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EDUCATION

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doctoral thesis published as a book by Leuven University Press, untitled
The Origins of Banana-fibre Cloth in the Ryukyus, Japan, 2007 (ISBN: 9058676145)
2000-2006 **Visiting researcher at the University of the Ryukyus**, Okinawa, Japan
Major: Okinawan weaving and dyeing techniques
1995 **Maîtrise de langues vivantes étrangères de Japonais** (diploma of Japanese studies)
Institut National des Langues et Civilisations Orientales (INALCO), France
Dissertation : « Higashiyama Kaii et l'art du paysage » (Japanese landscape painting)
1991-1992 **Scholarship grantee at the University of Waseda**, Tokyo, Japan
Scholarship from the German-Japanese Centre of Berlin
Major: Japanese art history as from the Meiji Period
1984 **Diplôme supérieur d'études françaises** (diploma of French studies)
Université François.Rabelais, Tours, France

WORK EXPERIENCE

2009 – 2010 **employee** at the Protocol section of the **Embassy of Japan in Belgium**
2009 til present **sworn translator** for the language pairs Japanese-Dutch and French-Dutch
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2003 **French teacher** at the International Design Academy, Okinawa, Japan
2002 French teacher at the **University of the Ryukyus**, Okinawa, Japan
1996 – 2000 **employee** at Flanders' Representative Office, **Embassy of Belgium in Japan**
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1999 **Dutch teacher** at a language school in Tokyo, Japan
1993 – 1995 **employee** at the Japanese personnel service, Toyota Motor Europe, Brussels
1989 student job as **translator Japanese-Dutch and Japanese-French**, *Europalia 1989 Japan*