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Education:

Secondary education in: Port Elisabeth (South Africa), Antwerp and Ghent (Belgium).

Legal education at the University of Ghent, from 1967 till 1972: Candidate in law (*cum laude*);

Licence in law/JD (*magna cum laude*). Obtained Ph.D. in 1981 (*summa cum laude*).

Knowledge of languages : Dutch, English, French, German, Afrikaans

Military Service:

Fulfilled as soldier in service from February 1974 till February 1975 at the Royal Military School, Brussels

1. Present professional functions

Professor of law (Gewoon Hoogleraar) at University of Ghent

and *Adjunct Professor* at American University (Washington College of Law), Washington D.C.

Director of the Department of Procedural Law, Arbitration and Private International Law (with as Department members Professors. K. Broeckx, S. Lust, P. Taelman, D. Van Poucke and H. Verbist plus lawyers-assistants and legal researchers and administrative personnel) at the University of Ghent,

Teaching at the Ghent Law School, since October 1981, with tenure; presently the following courses :

- Private international law for 4th year law students (in Dutch): 45 hours per year plus exercises;
- Advanced and comparative private international law for the 5th year students (elective course, in Dutch): 45 hours per year;
- Resolution of private disputes in international trade – arbitration (elective course for law-students, in Dutch; taught together with H. Verbist)(30 hours per year);
- International Commercial Transactions - English-language Postgraduate Course in LLM - 30 hours.

Teaching at the Washington College of Law (American University): since 1985 (different courses); presently the Course: "International Licensing Agreements", a 3-credit class;

Member of the Bar, Ghent, Belgium

Arbitrator in International Commercial Arbitration: practitioner in commercial arbitration on *ad-hoc*-basis and before several institutions: I.C.C.-Paris; and CEPANI Brussels, Stockholm Chamber of Commerce. Also a listed arbitrator of CIETAC – Beijing; listed arbitrator of the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce, of the Beijing Arbitration Commission - BAC and of the Arbitration Centre and of the Croatian Chamber of Commerce – Zagreb

Conciliator - Appointed on the list of Members of the panel of conciliators and arbitrators at the *International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes* with the World Bank, Washington DC, established by the Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of Other States of March 18, 1965 to resolve disputes under the rules of the Centre (designated by Belgium, April 2007 until 2013)

Advisor to the University of Ghent and to several University Professors on the commercialization of inventions and intellectual property-rights and on related tax-planning, since 1982 (twenty-seven years of experience in licensing)

Member of Public examination boards (Ministry of Foreign Affairs - diplomatic career; and Council of State for knowledge of legal terminology in Dutch)

Founding Member of the “Private International Law Group” of Belgian professors of law.

Member of the executive board of "Internationaal Juridisch Instituut", an Institute for practical consultation by Dutch authorities and law-firms in the area of conflicts of law and foreign substantive law, at The Hague (Netherlands), from 1995 til present.

Vice-President of the Association Belge de Droit International / Belgisch Genootschap voor Internationaal Recht (ABDI/BGIR), from 1995.

Board Member and from 2005: Vice-President of the Executive Board of the Belgian Centre for National and International Arbitration (CEPANI/CEPINA).

Member of the Legal Commission of the Scientific Research Fund of Flanders (a inter-university council to allocate government funds for research; from 2000-2009); President of that Commission, from October 2007.

Member of the “Industrieel Onderzoeksfonds” (IOF) of the University of Gent (since 2006).

2. Current research projects

- Having finalised the general legislation on Belgian private international law for the Ministry of Justice (the new code of law entered into force October 2004), I am active in a group that does the follow-up
- Working on the law of international commercial arbitration
- Improving the Website for Belgian private international law (Dutch, French and English)

- Promotor of doctoral dissertations (conflicts of law in insurance contracts in Europe; comparative law of conflicts in religious marriages from Lithuanian viewpoint, Protection of intellectual property rights and the code of Belgian PIL)
- Promotor for a research project in international family law: the question whether the new Belgian code of law satisfactorily serves the needs of the country and of those involved as legal subjects
- Preparing a guidebook on international licensing of technology for developing countries
- Preparing a 2nd Edition of the 2006 Handbook on Belgian private international law (March 2009) and an English version of the Handbook (together with P. Torremans).

3. Collaborator to law reviews

- Member of the Board of Advisors and Group of collaborators of "Rechtskundig Weekblad" (weekly law review).
- Member of the Editorial Board of "Revue Belge de Droit International".
- Member of the Scientific advisory board of "Cahier van de Jurist /Cahier du Jurist".
- Correspondent for the "Netherlands International Law Review".
- Collaborator for "Revue de Droit International et Droit Comparé".
- Chief editor of Tijdschrift@ipr.be, an on-line law review on private international law in Dutch and French.
- Member of the Editorial Board of "Current Issues in Business and Law" of the Vilnius Law and Business College, Lithuania.
- Former Member of the scientific board of "Molengrafica publications on comparative and international law "of the Molengraaff Institute for Private Law, University of Utrecht (Netherlands).
- Formerly, member of the advisory board for "Revue belge de Droit Commercial/ Tijdschrift voor Belgisch Handelsrecht" (15 years)

4. Former professional experience

Research assistant at the Eberhard Karls University at Tübingen (Germany) with Professor Josef Esser, from September 1972 till April 1973.

Member of the Bar, Gent (1973-1975; and 1999 - present) and in Brussels (1997-1999)

Assistant Professor at the State University of Gent, from September 1973 till September 1981, with Professor Egied Spanoghe, working in conflict of laws and civil law.

Corporate legal counsel to C&A Belgium, Brussels, from March 1988 till March 1995 (full-time) with the following fields of activity:

- General legal counsel, advisor to the management;
- Corporate law, Economic law and Commercial transactions;
- European relations and Government relations;
- International Trade Working group;
- Public Relations and Company communication policy;
- Shareholders' investment, estate and tax planning.

Advisor to Law Publisher Mr. Maarten Kluwer – Maklu Uitgeversonderneming, Antwerpen, 1978 - 1996.

Sole arbitrator and president or member of arbitral tribunals in past proceedings before the international Court of Arbitration of ICC-Paris and before CEPANI-Brussels (about 30 cases). Also past expert-counsel in arbitration litigation and arbitrator ad hoc. Mediator in a three-party mediation under CEPINA.

Former Chairman of the Working-Group on Multinational Corporations of the Federation of Belgian Industry (FEB/VBO): 1992-1994.

Past Panel-member (Organizing Board) in the "Asser College Europe" (Budapest) a teaching and research institution for the Training of Post-graduate students from Eastern Europe in International Law, under the auspices of The Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs (1989-1997).

Former Member of the working group on international adoption-law of the Belgian Ministry of Justice from 1995 - 1998.

Former Representative of Belgium (Flanders) in the Committee of Experts of UNESCO for the revision of the Treaty of The Hague (1954) on the protection of Cultural Goods in time of war, Paris, 23 - 27 March 1997.

Counsel to the International Trade Centre (WTO/UNCTAD) Geneva with the task of training lawyers from Developing Countries in transactions regarding Intellectual Property Law (1998-2001).

Former *Co-ordinator* (with H. Bocken) of a bilateral scientific exchange programme between the Ghent Law Faculty and the East China University of Politics and Law at Shanghai, from 1986 until 2005.

Advisor to UNCITRAL - Vienna, Working Group on International Contracts, for the preparation of the Convention on the Assignment of Receivables (1998 - 2000).

Former Advisor to CREG (the Belgian Regulatory body for Electricity and Gas), 2002, on the arbitration rules.

Former Advisor to the BENELUX Economic Union, 2003-2004, on the functioning of the BENELUX Court.

Former Appointee in a Gent University commission on licensing of intellectual property (Baekelant-fonds).

Former Member of a working group for Foreign Commercial Relations within the Economic Council for East Flanders (1999-2001).

Former Executive-President of the Association of Alumni of the Law School of Gent (Gandaius), from 1996-2004.

Former Advisor to the Belgian Minister of Justice for Codification of Belgian Private International Law (1995 – 2004).

Former Member of the Board of Trustees of the University of Ghent (1 October 2004 – 30 September 2008)

Former Member of the Board of Directors of the University of Ghent (1 October 2004 – 30 September 2008)

5. Academic honours

Dr. iuris, *summa cum laude* (Doctor in legal science, Gent, March 1981), with a thesis on "Torts in the conflict of laws" (see list of publications).

Winner of the quintennial award for the combined writings of Belgian legal scholars under the age of 40, of the Alumni of the Belgian University Foundation (1982).

Fulbright Scholar and Alumnus as visiting scholar at the University of Minnesota Law School (Minneapolis) from March 15 till June 15th 1983.

Honorary Professor of the East China University of Politics and Law, at Shanghai and of the International Lawyers Training Centre at Shanghai (May, 1995).

Dr. *honoris causa* (East China University of Political Science and Law, Shanghai, 2005).

6. Memberships

- Member (Associate) of the Institute of International Law/ Institut de Droit International.
- Member of the Institute of World Business Law, Paris.
- Member of the American Law Institute (Philadelphia).
- Member of the International Bar Association (IBA).
- Member of the Belgian Arbitration Association - CEPANI/CEPINA, Brussels.
- Member of the Freunde des Max Planck Gesellschafts, Hamburg.
- Member of the Flanders-China Chamber of Commerce.
- Honorary Member of the Belgian Association of Company Lawyers.
- Former Member of the International Law Association (ILA).
- Former Associate of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, London.
- Former Secretary and President of the Fulbright Alumni Association - Chapter Flanders.

7. Former Academic functions

- Formerly Member of the Educational Commission of the "Vlaamse Interuniversitaire Raad" (1985-1986).
- Commissioner of the Central University Library, Ghent, 1982 till 1989.
- Former Member of the Gent University Research Council (from 1998 until October 2000)
- Co-director (with C.C.A. Voskuil and Z. Matic) of the bi-annual "Hague-Zagreb-Ghent Colloquium on the Law of International Trade" organised successively in the Netherlands, Yugoslavia and Belgium (1982-1992); publishing bi-annually a conference book.
- Co-director (with P. Šarčević) of the 1990 Programme on Commercial Contracts – International litigation, at the Dubrovnik Interuniversity Institute (Croatia).
- Contracting party for a European TEMPUS-project for the Budapest university (Eötvös Lo-

- rand) - Programme for European Business Law Exchange (1991-94).
- External member of a Faculty scientific audit for the Law School of the University of Utrecht (1993-94).
 - Contracting party (with Prof. M.-C. Foblets and Mr. J.-Y. Carlier) of a research-programme for the offices of the Prime Minister on legal integration of Moroccan women (1997-1998).
 - Contracting party (with Prof. M. Fallon) with the Belgian Ministry of Justice, for the drafting of a general law on private international law (1996-1999). The government draft of a Law on private international law was introduced to the Belgian Council of Ministers on 26 March 1999. Additional contract from July 2000-April 2002, introduction of the draft law before Parliament in May 2002.
 - Member of the Jury in several doctoral dissertations (Antwerp, Gent, Leiden, Leuven, Nottingham, Utrecht).

8. Past foreign teaching appointments

- Adjunct Professor at the American University, Washington DC in 1985-1986 in 1987-1988 and 1995-2005 and again in 2007 til present - for a full-credit Summer courses on European Economic Law and International Contracts and part-time in 1989 and in 1990 for International Contracts; later International Contracts and the Transfer of Intellectual Property Rights and since 2007: International Licensing Agreements.
- Visiting Professor at the East China Institute of Politics and Law in Shanghai (China) from April 30 till June 5, 1986 teaching international contracts and litigation.
- Visiting professor at the University of Florida at Gainesville in August/September 1988 and same in August/September 1990 with classes on international trade transactions and litigation.
- Lecturer in the Interuniversity Center of Dubrovnik (former Yugoslavia): March 1987 Programme on International Law of the Sale of Goods and March 1989 Programme on International Payments; and the April 1990 Programme on International Litigation.
- Lecturer in the 1990 Dutch Postdoctoral Training Programme in International Law at the T.M.C. Asser Institute, The Hague.
- Lecturer at the East China University of Politics and Law, Shanghai, from 15 May until 25 May 1995, with classes on unification of law, international sales law and arbitration.
- Lectures at the same Shanghai University, from 21 April till 4 May 1996 on international litigation.
- Visiting Foreign Professor in Comparative international trade law at the University of Florida (Gainesville) from 2 till 22 February 1997.
- Lecturer in the Interuniversity Center of Dubrovnik (Croatia) on the Law of international sale of goods, from 29 August until 4 September 1998 (6 hours on Remedies in CISG).
- Speaker and trainer in the Workshop of WIPO and ITC (WTO/UNCTAD) on Business and Contractual Dimensions on the Acquisition, Transfer and Exploitation of Intellectual Property, held at Cape Town from 8 - 12 May 2000 and again at Doha, Qatar from 19 - 22 November 2000.
- Guest lecturer for four hours in the course of Prof. Ron Brand (International Business Transactions) at Pittsburgh University Law School, 22 – 28 September 2005.
- Lectures in *several* Belgian postgraduate courses and colloquia.

9. Foreign guest lectures at Universities

Tübingen (1987), Leiden (1988), American University (Washington D.C.)(1988 and 1998), Rijeka (Croatia, 1990), Asser Instituut The Hague (1993), Hebrew University (Jerusalem,

1994), Eötvös Lorand University (Budapest, 1994), Bologna (1994 and 1995), Javeriana University (Bogota, Colombia, 2000), Loyola University (New Orleans, USA, May 2002), East China University of Politics and Law (Shanghai, 2005 and 2007), North-Western University of Politics and Law (Xi'an, 2005), Wuhan University (Wuhan, 2005), University of Pittsburgh (Pittsburgh USA, 2005).

10. Recent speaking appointments & future conferences

- 20 January 2005 – Antwerp – Closed conference for a law-firm, on the application of the new code of law on banking transactions;
- 10 February 2005 – Leiden (Netherlands) – Thorbecke Lecture – Belgium and the Netherlands with different modes of PIL reform;
- 20 January 2005 – Antwerp – Presentation of the security aspects in the new law on pil for banking lawyers in the offices of Allen & Overy – law firm;
- 24 February 2005 and again 7 March 2005 (together with professor P. Wautelet) – Gent and Antwerp (XXIXth Postgraduate Delva-course): International insolvency under European rules and insolvency beyond Europe;
- 1 March 2005 – Kortrijk – Bar Association of Kortrijk – Introduction to the new law on private international law in business transactions;
- 10 March 2005 – Brussels – BVVO (Association of Insurance companies) - Lunch-conference on private international law aspects of insurance law;
- 15 March 2005 – Vienna (Austria) – UNCITRAL 25th Anniversary Meeting on CISG – The obligations of the seller in international sale of goods;
- 24 March 2005 – Brussels – EHSAL-Fiscal High School – Conference on the private international law of interest to tax lawyers;
- 11 April 2005 – Brussels High Commission for Justice - Judges’ training: The sources and method of research in private international law;
- 14 April 2005 – Gent, Vlaamse Conferentie der Balie te Gent – The impact of the new code of private international law on procedures in Belgium;
- 18 April 2005 – Brussels High Commission for Justice – Judges’ training: The international jurisdiction in matters of tort;
- 9 and 10 May 2005 – Xi’an (PR China) – European developments in private international law; and Developments in Belgian private international law
- 12 May 2005 - Wuhan (PR China) – Recent developments in European and Belgian PIL;
- 19 and 20 May 2005 – Shanghai (PR China) – International commercial transactions and technology transfer;
- 16 September 2005 – Kruiningen (The Netherlands) – Half-day seminar for the Corporate Section of Cleary Gottlieb Steen and Hamilton – Brussels, on the novelties in business law in the Belgian Code of Private International Law.
- 22 September 2005 – Pittsburgh USA – International licensing agreements at Pitt University Law School;
- 11 October 2005 – Antwerp – Presentation on “One year of application of the law on private international law”; at the closing session of the program on Migration 2005.
- 4 November 2005 – Pittsburgh USA – Conference on the 25th Anniversary of CISG – The remedies for the buyer in a practice-oriented approach;
- 17 November 2005 – Brussels – CEPANI-Conference on arbitration and international distribution agreements: “The applicable law on distribution agreements”;
- 9 February 2006 – Brussels – Bar Association Training on Belgian private international law;

- 12 June 2006 – Rijeka, Croatia – Speech In Commemoration of Petar Šarčević
- 22 June 2006 – De Panne – Training for Civil Registry administrators of the Brussels Region in Private International Law;
- 11 November 2006 – Antwerp – Presentation on the civil law competencies within BeNeLux;
- 18 November 2006 – Brussels – for a meeting of Notaries, on international donations;
- 23 January 2007 – Brussels – on Recognition and enforcement of awards in International Arbitration for the Belgian Association of Corporate Lawyers;
- 8 February 2007 - Bar Association Training on Belgian private international law;
- February and March 2007 – Brussels – Four days of a professional qualification course for ranking federal employees active in international affairs with private international law files;
- 16 September 2007 – Wuhan, PRChina – International Conference for the 20th Anniversary of the Chinese Society of Private International Law; Closing remarks;
- 1 October 2007 – Brussels – Conference at the occasion of the third anniversary of the entry into force of the Belgian Code of Private international law, Speech on Recognition and enforcement in family law matters;
- 30 November 2007 – London (U.K.) – Conference on Art and Law – “Location, location”;
- 12 February 2008 – Brussels - Bar Association Training on Belgian private international law: judicial decisions over the past years
- 12 September 2008 – Gent – Legislative Policy in the making of civil law - Technocrats and democrats in the making of the law on private international law
- 29 January 2009 – Brussels - Bar Association Training on Belgian private international law: Contracts and torts in the new European Regulations
- 10 February 2009 – Class to CIETAC-Visiting delegation at Antwerp University Management School: arbitration of disputes over intellectual property rights
- 10 February 2009 – Conference at Antwerp Provincial Government: Investment arbitration and the position of China
- 19 and 23 March 2009 – Gent and Antwerp – (XXXVth Postgraduate Delva-course): The new European Regulations on the law applicable to contracts and torts
- 9 October 2009 – Brussels (Belgian Senate) – Presentation on the renewed competencies of the BeNeLux Court of Justice

11. List of publications

a. Books :

1. *De onrechtmatige daad in het internationaal privaatrecht*, Antwerp, Maklu Uitgevers N.V., 1982, 350 pages.
(*Torts in the conflict of laws*)
2. *Internationaal Privaatrecht - De Bronnen*, Antwerp, Maklu Uitgevers N.V., 1982, 486 pages, and 3 annual supplements (*together with L. De Foer*)
and the same, 2nd Edition, Antwerpen, Maklu Uitgevers N.V., 1991, 750 pages (with supplement - 1994)
(*Materials on Belgian conflict of laws, especially treaties*)
3. *De bron van het vreemde recht vloeit overvloedig*, Inaugural address, Brussels, Story-Scientia, 1984, 47 pages.
(*Too much foreign law before the courts ?*)
4. *Beginselen van internationaal privaatrecht*, Brussels, Story-Scientia, 1985, 330 pages.
(*Handbook on Belgian p.i.l.*)

5. *Belgische werknemers in het buitenland*, Deurne, Kluwer rechtswetenschappen, 1988 (with B. Dubois, I. Onckelinx, C. Salaert), 165 pages.
(*Belgian employees working abroad*)
6. Co-editor of : *Liber Memorialis François Laurent (1810-1887)*, Brussels, Story-Scientia, 1989, 1209 pages.
7. Editor of "*Europese wetteksten voor de praktijk*", Antwerpen en Apeldoorn, Maklu Uitgevers N.V., 1989, 400 pages.
(*Pocket edition of basic European treaties*)
8. *Bronnen van internationaal privaatrecht*, Completely revised 3rd Edition, published with Kluwer rechtswetenschappen, Antwerpen, 1997, 1025 pages.
(*Collection of texts and scientific information on p.i.l.*)
9. *Le droit international privé belge et communautaire*, Brussels and Antwerp, Ed. Bruylant en Maklu Uitgevers N.V., 1993, 800 pages (together with N. Watté).
(*Collection of texts and scientific information on p.i.l.*)
10. Editor of "*Europese Basisteksten*", Antwerpen, Maklu Uitgevers N.V. Second edition, totally revised (with M. Claeys), 1995, 507 pages.
(*Pocket edition of basic European treaties and legislative materials*)
11. Co-editor with H. Van Houtte and P. Wautelet of : *Het Weens Koopverdrag 11 april 1980*, Antwerpen, Intersentia, 1997 (*The Vienna International Sales Convention - CISG*)
12. *Bronnen van international privaatrecht*,
4th Edition, (with Clive Rommelaere), Antwerpen, Kluwer, 2001, 350 pages;
5th Edition, (with Clive Rommelaere), Antwerpen, Kluwer, 2002, 422 pages;
6th Edition (with Clive Rommelaere), Mechelen, Kluwer, 2004, 491 pages;
7th Edition (with Jan De Meyer), Mechelen, Kluwer, 2008, 631 pages.
(*a book giving all sources of private international law in Belgium and Europe*)
13. *Belgisch internationaal privaatrecht*, latest edition of 2 volumes of the Course for students, Department publication, Volume I (October 2003), volume II, (January 2004) together 523 pages.
14. *Het nieuwe wetboek van internationaal privaatrecht*, Editor, with Marc Fallon, of the Dutch version of the text and preparatory documents of the Belgian code of private international law, Mechelen, Kluwer, 2004, 374 pages.
15. *Le nouveau code de droit international privé*, Editor, with Marc Fallon, of the French version of the text and preparatory documents of the Belgian code of private international law, Mechelen, Kluwer, 2004, 370 pages.
16. Co-author with, *inter alia* John Stonier, of: *Exchanging value – Negotiating technology Licensing Agreements – A training manual*, Geneva, WIPO and WTO/UNCTAD, 2005, 178 pages; a French translation will be published in September 2006.
17. Medewerking aan/ Co-operation to: *De ambtenaar van de Burgerlijke Stand en het Internationaal Privaatrecht* – M. Veldeman en J. Vande Velde (authors), Reeks Oranje boeken over de Burgerlijke Stand, Bruges, Die Keure, 2005 (looseleaf), 40 pages.
(*Private international law for the administrators of civil registries*);
18. Co-Editor together with M. Fallon, E. Guldix, J. Meeusen, M. Pertegas Sender, H. Van Houtte, N. Watté and P. Wautelet of: *Het wetboek international privaatrecht becommentarieerd/ Le Code de droit international privé commenté*, Antwerp and Brussels, Intersentia and Bruylant, 2006, 722 pages
(*A commentary of the sections of the new Belgian law on private international law*);
19. Co-Editor with V. Tomljenović and P. Volken of: *Liber Memorialis Petar Šarčević – Universalism, Tradition and the Individual*, Munich, Sellier Publ., 2006, 662 p.

20. *Handboek Belgisch Internationaal Privaatrecht* (with co-authors), Mechelen, Kluwer, 2006, 602 pages
(*Handbook on private international law in Belgium*);
21. *Belgian Private International Law*, English-language Handbook, (together with Paul Torremans), The Hague, Kluwer Law and Taxation, Spring 2009, 150 pages;
22. *Internationaal Privaatrecht – Reeks: Beginselen van Belgisch Privaatrecht* (with co-authors), Summer 2009, 720 pages
(*Totally revised Handbook on private international law*)

b. Database on a continuous basis:

Information database on Private International Law on website <www.ipr.be>, <www.dipr.be> in Dutch and in French.

c. Articles in Law Reviews and Books :

1. "Nederlandse bevoegdheid in echtscheidingszaken en het Belgisch-Nederlands verdrag van 28 maart 1925", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1975-76, columns 1857-1876.
(*The Belgian-Netherlands treaty of 28 March 1925 and jurisdiction for divorce proceedings*)
2. "Het Benelux-Verdrag houdende eenvormige wet betreffende het internationaal privaatrecht opgeborgen", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1975-76, columns 2392-2399.
(*Abandonment of the Benelux uniform conflicts treaty*)
3. Het "openbare orde"-begrip en de erkenningsleer m.b.t. buitenlandse echtscheidingen, - Binnenkort verstoting tussen Belgische echtgenoten?", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1976-77, columns 1985-2008.
(*Recognition of foreign divorces and public policy*)
4. "Artikel 1384 B.W. en een voorvraag in het I.P.R.", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1977-78, columns 1607-1612.
(*Vicarious liability in an international tort and preliminary questions*)
5. "Echtscheiding met grensoverschrijding", Intermediair 1978, numbers 14, 15 and 19.
(*Three-part article on international divorce-problems*)
6. Co-author of keywords for private international law for 8-volume "Grote Winkler Prins Encyclopaedia" (edition 1978).
7. "De collisierechtelijke aanknopng van het patrimoniale basisstatuut ("primair statuut") van het huwelijk", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1978-79, columns 881-896.
(*Mandatory provisions in new matrimonial property law and conflict of laws*)
8. "Wetskeuze in het internationaal huwelijksvermogensrecht, volgens de Conferentie van Den Haag", Tijdschrift voor Notarissen 1979, pages 9-16.
(*Critical analysis of Hague treaty of March 14, 1978 on matrimonial property relations*)
9. "Het intertemporeel internationaal privaatrecht en de toepassing ervan in het huwelijksvermogensrecht", Tijdschrift voor Privaatrecht 1979, pages 1-28 plus summaries in German, French and English.
(*Transitory law in conflicts law, with focus on matrimonial property matters*)
10. "Echtscheiding door onderlinge toestemming van twee buitenlanders in België", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1978-79, columns 2001-2018.
(*Consensual divorce of foreigners in Belgium*)
11. "Toepasselijke wet bij arbeidsongeval in den vreemde", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1978-

- 79, columns 2661-2663.
(*Comment on Cour de Cassation, June 22, 1977: workmen's compensation and conflicts*)
12. "Een nieuw ontwerp voor een Europees internationaal privaatrecht van de contractuele verbintenissen", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1979-80, columns 145-154.
(*Discussion of the conflicts treaty in contracts, signed in Rome on June 19, 1980*)
 13. "Rechtsvraag Internationaal Privaatrecht : De wijziging van vreemd materieel recht en de vluchtelingen", IUS-Interuniversitair Juridisch Studententijdschrift 1979-80, pages 144-149.
(*Fugitives and problems of transitory law*)
 14. "Over de evolutie naar een nieuwe verwijzingsregel in het huwelijksvermogensrecht", Tijdschrift voor Notarissen, 1979, pages 321-334.
(*Evolution in Belgian conflicts law of matrimonial property*)
 15. "Duitse alimentatievorderingen en de openbare orde in België", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1979-80, columns 1729-1738.
(*German decisions allotting alimony and Belgian public policy*)
 16. "De nationaliteit van het arbeidscontract", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1979-80, columns 2502-2505.
(*Comment on Cour de Cassation, November 5, 1979 : labour law and conflicts*)
 17. "Juridische problemen in verband met huwelijken en echtscheidingen van Marokkanen en Turken", in : Juridische Administratieve Informatie van het O.C.G.B., nr. 11 of October 6, 1980, pages 1-13.
(*Marriage and divorce problems of Moroccan and Turc immigrants*)
 18. "Internationaal privaatrecht en huwelijksvermogensrecht", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1980-81, columns 921-923.
(*Comment on Cour de Cassation, April 10, 1981 : matrimonial property law and conflicts*)
 19. "De ambtshalve toepassing van vreemd recht en de cassatie-controle op die toepassing", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1981-82 columns 1457-1470.
(*Ex officio application of foreign law in Belgian courts*)
 20. "De eerste Belgische ervaringen met het Europese verdrag inzake inlichtingen over vreemd recht", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1981-82, columns 1503-1508.
(*Summary report on Belgian experiences with the London treaty regarding information on foreign law*)
 21. "De lex vehiculi", Rechtskundig Weekblad 1981-82, columns 1936-1937.
(*Comment on Court of Appeals Ghent, November 19, 1982 : application of Hague Treaty on traffic accidents*)
 22. "Het nieuwe recht van voorafneming in de internationale erfenissen (art. 912 B.W.)" in : Exequatur van vriendschap. Liber Amicorum Egied Spanoghe, Antwerp, Kluwer Rechtswetenschappen, 1981, pages 115-135.
(*The provision on retorsion in international estate law*)
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