

Curriculum Vitae

1972 Born in St. Odiliënberg, the Netherlands

1984-1991 Secondary school: Atheneum-B, Bisschoppelijk College Schöndeln, Roermond, the Netherlands.

1991-1995 Master student at the Eindhoven University of Technology, Department of Mathematics and Computing Science, Systems and Control Group. The master project entitled "*Optimal positive control and optimal control with positive state entries*" was carried out under supervision of Prof. Dr. Ir. M.L.J. Hautus, Dr. A.A. Stoorvogel and Dr. Ir. S.J.L. van Eijndhoven.

1995-1999 Ph.D. research at the Eindhoven University of Technology, Department of Electrical Engineering, Measurement and Control Systems and the Tilburg University, Department of Economics. The Ph.D. project entitled "*Linear Complementarity Systems: A Study in Hybrid Dynamics*" was carried out under supervision of Prof. Dr. Ir. P.P.J. van den Bosch, Prof. Dr. J.M. Schumacher and Dr. S. Weiland

1996 Received the certificate of the "Dutch Institute of Systems and Control" for successfully finishing the courses "system identification," "mathematical models of systems," "system and control theory of nonlinear systems," "design methods for control systems" and "control theory of linear systems."