

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PROFILE

With a background as a product designer (BSc degree), a scientific education in Media Technology (MSc degree) and two trimesters at UCLA's art department, I created an environment for myself with creation as most important factor. With this mix of education I'm able to explore the world by creating. My research can range from human behavior to physical aspects of humans and objects and can result in new information (e.g. scientific articles) to physical (interactive) installations. What started out as a fascination for the creation of new products evolved in the creation of new insights knowledge and information.

I worked at distinguished design companies in Barcelona and Amsterdam (resp. daifukudesigns.com and mvyachts.com) and have experience in hand drawing and model making (physical and 3D-CAD).

I've had exhibitions in Rotterdam, The Hague and Los Angeles and attended the Design and Media Arts department of UCLA.

EDUCATION

Master of Science Leiden University, LIACS Media Technology (Average: 7,8)	2007 – 2011
Master of Fine Arts (Non-Degree objective) University of California Los Angeles Design and Media Arts	2009 - 2010
Bachelor of Science The Hague University of applied sciences Industrial Product design with a major in Human- Product Interaction	2002 – 2006
Preparatory training Pre-university education (VWO, N&T) (Witch equals: High school plus two years of university studying subjects relevant to the selected degree course)	1996 - 2002

Courses : Dutch, English, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Science, Art and Art History.

EXHIBITIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

CHI-Sparks – 2011

[HAN University of Applied Sciences, Arnhem]

Paper presentation: Experiments with Galvanic Vestibular Stimulation in Daily Activities

Double Dutch - 2009

[Broad Art Center, Charles E. Young Drive, Los Angeles]

Projects: Stingray, Release of the Stingray, Listening plant, Mold Fight, Street View, Give me a Break

Six years of creative research - 2008

[Former photomuseum [V2], Witte de Withstraat Rotterdam]

Project: 'The Immortaliser'

Rec/Play on Location - 2008

[Theater Zeebelt, The Hague]

Project: 'The String'

Performance with the Royal Art academy and Royal Conservatory

Test Lab – 2008

[Former photomuseum [V2], Witte de Withstraat Rotterdam]

Project: 'Bacil do Brasil'

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Leiden University

09/ 2008 – 12/ 2008

[Student assistant, part time]

· I have been a student assistant of lecturer Maarten Lamers and professor Bas Haring in the Creative Research course.

MV Yachts

08/ 2006 – 02/ 2007

[Designer]

· After my graduation project they gave me the opportunity to continue as an employee in the company.

· My main job was designing new type of yacht, the Runabout. I made different designs and deck layouts based on the existing hull used for the earlier types.

· Besides the Runabout I did a lot of other things like designing a folder, other graphical work and designing new parts for their current types of yachts.

MV Yachts

02/ 2006 – 07/ 2006

[Graduation project]

· At MV Yachts I did my graduation project. I always loved boats and here I could learn all the ins and outs.

· I designed a modular top for 3 different types of yachts. A great project with a great result.

Daifuku Designs Barcelona

02/ 2005 – 07/ 2005

[Designer]

· As an all round designer I worked on projects involving lamps, furniture, bathroom equipment and model making.

· Here I learned how it is to work in a real company, dealing with clients and working independent under special circumstances.

· It was a great experience to work in a design company, experiencing the Spanish culture and see your work being produced.

Catering Industry

1998 - Current

Up to this moment I have had several jobs in the catering industry ranging from cook to bar tender.

SKILLS

Software

- Processing
- Solid Works
- Adobe Photoshop
- AutoCAD
- Dreamweaver
- Logic Pro
- Final Cut Pro

Mastery of Language

- Dutch (Native)
- English (fluent)
- German (basic)

Driving License B since 18-12-2001

VOLUNTEER WORK

Water Scouts

2001 – Current

[Staff, Technical staff, Cooking staff]

I have been staff member for two years (group of 14/15 years old), helped renovating our 36m long ship as member of the technical staff and I was the cook for a week or weekend for a group of 60 people on multiple occasions.

Organization of a summer camp

2001

[Member of the commission]

I organized a summer camp for 60 people together with 3 other people in this commission.

Student Organization 'Via Forma'

2002 - 2004

[member of the party committee]

Together with 6 other people I organized 5 parties and a Christmas dinner each year for our student organization. All the parties were at different locations.