

Any intelligent fool can make things bigger, more complex, and more violent. It takes a touch of genius – and a lot of courage – to move in the opposite direction.

Education

- 2003–2006 **Master of Design**, *Valparezze School of Design*.
1st year: 79% 2nd year: 84% 3rd year: — (graduation expected in June 2006)
- 2001–2003 **Bachelor of Design**, *Beijing Drawing University*.
1st year: 63% 2nd year: 76%

Master thesis

- title *On the design of modern curriculum vitæ*
- supervisors Pr P. Picasso and Pr G. Klimt
- description Study of the complex design of a curriculum vitæ, also known as “résumé”. In my opinion, a good design needs to be show the personality of its author. Some people will thus prefer a more classic style, and others will be more audacious. . .

Experience

- February 2006–
current **Maintainer of the a CTAN package**, *CTAN*, World.
Maintainer of the `moderncv` package, meant to ease the production of beautiful curriculum vitæ.
- 2005–2006 **Mathematics tutor**, *UCL*, Louvain-la-Neuve.
Supervision of practical sessions for a mathematical course given to second year engineering students (course *FSAB1104: Numerical Methods*). *See www.legat-online.be/b2q1/num.*
- 2004–2006 **Cultural project leader**, *Tchouque-Tschouk Kot*, Louvain-la-Neuve.
Leader of a student home with a cultural project, requiring day to day management as well as the organization of public events. *See www.organe.be.*
- 1999–2001 **IMO preselected**, *SBPMef*, Wépion.
Advanced mathematical training, as Belgian preselected candidate for the International Mathematical Olympiads, selected by the Belgian mathematical society. *See imo.math.ca/belgium.html.*

Languages

- French **Native**
- Dutch **Near-native** *Primary education degree obtained in a Dutch college (Sint-Jozefscollege te Sint-Pieters-Woluwe).*
- English **Very good** *Many journeys in English speaking countries, including the United States, the United Kingdom and Kenya.*
- Mandarin **Elementary** *Taking classes at the “Institut des Langues Vivantes” (UCL), for the second year now.*

Computer skills

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| OS | Linux, Unix, Windows | administration | Apache, Mailman |
| programming | JAVA, C/C++ | scripting | PHP, Shell, Ruby |

scientific Matlab, Autocad, Abaqus
web design XHTML, CSS, AJAX

typography L^AT_EX, ConT_EXt, Scribus, QuarkXPress
database MySQL, PostgreSQL

Interests

design I am a design fan, especially when it comes to typography and photography.

adventure sports I like practicing adventure sports like skiing, rock climbing and scuba diving, and have been a boy scout for five years.

travelling I have been living abroad during my childhood, and love travelling around the world.