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Academic education:

1984-1989: Leiden University, Ph.D. in Islamic Studies.

1977-1984: Leiden University, M.A. (cum laude) in the Department of Religious Studies;
major History of Islam; minors: Arabic and sociology of religion.

1974-1977: Leiden University, B.A. Religious Studies.

Languages: Dutch, English, German, French, Indonesian. Reading only: Arabic, Spanish, Greek, Latin, Hebrew.

Employment:

2010 – 2013: coordinator/researcher Islam Research Programme – Jakarta (Leiden University – Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

2009 – present: lecturer Islamic Studies, School for Middle Eastern Studies (SMES), Leiden Institute for Area Studies (LIAS), Leiden University.

2006 – present: academic coordinator “Training of Indonesia’s Young Leaders Programme”, Leiden University.
2005 – 2009: lecturer Islamic Studies, Institute for Languages and Cultures of the Middle East, Leiden University.
2001- 2005: Research coordinator 'The Dissemination of Religious Authority in 20th Century Indonesia', International Institute for Asian Studies (IIAS), under the sponsorship of the Royal Academy of Sciences (KNAW).
1989- 2005: Academic coordinator/lecturer Indonesian Netherlands Cooperation in Islamic Studies (INIS), Leiden University.
1984-1989: Research assistant, Department for Religious Studies, Leiden University.
1987-1988: Preparatory activities INIS.
1985-1987: Consultant/lecturer Islam, Ministry of Justice, The Hague (for prison warders).
1984: Course developer 'Religion of ethnic minorities in the Netherlands', Leiden University.

(Past) memberships and fellowships:

- member consultative board Leiden University Center for the Study of Islam and Society (LUCIS) (2009-).
- visiting senior research fellow, Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, May-June 2009.
- editorial board ARI-Springer Asia Series, associate editor Religion Series, National University of Singapore (2009-).
- member of the Advisory Board of the project “Godsdienst politiek in Nederlands-Indië, 1816-1942”, Institute for Dutch History, The Hague (March 2007 -).
- member of the board of the Institute of Languages and Culture of the Middle East (January 2007 – 2009).
- visiting senior research fellow, Asia Research Institute (ARI), National University Singapore, (October 2006 – December 2006).
- senior fellow IIAS, Leiden (2006 - present).
- member examining board Arabic, New Persian , Turkish and Islamic Studies, Leiden University, 2005 – present.
- member education board (OLC) Arabic, New Persian , Turkish and Islamic Studies, Leiden University, 2005 – present.
- organizing committee and examination board Islamic Studies Programme, Leiden University, 1994 - 2005 (secretary from June 1998 - 2005).
- member Leiden Institute for the Study of Religion (LISOR) (1994 – 1996).
- CNWS, Research School for Asian, African, and Amerindian Studies, Leiden University (1996 - 2008).
- member Royal Institute of Anthropology and Linguistics.
- member Union des Arabisants et Islamisants.
- preparatory committee research project 'The Dissemination of Religious Authority in 20th Century Indonesia', submitted to the Royal Academy of Sciences (KNAW) (1996-2000; secretary from 1999).
- preparatory and steering committee M.Phil. course of the International Institute for the Study of Islam in the Modern World (ISIM), Leiden (1998 - 2000).
- editorial board 'Chronicle of Islam in Indonesia', INIS Newsletter (1989-1999).
- steering committee project 'Muslim Women and Development', Ministry of Foreign Affairs,

The Hague (1998-1999).

- secretary Department of Religious studies, Leiden University, 1984-1986.

Courses taught at Leiden University (in past and present):

religions of ethnic minorities in the Netherlands; introduction to Islam; introduction to the Qur'ân; introduction to the Hadîth; introduction to the comparative study of religion; history of orientalism; introduction to the sociology of religion; comparative study of Islam in contemporary Egypt and Indonesia; modern religions in Indonesia; methodological approaches to the study of Islam in Indonesia; reading Arabic Islamic texts; MA seminar fatwas in modern Indonesia; MA seminar thesis writing.

Conferences and panels convened:

- 10 June 2010: "Islam in contemporary Indonesia", in cooperation with Netherlands embassy Jakarta, IRP Programme.

- "Islamic Studies in Berlin", in cooperation with Centre for Modern Oriental Studies, Humboldt University and Free University, Berlin, 10-11 May 2010 (in cooperation with Prof. Dr. Ulrike Freitag and Marise van Amersfoort).

- "Islam, democracy and good governance", second International Conference within the framework of the Indonesian Young Leaders Programme, 6-8 October 2009, Semarang, Indonesia (with Prof. Wim Stokhof, Marise van Amersfoort, MA and Prof. Dr. Abdul Djamil)

- Symposium "Islam in the Modern World", in cooperation with University of Copenhagen, Leiden University Centre for the Study of Islam and society (LUCIS), Leiden, 25 March 2009 (with Dr. Cynthia Chou, Dr. Michael Feener and Marise van Amersfoort).

- "Muslim Youth as Agents of Change", first International Conference within the framework of the Indonesian Young Leaders Programme, 27-29 November 2007, Malang, Indonesia (with Prof. Wim Stokhof, Marise van Amersfoort, MA and Dr. Yahya Umar).

- Panel "Dakwah on the Move: the propagation of the faith from the Netherlands East Indies until present day Indonesia", ICAS 5, Kuala Lumpur, 2 – 5 August 2007 (together with Prof. Kees van Dijk).

- "The Dissemination of Religious Authority in 20th Century Indonesia", final seminar KNAW research project, 7-9 July 2005, Bogor, Indonesia (together with Prof. Azyumardi Azra, UIN, Jakarta and Prof. Kees van Dijk, KITLV, Leiden).

- "The education of Southeast Asian Islamic leadership", joint conference ISEAS/IIAS, Institute for Southeast Asian Studies, 19-20 May 2005, Singapore (together with David Koh, ISEAS).

- "Religious networks between the Middle East and Southeast Asia", IIAS workshop, Cairo, 24-26 October 2003 (together with Dr. Mona Abaza, American University in Cairo).

- "Fatwa and the Dissemination of Religious Authority", KNAW/IIAS/CNWS/ISIM Seminar, Leiden, 31 October 2002 (together with Dr. M.F. Laffan).

- Panel 'The Dissemination of Religious Authority in 20th Century Indonesia', European Association for Southeast Asian Scholars (EUROSEAS), Hamburg, 4 September 1998 (together with Dr. D. Douwes).

- Panel "Ulama and fatwa: the Structures of Traditional Religious Authority in 20th Century

Indonesia", International Convention of Asia Scholars (ICAS), Noordwijkerhout, 27 June 1998.

- Qur'anic Studies at the Eve of the 21st Century, Leiden University, 8-10 June 1998 (with Prof. Nasr Abu Zaid and Dr. J.J.G. Jansen).
- First International Conference on Islam and the 21st Century, Leiden University, 3-7 June 1996 (with Dr. D. Douwes).
- INIS workshop "Islamic Studies in France", Institut Néerlandais, Paris, 7-9 February 1990 (with Dr. H. Chambert-Loir).
- Seminar in Islamic Studies at the occasion of the visit of H. Munawir Sjadzali, Minister of Religious Affairs R.I., to Leiden University, 31 October - 7 November 1988.

Professional service:

- PhD examiner: Leiden University; Utrecht University; University of Sydney (Australia); University of Edinburgh; University of Melbourne; School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), London.
- reviewer research proposals: NWO; INIS; IIAS; Netherlands Institute for Advanced Studies (NIAS); The British Academy, committee for South-East Asian Studies; CNWS, Leiden; KNAW; Office of Research, National University of Singapore.
- manuscript reviewer (books): KITLV Press (Royal Institute of Anthropology and Linguistics); INIS Materials; Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, Singapore; NUS Press, Singapore; Routledge; Princeton University Press.
- manuscript reviewer (articles): *Islamic Law and Society*; *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* (BKI); *International Journal of Hindu Studies*; *Yearbook of Traditional Music*; *Asia Pacific Journal for Education*; *Journal of Islamic Studies* (Oxford); *Asia Pacific Journal of Education*; Monash University.

Present research interests:

- current developments within Islam in Indonesia (to start early 2010 with € 300.000 grant of Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs).
- Relationship between Islam and local culture.
- Relations between the Middle East and South-East Asia in the religious domain.
- History of Islam in Indonesia.
- Dutch Islam policy in the Netherlands East Indies, focusing on the life and work of Sayyid `Uthmân (1822-1914) of Batavia (monograph in preparation).

PhD Dissertation:

"Het geboortefeest van de Profeet Mohammed. Oorsprong en verspreiding in het Nabije Oosten tot het begin van de 7e/13e eeuw; invoering en geschiedenis in de Maghrib en al-Andalus tot aan de dood van al-Wansharîsî (914/1508)", Leiden University 1989 [in Dutch].

Publications (books - author/editor):

Forthcoming:

- together with Azyumardi Azra and Kees van Dijk (eds.), *Varieties of Religious authority: changes and challenges in 20th century Indonesian Islam*, Singapore: ISEAS Press.

2005:

- together with Michael Laffan (eds.), *Fatwās in Indonesia*, Leiden: Brill (theme issue *Islamic Law and Society* Vol. 12 no. 1).

2002:

- together with Huub de Jonge (eds.), *Transcending borders: Arabs, politics, trade and Islam in Southeast Asia*, Leiden: KITLV Press.

Reviews: 1) M. Laffan, in: *Archipel* 65 (2003), pp. 210-211; 2) Arief Subhan, in: *Studia Islamika* Vol. 9, No. 3 (2002), pp. 163-181; 3) Jonathan H. Ping, in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 160:4 (2004), pp. 605-606; 4) Peter G. Riddell, in: *Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies* 67 (2004), pp. 131-133; 5) Thomas Gibson, in: *Pacific Affairs* Vol. 77, no. 1 (2004), pp. 144-145; 6) Carol Kersten, in: *The American Journal of the Islamic Social Sciences* 22:1 (2005), 99-101; 7) Nurfadzilah Yahaya, in *Arab Studies Journal*, Fall 2005/Spring 2006, 148-151; 8) Rémy Madinier, in *Moussons* 9-10 (2006), 363-364.

1997:

- *The Muhimmât al-nafâ'is: a bilingual Meccan fatwa collection for Indonesian Muslims from the end of the nineteenth century*, introduced and presented by ..., Jakarta (= INIS Materials 32).

Reviews: 1) M.B. Hooker, in: *The Journal of Law and Religion* vol. XV:1&2 (2000-2001), pp. 593-596; 2) Peter G. Riddell, in: *Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies* Vol. 65:1 (2002), pp. 245-247. Included in Malay Concordance Project (Australian National University): <http://www.anu.edu.au/asianstudies/ahcen/proudfoot/MCP/>

1995:

- together with Dick van der Meij (eds.), *Delapan tokoh ilmuwan Belanda bagi pengkajian Islam Indonesia: kumpulan nekrologi di bawah redaksi ...*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 27).

1994:

- *Perayaan hari lahir nabi Muhammad SAW; asal usul dan penyebaran awalnya; sejarah di Maghrib dan Spanyol Muslim sampai abad ke-10/ke-16*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 22) [Indonesian translation of *Muhammad's Birthday Festival*, 1993].

1993:

- *Muhammad's Birthday Festival: Early History in the Central Muslim Lands and Development in the Muslim West until the 10th/16th Century*, Leiden: Brill.

Reviews: 1) M. García-Arenal, in: *Al-Qantara* 14:2 (1993), pp. 517-520; 2) H. Tonati, in: *Annales* 49:4, Juillet-Août 1994, pp. 982-984; 3) M. Chodkiewicz, in: *Bibliotheca Orientalis* LI no. 5/6, September-November 1994, pp. 724-727; 4) Peter Heine, in: *Die Welt des Islams* 34 (1994), pp. 137-138; 5) Anonymus, in: *Revue des Sciences Philosophiques et Théologiques* 78 (1994), pp. 463-464 ; 6) Constant Hamès, in: *Studia Islamica* 83/1 (Février 1996), pp. 157-158 ; 7) Brannon M. Wheeler, in: *Religious Studies Review* Vol. 22, Number 2/April 1996, p. 173; 8) Michael Lehmann, in: *Der Islam* 75/1 (1998), pp. 154-155; 9) Herbert Eisenstein, in: *Wiener Zeitschrift für die Kunde des Morgenlandes* 88 (1998), p. 344.

- together with H. Chambert-Loir (eds.), *Studi Islam di Perancis: Gambaran Pertama*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 15).

1990:

- together with W.A.L. Stokhof (eds.), *Beberapa Kajian Indonesia dan Islam*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 6).

Publications (articles):

Forthcoming:

- “The Arabs in the Netherlands East Indies and the House of Orange”, in Festschrift N.N., Brill: Leiden.
- “A bridge to the Muslim world: the Training of Indonesia’s Young Leaders Programme”. Proceedings of the LUCIS Inaugural Conference 12 October 2009, Leiden University Press.
- “My dear Professor ‘Abd al-Ghaffâr’: The letters of Sayyid ‘Uthmân to C. Snouck Hurgronje as a reflection of their relationship”, in: Jan Just Witkam and Leon Buskens, proceedings of workshop ‘Scholarship in Action’, Leiden February 2007.
- “The Dutch contribution to the study of Indonesian Islam after the Second World War”, in: *Proceedings Open Science Meeting “Back to the Future”*, Cultural Agreement Indonesia – the Netherlands, Jakarta, 1-2 September 2003.

2009:

- “Arabophobia and the Aversion against the *Tarekat*: How Sayyid ‘Uthmân became advisor to the Netherlands colonial administration”, in: Ahmed Ibrahim Abu Shouk and Hassan Ahmed Ibrahim (eds.), *Hadhrami Diaspora in Southeast Asia. Identity Maintenance or Assimilation?* Brill, pp. 33-44.
- “Southeast Asian Debates and Middle Eastern Inspiration: European Dress in West Sumatra at the Beginning of the Twentieth Century”, in: Eric Tagliacozzo (ed.), *Southeast Asia and the Middle East: Islam, Movement, and the Longue Durée*, Singapore: NUS Press/Stanford: Stanford University Press, pp. 176-195.
- “The lament of an old man: Sayyid ‘Uthmân of Batavia (1822-1914) on cars”, in: Jan van der Putten and Mary Kilcline Cody (eds.), *Lost Times and Untold Tales from the Malay World*, Singapore: NUS Press, pp. 283-289.

2008:

- “Sayyid ‘Uthmân: de adviseur”, in: Rosemarijn Hoefte, Peter Meel & Hans Renders (red.), *Tropenlevens: de (post)koloniale biografie*, Amsterdam: Boom; Leiden: KITLV, pp. 195-215.

2007:

- “Grateful to the Dutch government: Sayyid ‘Uthman and the Sarekat Islam in 1913”, in Anthony Reid and Michael Gilson (eds.), *Islamic Legitimacy in a Plural Asia*, London: Routledge, pp. 98-116.

2005:

- “Some early contributions to Arabic-Malay lexicography: Sayyid ‘Uthmân of Batavia (1822-1913) as a lexicographer”, in: Asmah Haji Omar (ed.), *Malay Images*, Tanjung Malim:

UPSI, pp. 120-142.

2004:

- "The voice of the *'ulamâ'*: *fatwas* and religious authority in Indonesia", in: *Archives de Sciences Sociales des Religions*, No. 125 (janvier-mars), pp. 115-130 (also published as Working paper: Visiting Scholars Series No.2, Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, January 2004, Singapore).

2003:

- "De Nederlandse bijdrage aan de studie van de Indonesische islam van ongeveer 1975 tot heden", in: *Sharqiyât* 15, nr. 1-2, pp. 199-220. [appeared in Oct. 2004]

2002:

- "The Transformation of the Academic Study of Religion: Examples from the Netherlands and Indonesia", in: Fu'ad Jabali and Jamhari (eds.), *Islam in Indonesia: Islamic Studies and Social Transformation*, Montreal and Jakarta: Indonesia-Canada Islamic Higher Education Project, pp. 55-64; 153-154.

- "Mevlud u vrijeme dinastije Fatimija", in: *Muallim* god. III, br. 10 Sarajevo, rebiu-l-ahir 1423./29 juni 2002, pp. 46-55.

- "The conflicts about the income of an Arab shrine: the Perkara Luar Batang in Batavia", in: Huub de Jonge and Nico Kaptein (eds.), *Transcending borders: Arabs, politics, trade and Islam in Southeast Asia*, Leiden: KITLV Press, pp. 185-201.

2001:

- "Fatwas as a unifying factor in Indonesian history", Johan Meuleman (ed.), *Islam in the Era of Globalization: Muslim Attitudes Towards Modernity and Identity*, Jakarta: INIS, pp. 99-107. [also published in idem, London: Routledge Curzon 2002].

2000:

- "Acceptance, approval and aggression: some fatwâs concerning the colonial administration in the Dutch East Indies", in: *Al-Jami`a* (Yogyakarta) Vol. 38, No. 2, pp. 297-309.

- "Arabic influence on Malay linguistics", in: Sylvain Auroux, E.F.K. Koerner, Hans-Josef Niederehe and Kees Versteegh (eds.), *History of the Language Sciences*, Vol. 1, pp. 333-336, Berlin, New York: De Gruyter.

- "Fatwas, moslms, christenen en de staat in Nederlands-Indië en Indonesië", in: *Recht van de Islam* 17, pp. 15-35.

1998:

- "Islam en politiek in Nederlands-Indië: een Islamitische heilbede voor Wilhelmina ter gelegenheid van haar inhuldiging", in: *Indische Letteren* 13:3-4 (1998), pp. 117-127.

- "The Sayyid and the Queen: Sayyid `Uthmân on Queen Wilhelmina's inauguration on the throne of the Netherlands in 1898", *Journal of Islamic Studies* Vol. 9, no. 2, pp. 158-177.

1997:

- "Sayyid `Uthmân on the legal validity of documentary evidence", in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 153-1, pp. 85-102.

1995:

- together with Wim Stokhof, "Prof. Dr. H. Munawir Sjadzali, MA and Leiden University", in: Sulastomo a.o. (eds.), *Kontekstualisasi Ajaran Islam. 70 Tahun Prof.Dr. H. Munawir Sjadzali*, MA, Jakarta, pp. 445-451.
- "Meccan fatwâs from the end of the nineteenth century on Indonesian affairs", in: *Studia Islamika* Vol. 2, no. 4, pp. 141-160.
- "The word setengah in Kitab-Malay", in: C. Baak, M. Bakker and D. van der Meij (eds.), *Tales from a concave world; Liber amicorum Bert Voorhoeve*, Leiden, pp. 542-552.
- "Circumcision in Indonesia: Muslim or not?", in: J.G. Platvoet and K. van der Toorn (eds.), *Pluralism and identity: studies in religious behaviour*, Leiden: Brill, pp. 285-302. (= Studies in the History of Religions, vol. LXVII).

1993:

- "An Arab printer in Surabaya in 1853", in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 149-2, pp. 356-362.
- "Some remarks on al-Madanî ibn Muhammad al-Tughmâwî's Hadiyyat al-`âshiq fî mawlid Sîdî l-khalâ'iq", in: *Études et Documents Berbères* 10, pp. 83-88.
- "The berdiri mawlid issue among Indonesian Muslims in the period from circa 1875 to 1930", in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 149-1, pp. 124-153.

1992:

- "Materials for the history of the Prophet's birthday celebration in Mecca", in: *Der Islam* 69-2, pp. 193-203.

1990:

- "Islam in Present-day Dutch Society"/"Islam dalam Masyarakat Belanda Masa Kini", in: Stokhof and Kaptein (eds.), *Beberapa Kajian Indonesia dan Islam*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 6), pp. 193-204.

1987:

- "Moslims in Penitenciaire Inrichtingen in Nederland", in: *Migrantenstudies* nr.4, pp. 21-29.

Publications (edited volumes for educational purposes):

2003:

- *Kekacauan dan kerusuhan: tiga tulisan tentang Pan-Islamisme di Hindia-Belanda Timur pada akhir abad kesembilan belas dan awal abad kedua belas*, Jakarta-Leiden (= INIS Materials 43).

1997:

- *Indonesia dan Haji, Kumpulan karangan di bawah redaksi Dick Douwes dan ...*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 30).

1993:

- together with H.L. Beck (eds.), *Studi Belanda Kontemporer tentang Islam: lima contoh* (= INIS Materials 19).

1989:

- together with H.L. Beck (eds.), *Pandangan barat terhadap Islam lama*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 4).

1988:

- together with H.L. Beck (eds.), *Pandangan Barat terhadap literatur, hukum, filosofi, teologi dan mistik tradisi Islam*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 1) [Reprint 2001].

Publications (varia):

2008:

- together with Ilja Mottier, "Dit boek is de cumulatie van alles wat ik weet". Een interview met *Hadîth*-geleerde Dr. G.H.A. Juynboll, in: *SMES Nieuwsbrief* 2008.2 (<http://smesnieuws.weblog.leidenuniv.nl/2008/12/16>)

2007:

- "Ahmad Khatîb", in: *Encyclopaedia of Islam*, 3rd edition, Vol. I, part 3, pp. 102-103, Leiden: Brill.

- "Abd al-Samad al-Pâlimbânî", in: *Encyclopaedia of Islam*, 3rd edition, Vol. I, part 2, pp. 25-26, Leiden: Brill.

2006:

- "Bericht uit Singapore", in *FORUM, Nieuwsbrief Faculteit der Letteren* 7/2006 (<http://www.forumarchief.leidenuniv.nl/index.php3?c=573>)

2005:

- "Introduction", in: "Fatwâs in Indonesia", theme issue *Islamic Law & Society* vol. 12 no. 1, pp. 1-8, Leiden: Brill.

2004:

- "seasons", in Jane Dammen McAuliffe (ed.), *Encyclopaedia of the Qur'ân*, Vol. 4. pp. 571-572, Leiden: Brill.

- "Mawlid: in the Maghrib", in: *Encyclopaedia of Islam*, supplement, fasc. 9-10, pp. 613-614.

- "Menemukan kembali kekayaan warisan Islam Indonesia: kasus Marâh Labîd karya Syaikh Nawawi Banten", in: Asep Muhamad Iqbal, *Yahudi & Nasrani dalam al-Quran: hubungan antaragama menurut Syaikh Nawawi Banten*, Jakarta: Teraju, pp. ix-xiii.

2003:

- "bid`a", in Richard C. Martin (ed.), *Encyclopaedia of Islam and the Muslim World*, Macmillan Reference USA, pp. 107-108.

- "Pengantar", in: Nico J.G. Kaptein (ed.), *Kekacauan dan kerusuhan: tiga tulisan tentang pan-Islamisme di Hindia-Belanda Timur pada akhir abad kesembilan belas dan awal abad kedua belas*, Jakarta-Leiden (= INIS Materials 43), pp. xi-xii.

- Conference report "Fatwa and the Dissemination of Religious Authority", KNAW/IAS/CNWS/ISIM Seminar, Leiden, 31 October 2002 (together with Dr. M.F. Laffan),

in: *IIAS Newsletter*.

2002:

- together with Huub de Jonge, "The Arab presence in Southeast Asia: some introductory remarks", in: Huub de Jonge and Nico Kaptein (eds.), *Transcending borders: Arabs, politics, trade and Islam in Southeast Asia*, Leiden: KITLV Press, pp. 1-10.

2000:

- Conference report "'Hinduism' in modern Indonesia" (Leiden, 16-17 September 1999), in: *IIAS Newsletter* 21, February 2000, p. 23.

1999:

- "Asian Studies stimulated by MA Programme", in: *IIAS Newsletter* 18, March 1999.

1998:

- "Tarika. Indonesia", in: *Encyclopaedia of Islam*, Vol. X, p. 257 (French edition Vol. X, p. 276).

1997:

- "Kata Pengantar" (with D. Douwes), in: *Indonesia dan Haji, Kumpulan karangan di bawah redaksi Dick Douwes dan ...*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 30), pp. xi-xiii.

1995:

- "Kata pengantar", together with Dick van der Meij (eds.), *Delapan tokoh ilmuwan Belanda bagi pengkajian Islam Indonesia: kumpulan nekrologi di bawah redaksi ...*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 27), pp. xi-xiv.

1993:

- "Prakata", together with H. Chambert-Loir (eds.), *Studi Islam di Perancis: Gambaran Pertama*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 15), p. xi.
- "Pengantar", together with H.L. Beck (eds.), *Studi Belanda Kontemporer tentang Islam: lima contoh* (= INIS Materials 19), pp. xi-xiii.

1990:

- "Prakata/Preface", together with W.A.L. Stokhof (eds.), *Beberapa Kajian Indonesia dan Islam*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 6), pp. xiii-xv.

1989:

- "Prakata", together with H.L. Beck (eds.), *Pandangan barat terhadap Islam lama*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 4), pp. xi-xii.

1988:

- "Prakata/Foreword", together with H.L. Beck (eds.), *Pandangan Barat terhadap literatur, hukum, filosofi, teologi dan mistik tradisi Islam*, Jakarta (= INIS Materials 1), [pp. i-ii].

1986:

- Dutch translation W. Montgomery Watt, *Bell's introduction to the Qur'an*, Edinburgh 1970,

Utrecht: De Ploeg.

Publications (book reviews):

2009:

- Brannon Wheeler, *Mecca and Eden. Rituals, relics, and the territory in Islam*. University of Chicago Press, Chicago, 2006, in: *Bibliotheca Orientalis* LXVI No. 5-6, September-December, pp. 713-715.

2008:

- M. Campanini, M., transl. by O. Leaman, *The Qur'an. The basics*. Routledge, London & New York, 2007, in: *Bibliotheca Orientalis* LXV No. 5-6, September – December, pp. 812-813.

- M.C. Ricklefs, *Mystic Synthesis in Java: A History of Islamization from the Fourteenth to the early Nineteenth Centuries*, Norwalk CT: EastBridge, 2006, in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 164-2/3, pp. 320-321.

2007:

- J. Dammen McAuliffe, *The Cambridge Companion to the Qur'an*. Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 2006, in: *Bibliotheca Orientalis* LXIV No. 5-6, September – December, pp. 783-784.

- Ian Proudfoot, *Old Muslim Calendars of Southeast Asia*, Leiden and Boston: Brill 2006, in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 163-4, pp. 584-586.

- Ulrike Freitag, *Indian Ocean Migrants and State Formation in Hadhramaut: Reforming the Homeland*, Brill: Leiden, Boston, 2003, in: *Asian Journal of Social Science* 35:2, pp. 268-269.

2004:

- Donald J. Porter, *Managing Politics and Islam in Indonesia*, London: Routledge Curzon, 2002, in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 160-2, pp. 380-381.

- Anthony S.K. Shome, *Malay Political Leadership*, London: Routledge Curzon, 2002, in: *Journal of Islamic Studies* 15-3 (September), pp. 399-400.

- Fariba Adelkhah et François Georgeon (eds.), *Ramadan et Politique*, Paris: CNRS 2000, in: *Bibliotheca Orientalis* LXI no. 3-4, May-August, pp. 418-419.

2003:

- Sayyid Abubakar bin Ali bin Abubakar Shahabuddin, *Rihlatul Asfar: otobiografi ... (1287 H – 1363 H)*, penerjemah Drs. Ali Yahya, no place, 1421/2000, in: *Archipel* 65, pp. 208-210.

2002:

- Howard M. Federspiel, *Islam and ideology in the emerging Indonesian state: the Persatuan Islam (PERSIS), 1923 to 1957*, Leiden; Boston; Köln: Brill, 2001, in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 158-2, pp. 338-339.

2001:

- Moh. Taib Osman (ed.), *Islamic Civilization in the Malay World*, Kuala Lumpur and Istanbul 1997, in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 157-1, pp. 193-195.

2000:

- Mark R. Woodward (ed.), *Toward a new paradigm; Recent developments in Indonesian Islamic thought*, Arizona State University 1996, in: *Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde* 156-4, pp. 841-842.
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Invited lectures and conference presentations:

2010:

- 14 April: "Hadrami Arabs in Southeast Asia and Colonial Rule", Guest lecture, Graduate School University Sains Malaysia, Penang.

- 10 – 11 April, "The spread of the ideas of the Cairo reformists in the Netherland East Indies and some reactions from the Arab community", International Conference "The Development of Hadhrami Society in Southeast Asia: Trade, Islam and Culture", National Library Singapore and National University Singapore.

2009:

- 9-10 November, “Islam and Pluralism in Contemporary Indonesia”, Seminar “Muslims in the East: Islam in Pluralism”, Fundación Tres Culturas del Mediterráneo, Sevilla, Spain
- 14 October, “Een brug naar de islamitische wereld: het TIYL programma”, LUCIS Inaugural Conference, Leiden University.
- 3 June, “The sources for the life of Sayyid `Uthman (1822-1914) from Batavia”, Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin
- 15 May, “Some fatwas on local customs in Southeast Asia”, Workshop “The Constitution of a Religious Field in Southeast Asia”, Institut d’études de l’Islam et des Sociétés du Monde Musulman (IISMM), CNRS, EHESS, Paris 14-16 May.
- 14 May, “Sayyid `Uthmân and the rise of Islamic reformism in Southeast Asia”, Laboratoire Centre Asie du Sud-Est, CNRS, Paris.
- 25 March, “The study of Indonesian Islam in the Netherlands”, Symposium “Islam in the Modern World”, Leiden University.
- 21-22 January, “Sayyid Uthman and the aversion against *tarekat* in late 19th century West Java”, Symposium Multiculturalism, religion and legal status in the Dutch colonial world, c. 1600 – c. 1960, KITLV/Institute for Dutch History, The Hague.

2008:

- 25-26 November, “Islam and Democracy in Indonesia” (2008 Islam in Asia and Europe Lecture Series), Casa Asia, Barcelona – Madrid.
- 3 September, “Sayyid `Uthmân: towards a biography”, Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies, Oxford.
- 6 March, “Perceptions of Islam in the Netherlands East Indies”, STAIN Syekh Abdurrahman Siddik, Bangka, Indonesia.

2007:

- 2 – 5 August 2007, “Sayyid `Uthmân and the spread of Islam in the Netherlands East Indies”, ICAS 5, Kuala Lumpur.
- 29-30 March, “Sayyid `Uthmân: de adviseur”, Congres De (Post)Koloniale Biografie, Groningen: Biografie Instituut/KILTV.

2006:

- 13 December, “The letters of Sayyid `Uthmân of Batavia (1822-1914) to C. Snouck Hurgronje (1857-1936)”, Asia Research Institute, National University Singapore.
- 24 March, “Enkele opmerkingen over islamopleidingen in het hoger onderwijs in Indonesië en Nederland”, Ministerie van Onderwijs en Wetenschappen, Den Haag.

2005:

- 27-28 August, “Arabophobia and the ‘War against Mysticism’: How Sayyid `Uthmân became advisor to the Netherlands colonial administration”, Conference *The Arab Hadramis in Southeast Asia: Identity, Maintenance or Assimilation*, International Islamic University, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- 19-20 May, “Islamic training in the Netherlands: the Indonesian-Netherlands Cooperation in Islamic Studies”, Conference *The Training of Islamic Leadership in Southeast Asia*, Institute for Southeast Asian Studies, Singapore.
- 27 April, discussant in preparatory workshop for the *New Cambridge History of Islam*, Asia Research Institute (ARI), Singapore.

- 25-26 April, "Being a Muslim in a Colony: Sayyid `Uthman and the Sarekat Islam", Conference *Political Legitimacy in Islamic Asia*, Asia Research Institute (ARI), Singapore.
- 7 February, "Arabophobia and the 'War against Mysticism': How Sayyid `Uthmân became advisor to the Netherlands colonial administration", University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA.

2004:

- 17-18 August, "Southeast Asian Debates and Middle Eastern Inspiration: European Dress in West Sumatra at the Beginning of the Twentieth Century", Workshop *Southeast Asia and the Middle East: Islam, Movement, and the Longue Durée*, Asia Research Institute (ARI), Singapore.
- 2 March, "Islam and Politics in the Netherlands East Indies at the End of the 19th Century", Universiti Sains Malaysia, Pulau Pinang, Malaysia.
- 26-28 February, "Some early contributions to Malay-Arabic lexicography: Sayyid `Uthmân as a lexicographer", *Second International Conference on Malay Civilization "Malay Images"*, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- 17 February, "De islam in Nederlands Indië tot aan de Tweede Wereldoorlog", Indonesië Cursus KITLV, Leiden.

2003:

- 6 December: "Islamische Debatte über Kleidung in Niederländisch-Indien am Anfang des 20. Jahrhunderts", Universität zu Köln, Germany.
- 24-26 October: "The Middle East and *iftâ`* in Indonesia", Religious networks between the Middle East and Southeast Asia, IIAS workshop, Cairo, Egypt.
- 12 September: "Fatwas as a means to understand Islam in Indonesia", Institute of South-East Asian Studies (ISEAS), Singapore.
- 9 September: "Colonial and post-colonial approaches to the study of Indonesian Islam", Program Pembibitan Dosen, IAIN Sunan Kalijaga, Yogyakarta, Indonesia.
- 1-2- September: "The Dutch contribution to the study of Indonesian Islam after the Second World War" Open Science Meeting "Back to the Future", Cultural Agreement Indonesia – the Netherlands, Jakarta, Indonesia.
- 28 August: "European Dress and Muslim Identity in the Netherlands East Indies", LISOR Conference Religious Pluralism, Leiden.

2000:

- 23 November: "The Transformation of the Academic Study of Religion: Examples from the Netherlands and Indonesia", International Conference Islam in Indonesia: Intellectualization and Social Transformation, McGill University and Ministry of Religious Affairs, Jakarta.
- 21 November: "From interference to non-interference: Dutch colonial administration and the holy grave at Luar Batang", Centre for Social and Cultural Studies, LIPI, Jakarta.
- 18 November: "Acceptance, approval and aggression: some fatwas concerning the colonial administration in the Dutch East Indies", IAIN Sunan Kalijaga, Yogyakarta.
- 9 June: "Fatwa's, Muslims, Christians and the State in the Netherlands East Indies and Indonesia", Orientalisches Seminar (Malaiologischer Apparat), Universität zu Köln.
- 24 January: "The concept of *niyya* and the study of Islam", International Institute for the Study of Islam in the Modern World (ISIM), Leiden.

1999:

- 18 June: "Enkele fatwa's over de verhouding tussen Moslims en Christenen in Nederlands Indië en Indonesië", annual workshop 'Recht in het Midden Oosten' (RIMO, Netherlands Society for the Study of Islamic Law), Leiden.

1998:

- 20 September: "Islam en politiek in Nederlands Indië: Een Islamitische heilbede voor Wilhelmina ter gelegenheid van haar kroning", Symposium 1898 (Werkgroep Indische Letteren), Bronbeek, Arnhem.
- 3-6 September: "How Indonesian are Indonesian fatwas?", European Association for Southeast Asian Scholars (EUROSEAS), Hamburg.
- 25-28 June: "Ulama and fatwa: the Structures of Traditional Religious Authority in 20th Century Indonesia", International Convention of Asia Scholars (ICAS), Noordwijkerhout.

1997:

- 8-12 December: "Some remarks on the sanctuary of Habîb Husayn in Luar Batang, Jakarta", Workshop The Arabs in Southeast Asia (1870-c. 1990), KITLV, Leiden.

1996:

- 5 June: "Fatwas as a unifying factor in Indonesian history", International Conference on Islam and the 21st Century, Leiden University.

1995:

- 27 November: "Sayyid `Uthmân on the validity of written evidence", Pusat Pengkajian Islam dan Masyarakat, IAIN Jakarta.
- 22 November: "A case of conditional repudiation in Batavia in A.H. 1298: a contribution to the history of fiqh in South East Asia", International Seminar on Islamic Studies in South-East Asia (ISIS), Universiti Brunei Darussalam.
- 26 April: "Meccan muftis on circumcision in Indonesia in the latter part of the 19th century", Institute of Islamic Studies, McGill University, Montreal, Canada.

1994:

- 9 October: "Meccan fatwâs from the end of the 19th century on Indonesian affairs", Joseph Schacht Conference on Theory and Practice of Islamic Law, 8 - 11 October 1994, Universities of Leiden and of Amsterdam.
- 26 April: "Sejarah studi Islam di Belanda", Universiti Brunei Darussalam, Brunei.
- 14 April: "Satu teks Islam yang dicetak di Surabaya pada pertengahan abad ke-19", Studium Generale, IAIN Yogyakarta, Indonesia.
- 13 April: "Some Meccan Fatwas on circumcision in Indonesia from the end of the 19th century", Studium Generale, IAIN Yogyakarta, Indonesia.
- 14 January: "Circumcision in Indonesia: Muslim or not?", International Symposium on Pluralism and Identity, Leiden University.

1993:

- 21 October: "Is Indonesian Islam different?", Seminar 'The Eastern spread of Islam', Centre for Non-Western Studies, Leiden University.
- 25 August: "Islam and State in Indonesia and the Philippines", Erasmus Summer Course 'European Islam in the context of global Islam', Louvain-La-Neuve, Belgium.

1992:

- 17 November: "Current trends in Western Islamic Studies", Institute of Islamic Studies, University of the Philippines, Quezon City, Philippines.

1991:

- 19 November: "Changes in the mawlid celebrations in 16th century Mecca as a reflection of changing power relations", Institute of Islamic Studies, McGill University, Montreal, Canada.

1990:

- 6 July: "Perayaan Mawlid Nabi di Mekah dan asal mula Mawlid Nabi di Indonesia", Program Diskusi Ilmiah Dosen Tetap, IAIN Yogyakarta, Indonesia.

Post-graduate supervision (MA theses, Leiden University):

In preparation:

- Aouatif Tawfik, Radicalisering?, MA thesis Arabische taal-en letterkunde.
 - Junaid Akram, "Deobandi's en Barelwi's "

Graduated:

- Istiqomah: A Vision of Theology of Justice: An Intellectual Biography of Masdar F. Mas'udi. Graduation: 15 February 2010.

- Hijroatul Maghfiroh. Islam and Ecofeminsim: A Case Study on the Environmental Program of Fatayat NU. Graduation: 15 February 2010.

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- Munir Ikhwan, "Challenges of the Literary Approach to the al-Qur'ān: a Study of *Al-Fann al-Qaṣaṣī fī al-Qur'ān al-Karīm* by Muhammad Ahmad Khalafallah". Supervised together with Prof. Dr. Nasr Abu Zayd. Graduation: 15 February 2010.

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- Sugiyanto, *Chinese Muslims in Indonesia until the end of the New Order*, Final thesis MA programme Islamic Studies, Graduation 19 February 2009.

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- Shofwatul Aini, *Sahal Mahfudh's ideas on contextualization and the dynamics of ijtihād in Indonesia*. Final thesis MA programme Islamic Studies. Graduation 31 August 2005.

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- Ahmad Najib Burhani, *The Muhammadiyah's attitude to Javanese Culture in 1912-1930: appreciation and tension*, Final Thesis MA programme Islamic Studies. 106 pages. Graduation: 25 March 2004.

- Widiyanto, *the Concept of science in the thought of Seyyed Hossein Nasr and his influence in Indonesia*. Final thesis MA programme Islamic Studies. Graduation: 25 March 2005.

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- Asep Muhamad Iqbal, *Understanding Jews and Christians in the Qur'ānic Commentary of Syeikh Nawawi Banten (1813-1897)*. Final thesis M.A. programme Islamic Studies. 105 pages. Examination: 14 May 2003.

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- Amiq, *Jihad against the Dutch Colonization in Indonesia. Study of Fatwâs of Sayyid `Uthmân (1822-1930) and K.H. Hasyim Asy'ari (1871-1947)*. Final thesis M.A. programme Islamic Studies. 130 pages. Exam: 27 August 1998
- Jajat Burnahudin, *The making of the Islamic political tradition in the Malay Archipelago (The beginning process)*. Final thesis M.A. programme Islamic Studies. 114 pages. Exam: 29 August 1996

Post graduate supervision (PhD theses, involved as co-promoter or otherwise)

In preparation:

- Kusmana, *The ideology of contemporary Indonesian Muslim intellectuals on woman's rights issues: an interdisciplinary approach*, co-promoter, together with Prof. D. Douwes (Erasmus University Rotterdam), promoter.
- Yasrul Huda, *The reinvention of the Sharia in West Sumatra*, co-promoter, together with Prof. L.P.H.M. Buskens(Utrecht University / Leiden University), promoter.
- Sujadi, *Persatuan Pemuda Muslim se-Eropa (PPME) in perspectives of Indonesian Muslims in the Netherlands and Indonesia: a comparative study of its roles and strategies*, together with Prof. C. van Dijk (Leiden University)
- Amiq Ahyad, *The history of writing Islamic manuscript tradition in Javanese pondok pesantren in XIX and XX centuries in Indonesia*, co-promoter, together with Prof. J.J. Witkam (Leiden University).
- Chaeder Bamaalim, *The rise of radical Islam in Jakarta*, co-promoter, together with Prof. W.A.L. Stokhof (Leiden University).
- Syafiq Hashim, *The Islamization of Indonesia's State Law: a study of the Council of Indonesian Ulama and its impact on the resurgence of Islamic radicalism in the reform era of Indonesia (1998-2009)*, member of supervisory team, Berlin Graduate School of Muslim Cultures and Societies (BGSMS), Freie Universität, Berlin.

Graduated:

- Zulkifli, *The struggle of Shi`ism in modern Indonesia*, Leiden University, co-promoter together with Prof. C. van Dijk, promoter, defended 24 September 2009.
- Chiara Formichi, *Kartosuwiryo's Role in the Creation of the Islamic State of Indonesia (Negara Islam Indonesia), 1927-1949*, London: School of Oriental and African Studies (external examiner). Examination 16 September 2009
- Amelia Fauzia, *Faith and the state: a history of Islamic philanthropy in Indonesia*, University of Melbourne (external examiner), examined October 2008.
- Muhammad Mustaqim Mohd Zarif., *Jawah hadith scholarship in the nineteenth century: a comparative study of the adaptations of Lubab al-Hadith composed by Nawawi of Banten (d. 1314/1897) and Wan Ali of Kelantan (d. 1913)*, University of Edinburgh (external examiner), examined 29 April 2008.
- Nik Roskiman b. Abdul Samad, *Al-Ghazali in the Malay world: the mystical teachings of an eighteenth century Malay scholar, 'Abdul Samad al-Palimbani (c.1704-1788)*, University of Edinburgh (external examiner), examined 26 February 2008.

- Euis Nuelaelawati, *Modernization, Tradition and Identity: The Kompilasi Hukum Islam and Legal Practice in the Indonesian Religious Courts*, Utrecht University, co-promoter together with Prof. L.P.H.M. Buskens, promoter, defended 10 December 2007.
- Jajat Burhanudin, *Islamic knowledge, authority and political power: the `ulama in colonial Indonesia*, Leiden University, co-promoter together with Prof. C. van Dijk, promoter, defended 30 October 2007.
- Didin Nurul Rosidin, *From Kampung to kota: A study of the transformation of Mathla'ul Anwar, 1916-1998*, Leiden University, defended 30 October 2007 (external examiner).
- Julian Millie, *Splashed by the saint: ritual reading and Islamic sanctity in West Java*, Leiden University, Research School CNWS, co-promoter together with Prof. H.M.J. Maier, promoter, defended, 13 March 2006.
- Noorhaidi Hasan, *Laskar Jihad: Islam, militancy and the quest for identity in post-New Order Indonesia* defended at Utrecht University on 14 June 2005 (committee member).
- Michael Laffan, *The Umma below the winds: Mecca, Cairo, reformist Islam and a conceptualization of Indonesia*, The University of Sydney, defended 2001 (external examiner).
- Muhamad Hisyam, *Caught between three fires: The Javanese Pangulu under the Dutch colonial administration 1882-1942*, Leiden University, defended 19 September 2001 (committee member).