CURRICULUM VITAE

Prof Dr JAAP WILLEM DE ZWAAN

Born on 9 February 1949 in Amsterdam

Married, three children

Professional activities

1998- Professor of the Law of the European Union at the Law School of Erasmus University Rotterdam. Also holder of the EU Jean Monnet Chair 'Future developments of the European Union'

2005-2011 Director of the Netherlands Institute of International Relations ('Clingendael') in The Hague

1999-2004 Erasmus University Rotterdam

- 1999-2001 Dean of International Relations of the Law School of Erasmus University Rotterdam
- 2001-2004 Dean of the Law School of Erasmus University Rotterdam

1979-1998 Ministry of Foreign Affairs

- 1979-1981 Staff member of the Department on European Integration, The Hague
- 1981-1983 Member of the Legal Service, The Hague
- 1983-1988 Legal Advisor of the Netherlands Permanent Representation to the European Communities, Brussels
- 1988-1995 Senior Member of the Legal Service, The Hague
- 1995-1998 Legal Advisor and Head of Division Justice and Home Affairs of the Netherlands Permanent Representation to the European Union, Brussels

1979- Substitute Judge in the District Court of the Hague

1973-1979 Member of the Bar of The Hague (Office Pels Rijcken & Droogleever Fortuijn)

Acted during his work as barrister (1973-1979) and as member of the Legal Service of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (1981-1983 and 1988-1995) as Agent for the Netherlands Government in numerous cases, covering all aspects of the institutional and substantive Law of the European Union, before the Court of Justice of the European Union in Luxembourg.

Was involved as Legal Advisor of the Permanent Representation (1983-1988) in the negotiations on and the drafting of the Single European Act. Was furthermore involved in the negotiations on and the drafting of the Treaties of Accession of Spain and Portugal to the European Communities.

Was involved as Legal Advisor of the Permanent Representation (1995-1998) in the negotiations on and the drafting of the Treaty of Amsterdam. Chaired during the Netherlands Presidency (first half of 1997) the Group 'Friends of the Presidency'/'Amis de la Présidence'. Was involved as Head of Division Justice and Home Affairs in the development of the Third Pillar cooperation.

Education

1993 Doctor's degree in Law at the University of Groningen ('The Permanent Representatives Committee, its role in European Union decision making')

1972-1973 Postgraduate studies at the College of Europe, Bruges in Belgium. Main courses in European Law (Institutional law, Substantive law, Legal protection, Competition law), optional courses: Political Sciences and Economy

1972 Traineeship at the Commission of the EC, Brussels, Belgium (DG VI, Agriculture)

1967-1972 Study at the Law School of the University of Leiden. Main courses in Dutch Civil Law, optional courses: European Law and Public Finances

1961-1967 Secondary Education (Gymnasium B) at 'Het Amsterdams Lyceum' in Amsterdam

Other activities

2010-2011 Member of the Editorial Board of the 'Internationale Spectator', the monthly periodical for international affairs published on behalf of the Netherlands Institute of International Relations ('Clingendael') in The Hague

2009- Member of the Board of the Trans European Policy Studies Association (TEPSA), a network organization for Institutes for European Studies in the Member States and candidate-Member States of the European Union, having its seat in Brussels, Belgium

2009- Member of the Advisory Board ('Wissenschaftlichen Direktorium') of the Institut für Europäische Politik, Germany, Berlin

2008-2011 Chairman of the Board of the 'Haagse Academische Coalitie' (the 'Hague Academic Coalition'), a foundation serving as framework for cooperation between academic institutions in The Hague in the context of the profile of the city of The Hague as UN 'Legal Capital' of the World

2007- Member of the Board of the Amsterdam Institute of German Studies in Amsterdam ('Duitsland Instituut Amsterdam')

2006- Member of the Governing Board of the European Studies Institute, established by the European Union and the Russian Federation in the framework of the PCA-cooperation EU-Russia, in Moscow, Russia

2005-2010 Editor-in-chief of the 'Internationale Spectator', the monthly periodical for international affairs published on behalf of the Netherlands Institute of International Relations ('Clingendael') in The Hague

2005- Member of the French-Dutch Cooperation Council ('Conseil de coopération franco-néerlandais')

2005-2010 Member of the Board of the Netherlands Association for European Law ('Nederlandse Vereniging voor Europees Recht')

2004-2008 Member of the General Board of the 'Europese Beweging Nederland' ('EBN', European Movement, section of The Netherlands

2004 Member of the Commission 'European Union'

instituted in January 2004 by the Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands to review the modalities of cooperation between the Dutch Antilles and Aruba on the one hand, and the European Union on the other

2002- Member of the Board of the 'Rotterdams Juridisch Genootschap' (Rotterdam Law Association)

2002-2008 Member of the Board of the Foundation 'Nederland-Roemenië' (The Netherlands - Romania)

2002-2005 Vice President of the Executive Board ('Dagelijks Bestuur') of the T.M.C. Asser Instituut, Institute for International Private and Public Law and European Law, in The Hague

2002-2005 Member of the General Board ('Algemeen Bestuur') of the T.M.C. Asser Instituut, Institute for International Private and Public Law and European Law, in The Hague

2000- Member of the Commission on European Integration (CEI), which is one of the committees of the Advisory Council on International Affairs (AIV) of the Minister of Foreign Affairs

1999-2002 President of the Scientific Council (Wetenschappelijke Raad) of the T.M.C. Asser Instituut, Institute for International Private and Public Law and European Law, in The Hague

1998-2000 Member of the Administrative Council of the Salvador Madariaga Foundation, research foundation for the College of Europe in Bruges (Belgium)

1997-2002 Member of the Advisory Board (Curatorium) of the Europa Institute of the Law School of the University of Leiden

1984-1988 President of the Association of Former Students of the College of Europe in Bruges (Belgium). In the period 1988-1995 regional representative of the Association in the Netherlands

1976-1978 Member respectively President of the Board of the Young Bar Association to the Supreme Court in The Hague

1967-1972 Several functions in student associations, such as President of the Liberal Student Association in Leiden (1969-1971)

Foreign languages

French	fluent: orally and in writing
English	fluent: orally and in writing
German	good: orally and in writing

Miscellaneous

2010 Decorated, on 21 October 2010, with the 'Commemorative Medal' of the Faculty of Law of Comenius University Bratislava, Slovak Republic

2009 'Award of Excellence', granted on 10 December 2009 by the Romanian Ambassador to the Netherlands, Dr Calin Fabian, in recognition of the outstanding contribution to promoting Romanian values in The Netherlands and to supporting assistance projects for Romania throughout the 20 years after 1989

2004 Decorated, on 21 April 2004, with the 'Imrich Karvas' medal of the University of Economics in Bratislava, Slovak Republic

2001 Certificate Leergang 'Human Resource Management 2000-2001', organised jointly by the Technical University Delft, Erasmus University Rotterdam and University Leiden.

1998 Decorated with the 'Diplôme d'Officier dans l'Ordre du mérite français', signed by the President of the French Republic, Mr Jacques Chirac

1991-1994 Lecturer in the European Law courses of the Rijks Opleidingsinstituut ('State Training School') in The Hague. Main target group: members of the Legal and Legislative Departments of all Ministries of the Government in The Hague

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