

# CURRICULUM VITAE



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<i>Institution</i>	<i>Degree</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Field of study</i>
W. Zwijgerlyceum Bussum	Gymnasium β	1976	Greek, Dutch, English, Mathematics, Physics Chemistry, History
Vrije Univ, A'dam	BA (cum laude)	1979	Psychology
Vrije Univ, A'dam	-	-	Philosophy
Vrije Univ, A'dam	MA (cum laude)	1983	Psychophysiology
Univ Colorado, USA	MA	1983	Biological Psychology/Behavior Genetics
Vrije Universiteit	PhD (cum laude)	1992	Quantitative Genetics
<b>Thesis:</b>	Quantitative Genetic Analysis of Cardiovascular Risk Factors in Twins and their Parents		
<b>Promotor:</b>	Prof J.F. Orlebeke		
<b>Work:</b>			
1984-1985	Statistician (Dept of Dental Surgery, VU, Amsterdam)		
1985-1990	Research Assistant, Genetics of Cardiovascular Risk Factors (VU)		
1990-1994	UD (Assistant professor, Dept of Psychonomics, VU)		
1994-1997	UHD (Associate professor, Dept of Psychonomics, VU)		
1998-present	Full professor / Head dept Biological Psychology (VU) & Netherlands Twin Register		

## Awards and honors:

1985	Thompson Award (awarded by Behavior Genetics Association)
1996	Junior-Heymans Award (awarded by Dutch Psychological Association)
2001	Member KNAW (Royal Netherlands Academy of Sciences)

- 2002 Spinoza Prize (awarded by NOW: Netherlands Scientific Organization)  
 2002 James Shield Award (Intern. Twin Society / Behavior Genetics Association)

**Publications:** (see [www.tweelingenregister.org](http://www.tweelingenregister.org) / [www.darenet.nl/nl/page/language.view/keur.page](http://www.darenet.nl/nl/page/language.view/keur.page) )

Papers: > 380;

Book chapters: > 30;

Other publications > 30;

Published abstracts: > 225

Book editor: Tweelingonderzoek. Wat meerlingen vertellen over de mens (in Dutch) 2008

### **Memberships:**

Royal Netherlands Academy of Science (Koninklijke Nederlandse Akademie Wetenschappen)

Koninklijke Hollandsche Maatschappij der Wetenschappen

Behavior Genetics Association

International Society for Twin Studies

American Society Human Genetics

International Genetic Epidemiological Society

### **Editor:**

1997-present Associate Editor *Behavior Genetics*

1999-present Associate Editor *Twin Research and Human Genetics*

Editor Special issues *Behav Genet*: Genetic Analysis of Twin and Family data (1989); Genetics of Brain Function and Cognition (2001); Human Linkage Studies of Behavior (2006)

Editor Special issue *Twin Res*: World-wide Twin Registries (2002)

### **Other activities:**

- 1988 Established Netherlands Twin Register
- 1988-1991 Executive Committee Behavior Genetics Association
- 1987-2008 Faculty yearly International Workshop Twin Methodology (Europe/USA)
- 1992-1999 Head Twin Research Methodology Group International Twin Society
- 1993-1996 Head Education program EPOS Graduate school
- 1994 Member working group Brain Research European Community (Brussels)
- 1996 Member NWO-MW committee Gene-Environment Interaction
- 1997 Member NWO-MW committee Diet, Genetics and Chronic Disease
- 1999-2000 Board member NWO-MW Health Sciences (Gezondheidswetenschappen)
- 1999 Member NIH committee Genetics & Cognitive Neuroscience (Washington)
- 2000 Member NWO Committee Cognition
- 2000-present Exam committee Neuroscience MA program
- 2000-present Member ISTS board (International Society Twin Studies)
- 2002-2007 Steering committee GenomEUtwin
- 2003-2004 Board member CMSB (NWO Centre Medical and Systems Biology)
- 2004-present Member Research Council CNCR (Centre Neurogenomics and Cognition Research)
- 2005-present Member committee Cognitive Sciences (Royal Academy of Science)
- 2006-present Bestuurslid Avond van Wetenschap & Maatschappij
- 2007 President-elect Behavior Genetics Association (BGA)

**Research interests:** analysis of individual differences in normal and abnormal behavior, health, and cognition. I study the genetic and biological basis of individual differences using approaches from

genetic epidemiology, psychophysiology and molecular genetics. My primary training was in psychophysiology in Amsterdam and I did an MA degree in behavior genetics in Boulder, CO. When I started my PhD research on cardiovascular risk factors, I established the Netherlands Twin Register (NTR: [www.tweelingenregister.org](http://www.tweelingenregister.org)). The NTR collects data from twin-families (in twins, sibs, parents, spouses and offspring). Epidemiological data are collected by longitudinal surveys. Sub-samples participate in research projects including MRI, fMRI, EEG/ERP studies of brain volume and function; cognition and memory; childhood and adult psychopathology and cardiovascular risk. In 2004 we started a large biobank project in the adult participants. A longstanding interest is the genetics of twinning itself. Several research projects are carried out as part of large national and international collaborations.

## RECENT PUBLICATIONS

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Berg SM Van den, Setiawan A, Bartels M, Polderman TJC, Van der Vaart AW, **Boomsma DI**. Individual differences in puberty onset in girls: Bayesian estimation of heritabilities and genetic correlations. *Behavior Genetics*, 36, 261-270, 2006

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Derkx EM, Dolan CV, **Boomsma DI**. A test of the Equal Environment Assumption (EEA) in multivariate twin studies. *Twin Res Human Genetics*, 9, 403-411, 2006

Estourgie-van Burk GF, Bartels M, Beijsterveldt C.E.M. van, Delemarre-van de Waal HA, **Boomsma DI**. Body size in five-year-old twins: Heritability and comparison to singleton standards. *Twin Res and Hum Genet*, 9, 646-655, 2006

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