

Curriculum Vitae

Place and date of birth: September 25th 1960, Haarlem the Netherlands

Nationality: Dutch

Education

Master's degree in civil law from the LLM University of Leiden, the Netherlands.

Admitted to the Amsterdam Bar in 1987.

Work experience

Lawyer since 1987; I have a profound expertise and extensive litigation and advisory experience in Corporate Law, Employment Law, and Sports Law.

I advise domestic, international companies, associations and private individuals.

Co-founder and managing partner of Brantjes Advocaten (www.brantjesadvocaten.nl, J.J. Viottastraat 33, 1071 JP Amsterdam, the Netherlands);

Arbitrator of Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) since 2015 and listed on the general list. I have dealt with a wide spectrum of sports-related cases, ranging from governance issues, contractual disputes, doping and match-fixing allegations, employment disputes, disciplinary matters, ethical issues and questions of eligibility.

In 2024 appointed as member of the Advisory Committee for Assessment of the NRGD, the Dutch Register for Court Experts.

Judge LawInSport's Sports Law Arbitration Moot competition since 2022.

Listed as one of the world's leading sports lawyers by Who's Who legal.

Ancillary activities

Member of the Dutch Arbitration Institute (NAI);

Member of the Association of Labour Law Lawyers of Amsterdam;

Member of the Dutch Association for Sports and Law;

Member of the leading international network of independent law firms ADVOC;

Partnership with international UK firm (Freshfields) for litigation training;

Co-founder of the Sport & FEC (Financiële Economische Criminaliteit) chamber of the IFFC (Institute for Financial Crime).

Miscellaneous

Language skills: Dutch and English: fluently; French and German: working knowledge.