

Curriculum Vitae

INGE JOORIS

Spokesperson and communication manager and coordinator,
Interministerial commission Influenza

Identity

Age: 29
Place of birth: Zottegem

Education and training

2002 – 2006
Federal government's Institute for training
Management and language trainings

2001 – 2002
Vlekho (Brussels)
Postgraduate Journalism
Succeeded with distinction

1997 – 2001
University of Leuven
Master German languages with focus on German and English
Thesis: Der Sozialismus in der Unterricht der Deutschen Demokratischen Republik.
Succeeded with distinction

1995 – 1997
Den Reisende Hogskøle (Norway)
Training to become a volunteer worker in Southern Africa.

1989 – 1995
Sint-Niklaasinstituut (Anderlecht)
Mathematics and science
Succeeded with great distinction

Languages

Dutch: Mother language
French: very good spoken and written knowledge
English: very good spoken and written knowledge
German: very good spoken and written knowledge

Work experience

October 2005 – today

Interministerial commission Influenza

Spokesperson and communication manager and coordinator. I have drawn up the Belgian communication strategy and mobilized the partners to join in. In close collaboration with the commissioner and my colleagues we have written a scenario describing the Belgian crisis management approach.

June 2003 – October 2005

Federal Public Service of Health, Food Chain Safety and Environment

Spokesperson and communication manager. Following the targets of the board of directors, I have established a communication awareness in the public service of health, Food Chain Safety and Environment. Therefore we started up a new website: www.health.fgov.be and have written a communication manual for all colleagues, approved by the board of directors. Also, new efforts are made to improve the internal communication. Acknowledging the efforts invested in communication, the board of directors agreed to upgrade the capacity of the communication service from 2 to 7 persons.

January-May 2003

Cabinet of the Minister of Energy and Sustainable Development

Spokesperson for the minister with a large focus on Sustainable Development. We have started up the Belgian approach of giving tax reductions for persons who invest in domestic improvements that lower the energy consumption.

September - December 2002

Vrije Pers

I was responsible for small informative columns with a special interest in current affairs.

July 2002

Radio 1

I prepared the news items for the news anchor.

2001-2002

Sint John's College

Professor German language for secondary scholars who wanted to succeed an international literature exam.

Extracurricular activities

Member of the European network of communication managers for influenza

Member of the federal network of communication managers: **COMNET**

Member of the Belgian network **Felink** to improve and support female impregnation in higher management levels

Volunteer work

In 1999-2000 I was the responsible editor for the newsmagazine *Mania* of the German linguistics department at my university.

I helped organizing summer camps for children with less chances because of the financial problems of their parents.

I was an English teacher for illiterate women in Zimbabwe for 6 months