delft University of Technology.
- Vladimir Nikolaevich Koulikov.
Dissertation: Direct and indirect use of maximum likelihood.
Ph. D. examination: January 21, 2003, Delft University of Technology.
- Marloes Henriette Maathuis (jointly supervised with Jon Wellner).
Dissertation: Nonparametric Estimation for Current Status Data with Competing Risks.
Ph. D. examination: June 7, 2006, University of Washington, Seattle.
- Stefanie Donauer (jointly supervised with Geurt Jongbloed).
Dissertation: Asymptotics in Deconvolution Models - Approximating Perfect Knowledge.
Ph. D. examination: March 18, 2009, Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam.

- Birgit Ilja Witte (jointly supervised with Geurt Jongbloed).
Dissertation: Current Status Censoring Models.
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- (1992) (with J.A. Wellner) Information bounds and nonparametric maximum likelihood estimation, Birkhäuser Verlag.
- (1996) Lectures on inverse problems, in: Lectures On Probability and Statistics. Ecole d'Eté de de Probabilités de Saint-Flour XXIV, 1994. Ed. P. Bernard. Lecture Notes in Mathematics, 1648, 67-164. Springer Verlag, Berlin.
- (2014) (with G. Jongbloed) Nonparametric Estimation under Shape Constraints: Theory, Algorithms, and Applications. To appear in the Cambridge Series in Statistical and Probabilistic Mathematics (CSPM).

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- (1977) (with J. Oosterhoff), Bahadur efficiency and probabilities of large deviations, *Statistica Neerlandica* 31, 1-24.
- (1978) (with J. Hoogstraten, G.J. Mellenbergh and J.P.H. van Santen), Relevant variables in the advices of elementary school teachers on further education; an analysis of correlational structures (in Dutch), *Tijdschrift voor Onderwijsresearch* 3 (Journal for Educational Research), 262-280.
- (1979) (with J. Oosterhoff and F.H. Ruymgaart), Large deviation theorems for empirical probability measures, *Annals of Probability* 7, 553-586.
- (1981) (with G.R. Shorack), Large deviations of goodness of fit statistics and linear combinations of order statistics, *Annals of Probability*, vol. 9, 971-987.

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- (1983) The concave majorant of Brownian motion, *Annals of Probability*, vol. 11, 1016-1027.
- (1983) (with R. Pyke), Asymptotic normality of statistics based on convex minorants of empirical distribution functions, *Annals of Probability*, vol. 11, 328-345.
- (1985) Estimating a monotone density, in: Proceedings of the Conference in honor of Jerzy Neyman and Jack Kiefer, Vol. II, (Eds. L.M. Le Cam and R.A. Olshen), 539-555, Wadsworth, Inc, Belmont, California.
- (1986) Some current developments in density estimation, in: Mathematics and Computer Science, CWI Monograph 1 (Eds. J.W. de Bakker, M. Hazewinkel, J.K. Lenstra), 163-192, Elsevier, Amsterdam.
- (1987) Asymptotics for incomplete censored observations, Report 87-18, Mathematical Institute, University of Amsterdam.
- (1988) Limit theorems for convex hulls. *Probability theory and related fields*, 79, 327-368.
- (1989) Brownian motion with a parabolic drift and Airy functions. *Probability theory and related fields*, 81, 79-109.
- (1991) Discussion on “Age-specific incidence and prevalence, a statistical perspective”, by Niels Keiding in the *J. Royal Statistical Society*, Series A, 154, 371-412.
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- (1993) (with H.P. Lopuhaä) Isotonic estimators of monotone densities and distribution functions: basic facts. *Statistica Neerlandica* vol. 47 (1993), 175–183.
- (1993) Flow of the Rhine river near Lobith (in Dutch: “Afvoertoppen bij Lobith”, work done by order of the Ministry of Public Works).
- (1994) (with A.J. Cabo) Limit theorems for functionals of convex hulls. *Probability theory and related fields*, 100, no. 1, 31-55.

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- (1998) (with C. Elsinghorst, P. Jonathan, L. Smulders and P.H. Taylor) Extreme Value Analysis of North Sea Storm Severity. *Journal of Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering*, vol. 120, 177-184.
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