

CURRICULUM VITAE – GERT-JAN VAN DE VOORDE

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Study and Diplomas

September 2017: UGent – University of St.Andrews, Ph.D. in Mediaeval History as a part of ERC Starting Grant Project “State: Lordship and the Rise of States in Western Europe, 1300-1600”
Supervisors: dr. Frederik Buylaert and dr. Justine Firnhaber-Baker.

2016-February 2017: KULeuven, Credits Theologie en religiewetenschappen: Christian Latin (A08A0A)

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2015-September 2016: KULeuven, Advanced Master of Arts in Medieval and Renaissance Studies.

Subject of the Master’s thesis: Murdering Mothers: Assessing Audience Reactions to the Middle Dutch Romance *Seghelijn van Jherusalem* (ca.1350)

Supervisor: prof. dr. Geert H.M. Claassens

Magna Cum Laude (77.50 %)

2014- September 2015: KULeuven, Master of Arts in History – profile medieval history.

Subject of the master's thesis: *'Item willic dat men gheve. De memoria van de familie Borluut op basis van testamenten en jaargetijdenstichtingen (1350-1500)'* (The *Memoria* of the Family Borluut based on Testaments and Founding Charters of Anniversaries (1350-1500)).

Supervisor: prof. dr. Paul Trio.

Cum Laude (72,40%)

2011- September 2014: KULeuven. Bachelor of Arts in History – major subject: Antiquity until Present.

Subject of the bachelor's paper: *'hine leset in Diedsch. Het gebruik van Middelnederlands als schrijftaal in laatmiddeleeuws Gent'* (The use of Middle Dutch as Written Language in Late Medieval Ghent).

Supervisor: prof. dr. Paul Trio.

Cum fructu (63.44 %).

2005-2011: Sint-Jozef-Klein-Seminarie, Sint-Niklaas, Humane Wetenschappen (Humanities).

Experience with Archival work

Attended the class "Inleiding tot de Archivistiek" during Bachelor.

Well acquainted with the city and state archives of Leuven and Ghent.

I transcribed and worked with:

- Charters from the Groot Charterboek of Leuven.
- Testaments and Anniversary foundations taken from the Borluut family Archive, the Archive of St-Baafs, and the Registers of the Aldermen of Ghedele of Ghent.

PC-skills

Office: proficient in Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Access, OneNote, and Office Lens.

GNU Image Manipulation Program (Gimp): proficient

Completed the classes "Informatiekunde" and "Kwantitatieve onderzoeksmethoden voor Historici" during my Bachelor.

Extracurricular activities.

13-26 August 2017: Latin Language Intensive Course (35 hours) at Intermediate Level (Benedictine Institute at Ealing Abbey, London)

8-19 August 2016: Latin Language Intensive Course (35 hours) at Beginners Level (Benedictine Institute at Ealing Abbey, London)

18-20 Februari 2016: Holy Hero(in)es: Literary Constructions of Heroism in Late Antique and Early Medieval Hagiography (Universiteit Gent).

20 November 2015: Bestond er een Belgische Magna Carta? Recent onderzoek naar 'constitutionele teksten' in de Lage Landen (Rijksarchief in België te Leuven).

24-25 September, 2015: 'Symposium Religious Connectivity in Urban Communities. Reading, Worshipping, and Connecting in the Continuum of Sacred and Secular (1400-1600)'. (University of Groningen).

21-22 May, 2015: 'Doctoral Seminar: The Uses and Communication of the Past in the Middle Ages'. (KULeuven).

20-22 October, 2014: 'Autumn School in Medieval Languages and Culture 2014: Medieval Liturgy'. (UGent).

Proficiency in Languages

Dutch: mother tongue.

French: very good (second mother tongue).

English: very good (IELTS score 8, test taken in October 2015).

German: passive.

Experience with Middle Dutch and Middle French texts.