

# Matthias Wens

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## PROFILE

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- Place of birth: Wilrijk, Belgium
- Nationality: Belgian
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- Marital Status: Single

## PROFILE

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After finishing my studies for master of electronics and ICT engineering technology at KULeuven, Campus De Nayer, I started my professional career as a technology advisor at KPMG. There I had the chance to develop my interest in Cyber Security while gaining an insight in different business processes. Soon after I started at KPMG, I began my education as Computer & Cyber Crime Professional at the HoWest in Brugge (planned to finish January 2020). I am currently open for new opportunities, where I can contribute to a safer cyber environment, while broadening my knowledge and feeding my interests in Cyber Security.

## EDUCATION

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<b>Hogeschool West Vlaanderen</b>	Brugge, Belgium
<i>Bachelor of applied informatics: Computer &amp; Cyber Crime Professional</i>	2018- January 2020
- <u>Certifications</u> : Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH)	September 2019

<b>KULeuven, Campus De Nayer</b>	Sint-katelijne-waver, Belgium
<i>Master of Electronics and ICT Engineering Technology (Magna cum laude)</i>	2017-2018

<b>KULeuven, Campus De Nayer</b>	Sint-katelijne-waver, Belgium
<i>Bachelor of Electronics and ICT Engineering Technology (Magna cum laude)</i>	2014-2017

**KULeuven***Bachelor of ICT Engineering (not finished)*

Heverlee, Belgium

2013-2014

**Sint-ritacollege***Grieks-wiskunde*

Kontich, Belgium

2007-2013

**EXPERIENCE**

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**KPMG***Techology Advisor*

Berchem/Zaventem, Belgium

2018-now

As a technology advisor at KPMG Advisory, I mainly worked on technical and business cyber security projects and IT audit project. As part of the Cyber & Privacy team, I performed a series of **Cyber Maturity Assessments, ISO27001 assessments, Penetration Tests and Incident Response engagements**. As part of the IT audit team, I got a deeper understanding of different business processes. Furthermore, I lead meetings with different high-level IT stakeholders in different companies during these engagements.

**OTHER EXPERIENCE**

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**E-kring***Cursusdienst**Praeses*

Sint-katelijne-waver, Belgium

2016-2017

2017-2018

- Communication with professors and assistants.
- Leading meeting of the center-group of the organization (Praesidium)
- Responsible for the organization, built-up, clean-up, ... of all activities.

**Schoolrock Festival***Co-operator Terrain unit / Chief of Main Entrance**Coördinator*

Kontich, Belgium

2011-2012

2012-2013

- Leading function in the organisation of Schoolrock Festival, a festival organised by approximately 90 students of Sint-ritacollege, Kontich, Belgium
- Follow up the different working groups of students.
- Leading the meetings of the center-group of the organization.
- Participate in meetings with police, fire department, municipality, mayor, school principal, ...
- Coordinate the different events during the building of the festival, the festival itself and the clean-up afterwards.

## SKILLS

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- Dutch (Mother language)
- Good understanding of both written and spoken English
- Conversational in French
- Holding a full car driver's license.
- Advanced level skills in Microsoft Office Suite/Libre Office.
- Advanced level knowledge of network topologies and network protocols
- Programming :

Advanced: Python2/3, Java (JavaEE), JavaScript

Good: C, C++, C# (.NET), PHP, XML

## HONOR & AWARD

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### **Winner of Google Hashcode in the Antwerp Hub**

Antwerp, Belgium

*Google (Hosted by Taglayer)*

2017

Winner of the online qualification round of Google Hashcode in the Antwerp Hub.

## OTHER

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### **Kazou vzw**

Antwerp, Belgium

*Animator*

2011-2017

Accompany and animate children aged 15-16 on a vacation.

### **Creactief vzw**

Mortsel, Belgium

*Swimming Instructor*

2011-now

Teaching children (Ages 4-14) to swim

### **Judoclub Kim-budo**

Kontich, Belgium

*Judo assistant Trainer*

2010-now

Helping the trainer with the judo trainings.

Training the youngest group of judoka's.

## HOBBY

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- Rock climber
- Pianist and guitarist