

# CURRICULUM VITAE



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“ A highly motivated, analytical MSc Economics graduate who is eager to learn and has a great interest in competition economics and data-driven economic analysis. ”

## EDUCATION

- 2017 - 2018** **MSc Economics - Tilburg University - Cum Laude (with Honors)**  
 Specialization track: Competition and Regulation - MSc Thesis: *'Influence Optimization in Interorganizational Healthcare Networks'* (8.5/10) - Average grade: 8.5/10
- 2017** **Online Course Data Scientist with Python career track - DataCamp.com**  
 84-hour Python track - 22 courses overlapping with the Python Programmer and Data Analyst with Python tracks - 1299 exercises completed
- 2014 - 2017** **BSc Economics - Tilburg University**  
 BSc Thesis: *'Interventions in the Pharmaceutical Sector'* (8/10) - Average grade: 7/10
- 2008 - 2014** **VWO Atheneum - Valuascollege Venlo**  
 Specialization track: Economie & Maatschappij (Economics and Social Sciences)

## Interests

### Professional

One of my professional interests is the usage of statistical software such as Python, R, and STATA to perform data analysis techniques. Examples of this are the use of Python to perform applied economic analysis and the use of R in my MSc Thesis. Illustrations of this can be found on my personal website.

### Personal

My personal interests include running, squashing, and closely following Formula 1 racing.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- 09-2018 - 01-2019** **Atypical trainee - Principal Adviser's team - DG COMP**  
 Ex-post economic evaluation of competition policy - drafting reports - preparing minutes - reviewing literature - data cleaning  
*European Commission - Brussels, BE*
- 04-2018 - 09-2018** **Thesis intern - Strategy - Economic and Medical Office**  
 Network analysis of the network of interlocking directorates in Dutch healthcare - writing thesis - presenting progress and discussing applications with other units  
*Dutch Healthcare Authority (NZA) - Utrecht, NL*
- 09-2016 - 08-2017** **Member of the Board - Treasurer - Volunteer - STAI**  
 Financial reporting - financial administration reforming - hosting activities - fundraising  
*Students Tilburg Amnesty International - Tilburg, NL*
- 01-2016 - 09-2016** **Member of the Marketing Committee - Volunteer - STAI**  
 Hosting and promoting symposia - recruitment marketing  
*Students Tilburg Amnesty International - Tilburg, NL*
- 06-2015 - 08-2017** **Part-time supermarket employee**  
 Leading the team of student employees - working the cash register - working in the bakery  
*Spar van Elk - Arcen, NL*
- 01-2011 - 01-2015** **Gas station employee**  
 Working the cash register - cashier balancing - working the car wash  
*Tankstation Peeters - Arcen, NL*

