Stan van Baarsen

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EDUCATION

University of Cambridge

2024 - June 2025 (expected)

MPhil in Technology Policy (in progress)

 Awarded multiple merit-based scholarships: Fundatie van Renswoude, Hendrik Mullerfonds, VSBfonds, and Schuurman Schimmel van Outeren Stichting.

Leiden University 2019 - 2024

BSc in Computer Science (minor in Theoretical Mathematics)

- Final grade: 8.5/10 (cum laude).
- Thesis: Computing Graph State Orbits using Binary Decision Diagrams (8.5/10)
- Notable coursework: Algorithms, Advanced Software Engineering, Artificial Intelligence, Statistics, Digital Systems Design, Computer Architecture.

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

2020 - 2024

BSc in International Business Administration (specialization: Public Economics)

- Final grade: 8.2/10 (cum laude).
- Thesis: The Distributional Effects of Imputed Rent Taxation: A Case Study of the Netherlands (9.0/10)

City College of New York

Exchange semester focusing on politics, economics, and management (GPA 3.94/4.00)

2023

• Awarded a merit-based scholarship from Fundatie van Renswoude to support my exchange semester.

WORK EXPERIENCE

SSL Leiden (foundation providing courses to prepare students for high school finals)

Head of Department of Business Economics

May 2023 – Aug 2024

- Designed and managed content for business economics courses, serving ~700 students annually.
- Oversaw and coordinated the ~50 teachers in the department.

Senior Teacher May 2022 – Aug 2024

- Managed teams of up to 10 assistant teachers and taught classes of 15–35 students every weekend.
- Trained and coached new and experienced assistant teachers.
- Held final responsibility for the course content delivery and student satisfaction.

Assistant Teacher Dec 2019 – May 2022

- Supported smaller groups of up to 6 students, using Socratic dialogue to motivate and guide them.
- Provided personalized feedback to improve students' results.

Web Developer Dec 2019 – Oct 2020

Developed and migrated a new intranet and customer platform written in Vue and Laravel.

Leiden University

Aug 2020 – Feb 2022

Teaching Assistant Analysis 1

- Taught tutorials and graded assignments for ~100 mathematics students.
- Achieved the highest student ratings as a TA in both years.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Timmerdorp Heiloo (an annual event in Heiloo, the Netherlands)

2018 - Present

- Co-manage all IT affairs including the development of the website, ticket sales platform, and mobile app.
- Volunteer as a youth leader during the event.

Committee member at De Leidsche Flesch and L.A.D 'F' Kaiser

2019 - 2023

SKILLS

Languages: Fluent in English and Dutch, conversational in German.

Programming Languages: C/C++, Python, JavaScript, R, SQL.

Web frameworks: React, Vue, Nuxt, Next.js, Angular, Laravel.