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[Amsterdam Centre for European Law and Governance](http://www.uva.nl/profile/d.m.curtin), University of Amsterdam,
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Academic Appointments

- *University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law*
Professor of European Law (2008-)
Founding Director, Amsterdam Centre of European Law and Governance (2009-)
- *University of Utrecht, Utrecht School of Governance*
Professor of International and European Governance 2003 – 2013
- *University of Utrecht, Faculty of Law*
Professor of the Law of International Organizations 1992 – 2002
Director of the Europa Institute 1992 – 2002
- *University of Leiden, Faculty of Law*
Senior Research Fellow (Part-time), 1991 – 1992
Lecturer in European Community Law 1983 – 1985
- *Trinity College Dublin, Faculty of Law*
Frances E. Moran Research Scholar and Tutor in Criminal Law and the Law of Torts
1980 – 1982

Non- Academic Employment

Freshfields, Brussels

- Legal Counsel to the Brussels office, 1991 – 1992
- Court of Justice of the European Communities, Luxembourg*
- Référendaire (Legal Secretary) to Judge T.F. O'Higgins, 1985 – 1991

Visiting Research Appointments

- *Institute for Advanced Study (Wissenschaftskolleg), Berlin*, Regular Fellow, 2014 - 2015
- *New York University, Law School*, Visiting Fellow, Fall 2012
- *Netherlands Institute for Advanced Studies, Wassenaar*, Regular Fellow, 2007 – 2008
- *College of Europe, Bruges*, Visiting Professor of Law, 1999 – 2006
- *Stanford University, US*, Visiting Fellow, Stanford Program in International Legal Studies, Fall 1996

Education

- *National University of Ireland*
LL.D. Degree (Doctorate in Law), 1991
- *Honourable Society of Kings Inn, Dublin*
Barrister-at-Law (B.L.) Degree, 1983

- *Trinity College Dublin*

Master of Legal Science (M.Litt.) Degree (by thesis), 1983

- *University College Dublin*

Bachelor of Civil Law (B.C.L.) Degree, 1980

Languages

English, Dutch and Irish (fluent); French and German (very good); Italian (reasonable)

Awards and Honours

- *Kings Inns Dublin*: Elected Honorary Benchers, 2013
- *Irish Women Lawyers Association*: Honorary Member, 2012
- *Royal Holland Society of Sciences and Humanities*: Elected Member, 2008
- *University College Dublin*: Honorary Doctorate in Law (LL.D), 2008
- *Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research (NWO)*: Spinoza Prize, the highest scientific distinction in the Netherlands and the only time awarded to a lawyer, 2007
- *Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW)*: Elected Member, 2003

Research Grants

- *University of Amsterdam, Central Board*: University wide excellent-track research (Research Priority Area project): *The Architecture of Postnational Rulemaking*, (1.3 million euros, renewable in 2014), from 2010, (with Prof. Hesselink (CSECL) and Prof. Nollkaemper (ACIL))
- *Dutch Scientific Council Research Grant, (NWO)*: Spinoza Grant for outstanding research, (1.5 million euros), from 2008, (matched by the University of Amsterdam, 0.5 million euros)
- *Dutch Scientific Council (NWO)*: Shifts in Governance Research Grant: *The Real World of EU Accountability. What Deficit?* 2005 – 2008, for one post-doctorate and two PhD positions, 0.6 million euros, (with political scientists, Prof. Bovens and Prof. 't Hart)
- *Dutch Scientific Council (NWO)*: SARO 3 grant for post-doctorate position for two years, 2003 – 2005
- *Dutch Scientific Council (NWO)*: three grants for doctoral research (SARO 2 grant for three years, 2005; open competition, 1992 – 1996 and 1995 – 1999)

Academic Leadership and Management

Amsterdam Centre for European Law and Governance (ACELG) (2009)

- Founding Director. Research Leader of Faculty Centre of Excellence Research Program, *Compound Constitution(s) in Europe* and University Profile Research Program, *The Architecture of Postnational Rulemaking. Views from International Public Law, European Public Law and European Private Law*

University of Amsterdam (from 2008)

- Member (and previously substitute) of the Scientific Committee of the University of Amsterdam, from 2010: Member of the Law Faculty Scientific Committee, (from 2009); Member of the Permanent Committee for Appointment of Professors and Associate Professors, Law Faculty, from 2010: Management

- Board of the Department of Public International Law and European Law,
Substitute Member, 2012
- Research Network on EU Administrative Law (ReNEUAL), from 2009*
- Member of the Steering Committee and Team leader, Working Group 1, “Rulemaking”
- Efficient and Democratic Governance in a Multi-Level Europe (CONNEX), 2004 - 2008*
- EU funded Network of Excellence: Member of the Executive Committee, Coordination Board Task 2 and Research Leader Research Group 2 (“Enhancing democracy in European Governance”)
- Political Control in a European and Comparative Perspective”, 2004 - 2008*
- Research leader, NWO funded SARO project
- Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW)*
- Member of the Domain Jury for the Behavioural, Social and Legal Sciences (GMRW), from 2011; Member of the Committee to Select the Management Board, 2010 – 2011; Member of the Management Board, Law Section, 2008 - 2010
- Dutch Scientific Organization (NWO)*
- Member of the Program Committee “Shifts In Governance”, 2002 – 11; Member of NWO Spinoza Prize Selection Committee, 2003 - 05
- Netherlands Institute for the Advanced Studies in the Humanities and Social Sciences*
- Member of the Scientific Board, from 2010
- The Hague Institute for the Internationalization of Law*
- Member of the Programmatic Steering Committee, from 2010
- Dutch Network of Women Professors*
- Member of the Management Board, from 2010
- Department of Foreign Affairs (BuZa), The Netherlands*
- Member of the Advisory Committee on International Affairs, Human Rights Committee (AIV), 2001 – 05
- Utrecht University*
- Member of the Advisory Committee of the *Profiel* Masters, 2003
- Standing Committee of Experts International Immigration, Refugee and Criminal Law*
- Member (previously Vice-Chairperson), from 1994
- Asser Institute, Center for International and European Law, The Hague*
- Chairperson *Committee on European Law*, 2003 – 2006
- University of Cambridge*
- Elector to the Professorship of European Law, from 2010
 - Member of the Advisory Board of the Cambridge Centre for European Law, from 2004
- University College Dublin*
- Member of the Advisory Board Constitutional Law and Governance Group, from 2010
- Trinity College Dublin, 2008*
- Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Law Faculty
- Irish Centre of European Law*
- Member of the Board of Directors, 1996 – 2005

Research Leadership of ACELG (2009 – 2013)

- *Growth and Visibility*: University wide Centre of Excellence established in 2009 achieved international visibility and reputation. Starting from a few researchers in 2009, by 2013 it includes 28 researchers (tenured, post-doctoral and doctoral), over half of international origin and manages to retain and attract talented staff on a structural basis. 5 Monographs with OUP and many

international peer reviewed articles in a wide range of journals.

- *Winning Grants*: 2 major three-year Post-doctoral projects (2011 and 2012), NWO; 2 Fulbright scholarships for research study in the US (post-doctoral and doctoral), 2012 and 2013. Two other major post-doctoral grants under review.
- *Fostering Research Culture*: intense international refereed publication culture; supportive and cutting edge research environment for post-doctoral and doctoral research; multi-disciplinary engagement encouraged, 'learning by doing', normative and empirical research. Outreach through social media (blogs) and other advisory activities (national and international).
- *Multi-Disciplinary Initiatives*: A high-level and inter-disciplinary *Post-Doctoral and Doctoral International Research Summer School (2013)* as a Joint Initiative by the Director of ACELG and Professor Jonathan Zeitlin of the Political Science Faculty. *European and Transnational Rulemaking*, July 2013.

Named/Keynote Lectures and International Conference Convening

- (Invited) *Chorley Lecture, London School of Economics (2013)*
The Challenge of Executive Democracy in Europe
- *Postnational Rulemaking between Authority and Autonomy (2012)*
Convenor and Chair, University of Amsterdam, 20 - 21 September
- *Transatlantic Conference on Transparency Research (2012)*
Co-Chair and Convenor, Utrecht, www.transparencyconference.nl
- *Towards an EU Administrative Procedure Law? (2012)*
Co-Convenor, Joint EU Ombudsman/ReNEUAL Conference
European Parliament, Brussels, 15 - 16 March
- *Inaugural lecture – Professor of European Law, University of Amsterdam (2011)*
'Top Secret Europe',
- (Invited) *Max Weber Lecture, European University Institute, Florence (2011)*
Beyond Whack-a-Mole. Keeping Government Secrecy Safe
- (Invited) *Royal Dutch Academy of Science Lecture, June 2008*
Accumulated Executive Power in Europe. The 'Most Dangerous' Branch of Government and the European Union
- (Invited) *Spinoza Keynote Lecture, Dutch Science Organization, The Hague, (October 2007)*, Executive Power in Europe
- *Second Connex Thematic Conference, Democracy and Accountability in the EU, EUI, Florence, June 2006 (co-convenor)*
- *First Connex Thematic Conference, Towards A European Administrative Space, Birbeck College, London, November 2006 (co-convenor)*
- (Invited) *Durham Annual European Law Lecture (2004)*
Through the Looking Glass: The Myths of Transparency in the European Union
- (Invited) *Walter van Gerven Lecture, University of Leuven (2003)*
Mind the Gap? The Evolving EU Executive and the Constitutional Treaty

Doctoral Thesis Supervision

(2016)

- Nik Jan de Boer, *Strengthening Democracy through the Courts?* (from 2012)
- Maarten Hillebrandt, *Concept, Norm and Theory: How Transparency is Expected to Strengthen Council Democracy and Why It Might Not* (from 2012)
- Chris Koedooder, *Ever Closer Economic and Monetary Union: EU-IMF Relations, the Euro Crisis, and the External Representation of the Euro Area*, (from 2012)

(2015)

- Eljalill Tauschinsky, *You Can Trust Me. Non-legislative Rule-making in Light of the*

- Fiduciary Quality of Public Authority* (from 2011)
- Vigilenca Abazi, *Uncovering the Rules Guarding Secrets in the European Union. Confidentiality as an Unexpected Ally of Democracy* (from 2011)
 - Aart Loubert, *Territorial Expansion and Constitutional Development in View of Turkey's Accession to the European Union* (from 2011)
- (2014)
- Kathalijne Buitenweg, *The quest for representative autonomy by the European Parliament – an internal perspective* (from 2010)
 - Sara Pernuš, *Participatory Governance in European Agencies. Challenges for the EU Compound Constitution* (from 2010)
- 2013
- Ana Ramalho, *EU competence in the field of copyright*, from 2009 (defence 2013)
 - Anniek de Ruijter, *The Role of Health Policy for the European Constitutional Order*, from 2009 (defence 2013)
 - Bettina Leufgen, *Transparency and the European Commission. An Empirical Study*, from 2009 (defence 2013)
- 2010
- Madalina Busuioc, *The Accountability of European Agencies. Legal Provisions and Ongoing Practices*. Defended *cum laude*, Utrecht University, June 2010
 - Gijs Jan Brandsma, *Accountability Deficits in European 'Comitology' Decision-Making*. Defended Utrecht University, March 2010
- 2007
- Semin Suvarierol, *Beyond the Myth of Nationality. A Study on the Networks of European Commission Officials*. Defended, Utrecht University, December 2007
- 2001
- Madeleine de Leeuw, *Open Government on the European Union: A Legal Analysis of a Fundamental Principle*, Defended EUI, Florence, September 2001 (Co-supervisor with R. Dehousse)
 - Mielle Bulterman, *Human Rights in the Treaty Relations of the European Community, Real Virtues or Virtual Reality?* Defended Utrecht University, April 2001
- 2000
- Susanna Burri, *Part-Time Work in the European Union*, Defended University of Utrecht, December 2000
 - Heleen Bosma, *Freedom of Expression in England and under the ECHR: In Search of a Common Ground. A Foundation for the Application of the Human Rights Act 1998 in English Law*. Defended Utrecht University, September 2000
- 1999
- Helen Staples, *The Legal Status of Third Country Nationals resident in the European Union*. Defended Utrecht University, October 1999
 - Ronald van Ooik, *Rechts Basis van Besluiten in de Europese Unie*. Defended Utrecht University, October 1999
 - Ramses Wessel, *Common Foreign and Security Policy*, Defended University of Utrecht, September 1999
- 1997
- Elaine Whiteford, *Adapting to Change: Occupational Pension Schemes, Women and Migrant Workers*. Defended Leiden University, January 1997

Selected Publications (1999 - 2014)

Books

- *Accountability and European Governance* (eds. D. Curtin, P. Mair and I. Papadopoulos), London: Routledge, 2012, 244 pp.
- *The Real World of EU Accountability. What Deficit?* (eds. M. Bovens, D. Curtin and P. 't Hart), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2010, 221 pp.
- *Executive Power in the European Union. Law, Practices and the Living Constitution*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009, 303 pp.
- *Towards A New Executive Order in Europe?* (eds. D. Curtin and M. Egeberg) London: Routledge, 2009, 223 pp.
- *Meaning and Practice of Accountability in the EU Multi-Level Context* (eds. D. Curtin and A. Wille), Connex Report Series Nr. 07, Mannheim, February 2008, 426 pp.
- *The European Constitution: the Best Way Forward?* (eds. D. Curtin, A.E. Kellerman and S. Blockmans), Kluwer, 2005, 588 pp.
- *Good Governance and the European Union: Some Reflections on Conceptual, Institutional and Substantive Frameworks* (eds. D. Curtin and A. Wessel) Intersentia, 2005, 276 pp.
- *Postnational Democracy. The European Union in Search of a Political Philosophy*, Kluwer, 1997, 62 pp.

Editorship and Guest Editorship of Major Journals and Encyclopedias

- *Law of the European Union (previously Kapteyn and Verloren van Themaat)*, (2014) Member, Editorial Board, from 2012.
- *European Law Journal (2013)*
Proceduralising EU Non-Legislative Rules: Bridging the Gaps
Guest Editor (with H. Hofman and J. Mendes).
- *West European Politics (2010)*
Accountability and European Governance
Guest Editor (with P. Mair and I. Papadopoulos); Published in 2012, Routledge.
- *West European Politics (2008)*
Executive Order in Europe (2008)
Guest Editor (with M. Egeberg); Published in 2009, Routledge.
- *The Netherlands Yearbook of International Law (2007)*
Accountability and International Law
Guest Editor (with A. Nollkaemper).
- *Kluwer Paperbacks in European and International Law*
Member Editorial Board, 2001 - 2011.
- *Netherlands Yearbook of International Law*
General Editor (and previously Member), Editorial Board, 1999 - 2007.
- *Irish Jurist*
Member, Editorial Board, since 1998.
- *Common Market Law Review*
Editorial Assistant, 1983 – 1985.

Articles in Refereed Academic Publications (Selected)

(2014)

- The Challenge of Executive Democracy in Europe, *Modern Law Review*, 2014, forthcoming (revised and expanded version of the Chorley lecture, 2013).
- 2013
- Transparency in the EU Council of Ministers: An Institutional Analysis (with A. Meijer and M. Hillebrandt), *European Law Journal*, 2013, forthcoming.
 - Official Secrets and the Negotiation of International Agreements. Is the EU Executive Unbound? *Common Market Law Review*, 50 (2), 2013, pp.423 – 458.
 - Constitutionalising EU Executive Rule-Making Procedures: A Research Agenda (with H. Hofman and J. Mendes), *European Law Journal*, special issue, 19 (1), January 2013, pp. 1 – 21.
- 2012
- Judging EU Secrecy, *Cahiers de Droit Européen*, 2012 (2), pp. 459 – 490.
 - Open Government: Connecting Vision and Voice (with A. Meijer and M. Hillebrandt), *International Review of the Administrative Science*, special issue, 78 (1), March 2012, pp. 10 - 29.
- 2011
- Living Europol: Agency Growth between Autonomy and Accountability (with M. Busuioc and M. Groenleer), *Journal of European Public Policy*, 18 (6) 2011, pp. 848 - 867.
 - Transparence et Participation: des Principes Démocratiques pour l'Administration de l'Union Européenne (Transparency and participation: a vista of democratic principles for EU administration) (with J. Mendes), *Revue Française d'Administration Publique* 2011, no. 137 - 138, pp. 101 - 121.
 - Public Accountability of Transnational Private Regulation: Chimera or Reality? (with L. Senden), *Journal of Law and Society*, 38 (1), 2011, pp. 163 - 188.
- 2010
- Positioning Accountability in European Governance: An Introduction, *West European Politics*, 33 (5), 2010, pp. 929 - 945.
- 2009
- The Irish “No” to the Lisbon Treaty: Ireland’s Voice and Europe’s Exit, *Zeitschrift für Staats- und Europawissenschaften / Journal for Comparative Government and European Policy*, 7 (1), 2009, pp. 31 – 50.
- 2008
- How Transparent are EU ‘Comitology’ Committees in Practice?, (with G.J. Brandsma and A. Meijer), 2008 *European Law Journal*, 14 (6), November 2008, pp. 819 – 838.
 - Tradition and Innovation: Europe’s Accumulated Executive Order, (with M. Egberg), *West European Politics* 31 (4), July 2008, pp. 639 - 661.
 - Rechtseenheid van de Europese Unie? De Rol van het Hof van Justitie als Constitutionele Rechter (with R.A. Wessel), *Sociale-Economische Wetgeving*, October 2008, pp. 369 - 376.
- 2007
- Holding (Quasi-) Autonomous EU Administrative Actors to Public Account, *European Law Journal*, 2007, pp. 523 - 541.
- 2006
- Making a Political Constitution for the European Union, 8 *European Journal of Law Reform*, 2006, pp. 65 - 76.
 - Does transparency strengthen legitimacy? A critical analysis of European Union policy documents (with A. Meijer) in 11 *Information Polity*, 2006, pp. 109 - 122.
 - Conceptualising Accountability in International and European Law (with A. Nollkaemper), *Netherlands Yearbook of International Law*, 2006, pp. 3 - 20.

2003

- La Administración Pública de la Unión Europea y el debate sobre la constitucionalización, (The Public Administration of the European Unions and the Debate on the Constitution), *Revista Vasca de Administración Pública*, 2003.
- Private Interest Representation or Civil Society Deliberation? A Contemporary Dilemma for European Union Governance, 12 *Social and Legal Studies*, 2003, pp.55 - 75.

2002

- Governance as a legal concept within the European Union and Beyond. Principles and Purpose (with I. Dekker) in *International Law FORUM du droit international*, 2002, pp.134 - 149.
- Digital Governance in the European Union Anno 2002-Freedom of Information Trumped by Internal Security? 12 (4), 2002, *Irish Criminal Law Journal* , pp. 17 - 24.

2001

- The Sting is Always in the Tail. The Personal Scope of Application of the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights (with R.H. van Ooik), *Maastricht Journal of European Law*, 2001.
- Democracy and the Internet: the European Union in the Avant-garde?, *International Law FORUM du Droit International*, nr. 2, 2001, pp. 149 -156.

2000

- Citizens Fundamental Rights of Access to EU Information: An Evolving Digital Passepartout? *Common Market Law Review* , 2000, pp. 7 - 41.

1999

- Transparency and Political Participation in EU Governance: A Role for Civil Society? *Journal of Cultural Values* vol 3 (4), 1999, pp. 445 - 471.
- Een Hof van Justitie van de Europese Unie? (with R.H. van Ooik), in *Sociaal Economische Wetgeving*, (Zwolle), 1999, pp. 24 - 38.

Chapters in Edited Volumes (Selected)

(2014)

- Legal Acts and Hierarchy of Norms in EU Law, in: *The Oxford Handbook of European Union Law* (eds. D. Chalmers et al) Oxford: Oxford University Press, forthcoming 2014.
- The Institutions, in *Law of the European Union* (eds. F. Amtenbrink, D. Curtin, P.J.Kuyper, A. McDonnell and B. de Witte), The Hague: Kluwer, forthcoming 2014.
- The Court of Justice, in *Law of the European Union* (eds. F. Amtenbrink, D. Curtin, P.J.Kuyper, A. McDonnell and B.de Witte), The Hague: Kluwer, forthcoming 2014.
- Executive Power, in: *A Companion to European Law and International Law* (ed. D. Patterson), Oxford: Blackwell, forthcoming 2014.

2013

- Open Government in the European Union: A Moving Target, in *Research Handbook on EU Institutional Law*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, forthcoming 2013.
- Information Sharing by European Agencies: Risks and Challenges in Internal Security (with M. Busuioc), in *The Politics of Informing the EU* (ed. S. Vanhoonacker et al), London: Palgrave Press, forthcoming 2013.
- Secrecy Regulation by the European Union Inside Out, in: F. Fabbrini (ed.) *Secrecy, National Security and the Vindication of Constitutional Law* , Cheltenham: Elgar Publishing, 2013, pp. 302 - 322.
- European Union Executive Power in a Living Constitution, in: R. Nickel and A. Greppi (eds.) *The Changing Role of Law in the Age of Supra- and Transnational*

Governance, Series: *Studien zur politischen Soziologie*, vol. 7 Baden-Baden: Nomos, 2013, forthcoming.

2012

- The Role of Judge-Made Law. A Bumpy Road from Secrecy to Translucence? in E. Spaventa et al. (eds), *Empowerment and Disempowerment of the EU Citizen*, Oxford: Hart Publishing 2012, pp 101 - 128.
- European Union Agencies: Tipping the Balance? (with R. Dehousse), in M. Busuioc, M. Groenleer & J. Trondal (eds.) *The Agency phenomenon in the European Union. Emergence, institutionalisation and everyday decision-making* Manchester: Manchester University Press, 2012, pp. 193 – 205.
- The Challenge of Flexibility for the Commission and the European Parliament, in *Between Flexibility and Disintegration; The State of EU Law Today*.

2011

- Open European Union Government through Pinhole Glasses, in: D. Thiaville et. al. (ed) *Liber Amicorum Judge A.W.H. Meij, Today's Multilayered Legal Order. Its Functioning and Future*, Zutphen: Paris Legal Publishers 2011, pp. 71 - 85.
- EU Constitution as Architecture. Separation of Powers in the Twenty-First Century, in: J.H. Reestman, et al (eds.) *De Regels & Het Spel - Opstellen over Recht, Filosofie, Literatuur en Geschiedenis aangeboden aan Tom Eijsbouts*, The Hague: TMC Asser Press 2011.
- The European Union from Maastricht to Lisbon: Institutional and Legal Unity Out of the Shadows (with Inge Dekker), in Paul Craig and Gráinne De Búrca: *The Evolution of EU Law*, 2nd edition, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2011, pp. 155 - 185.

2010

- The EU's Accountability Deficit. Reality or Myth? (with M. Bovens and P. 't Hart), in: M. Bovens, D. Curtin and P. 't Hart (eds.), *The Real World of EU Accountability. What Deficit?*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2010, pp. 1 - 8.
- The Quest for Legitimacy and Accountability in EU Governance (with M. Bovens and P. 't Hart), in: M. Bovens, D. Curtin and P. 't Hart (eds.), *The Real World of EU Accountability. What Deficit?*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2010, pp. 9 - 30.
- Studying the Real World of EU Accountability (with M. Bovens and P. 't Hart), in: M. Bovens, D. Curtin and P. 't Hart (eds.), *The Real World of EU Accountability. What Deficit?* Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2010, pp. 31 - 62.
- The Real World of EU Accountability: Comparisons and Conclusions (with M. Bovens and P. 't Hart), in: M. Bovens, D. Curtin and P. 't Hart (eds.), *The Real World of EU Accountability. What Deficit?*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2010, pp. 175 - 198.
- Public Accountability of Transnational Rule Making. A View from the European Union and Beyond, in: M. Faure and A. Van der Walt (eds.), *Globalization and Private Law. The Way Forward*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2010, pp. 32 - 54.

2009

- The Council of Ministers: The Missing Link? in: L. Verhey, Ph. Kiiver & S. Loeffen (eds.) *Political Accountability and European Integration*, Groningen: Europa Law Publishing, 2009.

2008

- Accountability in Europe's Accumulated Executive Order, in: B. Kohler-Koch and F. Larat (eds.), *Efficient and Democratic Governance in the European Union*, Connex Report Series Band 9, 2008.
- Meaning and Practice of Accountability in the EU Multi-Level Context (with A.

- Wille), in: D. Curtin and A. Wille (eds.), *Meaning and Practice of Accountability in the EU Multi-Level Context*, Connex Report Series Nr. 07, February 2008, Mannheim.
- The Sedimentary European Constitution. The Future of 'Constitutionalisation Without a Constitution', in: I. Pernice (ed.) *'Ceci n'est pas une constitution'. Constitutionalisation without a Constitution?*, Berlin, 2008.
- 2007
- Transparency, audiences and the evolving role of the EU Council of Ministers, in J. Fossum and P. Schlesinger (eds.), *The European Union and the Public Sphere. A Communicative Space in the Making?* Routledge, 2007, pp. 246 - 258.
- 2006
- Framing public deliberation and democratic legitimacy in the European Union, in S. Besson and J.L. Marti (eds.), *Deliberative Democracy and its Discontents. National and Post-national Challenges*, Ashgate, 2006, pp. 133 - 158.
 - Europese Juridische Integratie: Paradise Lost?, *Europese Integratie, Handelingen Nederlandse Juristen-Vereniging*, Kluwer, 2006, pp. 3 - 56.
 - European Legal Integration: Paradise Lost? *European Integration and Law*, Intersentia, 2006, pp. 1 - 54.
- 2005
- Delegation to Non-Majoritarian Agencies and Emerging Practices of Public Accountability, in: D. Gerardin and N. Petit, *Regulation Through Agencies in the EU. A New Paradigm of European Governance?*, Routledge, 2005, pp. 88 - 119.
 - Governance as a Legal Concept within the European Union. Purpose and Principles. (with I.F. Dekker) in: D. Curtin and R.A. Wessels (eds.), *Good Governance and the European Union: Some reflections on conceptual, institutional and substantive frameworks*, Intersentia, 2005, pp. 134-149.
- 2004
- The Executive(s) of the European Union. Out of the Shadow(s), under the Spotlight(s)?, in: P. Demaret, I. Govaere and D. Hanf, (eds.), *Thirty Years of European Legal Studies at the College of Europe, Liber Professorum, 1973 (4), 2003 (4)*, pp. 83 - 97.
 - European Union Executives Evolving in the Shade? *The European Union. An Ongoing Process of European Integration. Liber Amicorum Alfred E. Kellermann*, The Hague, 2004, pp. 97 - 110.
 - Digital Government in the European Union: Freedom of Information Trumped by Internal Security", in: A. Roberts (ed.), *National Security and Open Government: Striking the Right Balance*, New York, 2003, ISBN 0-9720512-2-8, pp. 99 - 120.
- 2002
- The Constitutional Structure of the European Union: Some Reflections on Vertical Unity-In-Diversity (with I.F. Dekker) in: N. Walker et al. (eds.), *Convergence and Divergence in European Public Law*, Hart, Oxford, 2002, pp. 59 - 78.
- 2001
- The European Commission in Search of Accountability: From Chamber of Secrets to Good Governance" in J. Wouters and J. Stuyck (eds.) *Principles of Proper Conduct for Supranational, State and Private Actors in the European Union: Towards a Ius Commune. Essays in Honour of Walter van Gerven*, Intersentia, 2001, pp. 5 - 20.
 - Emerging Institutional Parameters and Organized Difference in the European Union, in: E. Vos, D. Hanf and B. de Witte (eds.), *The Many Faces of Differentiation in EU Law*, Antwerp, Intersentia, 2001.

- The Developing Right of Citizen Access to Information on EU Asylum and Immigration Decision-Making, in: C. Harlow and E. Guild (eds.), *Implementing Amsterdam*, Oxford: Hart Publishers, 2001, pp. 34 - 63.
 - Integrating the Schengen Acquis into the Legal Order of the European Union, Opaque Legal Practice and Unidentified Objects, in: T. Vandamme and J-H. Reestman, *Ambiguity in the Rule of Law. The Interface between National and International Legal Systems*, Amsterdam: Europa Law Publishing, 2001, pp.26 - 34.
- 2000
- The 'EU Human Rights Charter' and the Union Legal Order: The 'Banns' before the Marriage, in: D. O'Keeffe and A. Barasso (eds.), *Judicial Review in European Union Law*, 2000, Den Haag: Kluwer Law International, pp. 303 - 318.
- 1999
- De Europese Civiele Society, in: C. Aarsen (ed.), *Democratisch Europa?*, Instituut voor Publiek en Politiek, Amsterdam, 1999, pp. 50 - 64.
 - The Fundamental Principle of Open Decision-Making and EU (Political) Citizenship, in: D. O'Keeffe and P. Twomey (eds.), *Legal Issues of the Amsterdam Treaty*, Hart Publishers, 1999.
 - The EU as a 'Layered' International Organization: Institutional Unity in Disguise? (with I.F. Dekker), in: P. Craig and G. De Burca (eds.) *The Evolution of EU Law* (Oxford), 1999, pp. 83 - 137.

Principal lectures and presentations (since 2002)

2013

- *The Challenge of Executive Democracy in Europe*, Chorley Lecture, London School of Economics, 4 June 2013.
- *Background Europe. Challenges for an Information Democracy*, Arena EPISTO Kick Off workshop, University of Oslo 4 - 5 April 2013.
- *Article 11, Security, EEAS Decision*, EEAS 2.0 Workshop, European University Institute Florence, 21 – 22 March 2013.
- *Top Secret Intelligence and the Fight Against Terrorism beyond the EU: Challenges of Conducting a Transparent Action by Accountable Institutions*, CLEER/ICCT conference 'The external Dimension of EU Counter terrorism policy', Fondation Universitaire Brussels, 22 February 2013.
- *Judging EU Secrecy*, EUI Seminar 'Transparency and Access to the Records and archives of the EU Institutions', European University Institute Florence, 25 January 2013.
- *The Nature of Rule-Making Perspectives on Law and Policy*, Convenor and Chair, ACELG Workshop Transatlantic Relations, University of Amsterdam, 21 January 2013

2012

- *Introduction, A New Role for the EU in Economic Governance- Lessons from EU Experience*, Second ACELG Annual Conference, (Convenor and Chair), University of Amsterdam, 9 November 2012.
- *Blacked Out Europe? Official Supranational Secrecy Inside Out*, presented at colloquium Transparency and National Security, University of Copenhagen, Centre for European Constitutionalization and Security, 4 – 5 October 2012.
- *Blacked Out Europe? Official Supranational Secrecy Inside Out*, paper presented at : Responsive or Responsible: Parties, Democracy and Global Markets (in honour of Peter Mair), European University Institute, 26-28 September 2012.
- Conference on 'Postnational Rulemaking between Authority and Autonomy',

University of Amsterdam, 20-21 September 2012, Convenor and Chair,
<http://www.jur.uva.nl/architecture-newsevents/nae.cfm/8223731F-1CFE-4E54-994BB97DA7D13F8F>

- *Constitutional Relations in Europe and the Living Constitution*, presentation at conference on 'Bunreacht na hEireann at 75: Past, Present and Future?', Constitutional Studies Group, University College Dublin, 29-31 June, 2012.
- *External Relations and the Internal Separation of Powers*, presentation at the Exploratory Workshop, 'Outside-In: Tracing the Imprint of the European Union's External Actions on its Constitutional Landscape'. Amsterdam Centre of European Law and Governance, University of Amsterdam, 15 June 2012.
- *Accountability of the Executive Power of the European Union*, presentation at Workshop on 'The Transformation of the Executive Branch in Europe: Centre Formation, Administrative Integration and Co-Existing Orders', ARENA Centre for European Studies, University of Oslo, 14-15 June 2012.
- *Open Government in the EU*, presentation at Transatlantic Conference on Transparency Research, Utrecht School of Governance, 7-9 June 2012, Convenor and Co-Chair, <http://www.transparencyconference.nl/>
- *Separation of Powers in the EU in the Post-Montesquieu Era*, presentation at the VU Centre of European Legal Studies, Free University of Amsterdam, 24 May 2012.
- Faculty Research Seminar, Discussion by Prof. B.van Rooij on my general research methodology 'Law and Practices', Amsterdam, 25 April 2012.
- *Separation of Powers in the EU: Myth and Reality in the Post-Montesquieu Era*, presentation at international expert seminar 'Constitutional Relations in Europe: Paradigmatic Shifts', Netherlands Institute of Advanced Studies, Wassenaar, 19-20 April.
- *New Separation of Powers and the EU*, presentation at workshop on the separation of powers, Dublin, 29 March 2012.
- *Openness of Rule-Making Procedures*, presentation at joint EU Ombudsman/ReNEUAL Conference, 'Towards an EU Administrative Procedure Law?', European Parliament, Brussels, 15-16 March 2012.
- *Top Secret Europe and the Accountability of the EU Executive Power*, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences, plus workshop within Ph.D research group 'Integration and Diversity in the New Europe', Bremen, 7 March 2012.
- Expert meeting, Second Chamber, Dutch Parliament on (Draft) Treaty on Stability, Coordination and Governance in the Economic and Monetary Union, Legal and Institutional Implications, The Hague, 2 February 2012.

2011

- *Top Secret Europe: Balancing Internal Security and the Right to Know*, Workshop on Secrecy, National Security and the Vindication of Constitutional Law, Bocconi University, Milan, 2 December 2011.
- *The sources and role of information in EU internal security policy: Promises and perils*, (with M. Busuioc), 'The Politics of Informing the EU', University of Maastricht, 1 December 2011.
- *Top Secret Europe*, Invited lecture in LLM Specialist Seminar Series, London School of Economics, London, 24 November 2011.
- Coordinator of Rulemaking Working Group, ReNEUAL Workshop, Research Network of European Administrative Law, Luxembourg, 4 November 2011.
- *Top Secret Europe*, inaugural lecture upon appointment to the chair of Professor of European Law at the University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, 20 October 2011.
- Organized and chaired, First Annual ACELG conference, 'Open EU Decision Making: A Constitutional Challenge. Promise, Practice and Perils', Amsterdam Centre of European Law and Governance, Amsterdam, 20 October 2011.

- *Which accountability in the EU?*, University of Innsbruck, 'The European Union: What Institutional Model for Which Type of Democracy?', Innsbruck, 22 – 23 September 2011.
- *Secrecy and EU External Action: Decision-making in the Dark?* (with C. Eckes), Workshop 'Post-Lisbon EU external action, Swedish Institute for European Policy Studies, Stockholm, 20 – 21 June 2011.
- *The Role of Judge Made Law and EU Supranational Government: Beyond Translucence?* presentation given at 1st Global Conference on Transparency Research, Newark, New Jersey, 19 – 20 May 2011.
- *The Fundamental Principle of Openness in the EU. Nature and Implications*, Hearing of the European Parliament's Committee on Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs on 'The right of access to EU documents: implementation and future of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001', Brussels, 13 April 2011.
- *Beyond Whack-a-Mole. Keeping Government Secrecy Safe*, Max Weber Lecture, European University Institute, Florence, 16 March 2011.
- http://cadmus.eui.eu/bitstream/handle/1814/18641/MWP_LS_Curtin_2011_07rev.pdf?sequence=3
- *Citizens and EU Administration: Direct and Indirect Links*, (with J. Mendes), European Parliament, Brussels, 12 January 2011.

2010

- *Accountability of European Union Executive Power*, presentation given at Lunch meeting of European Affairs Platform, Brussels, 2 December 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Openness and Transparency: Navigating through a Conceptual Marsh*' (with A. Meijer, G.J. Brandsma and B. Leufgen), Conference 'Public Matters', 10 years Utrecht School of Governance, University of Utrecht, 19-20 November 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Towards a more accountable EU: retrospective and roadmap*' (with M. Bovens and P. 't Hart), Conference 'Public Matters', 10 years Utrecht School of Governance, University of Utrecht, 19-20 November 2010.
- Discussant on A. Juncos and K. Pomorska 'Foreign policy-making in the Council Secretariat', workshop "Simply uploading executive power? Democracy and the Common Foreign and Security Policy of the European Union", ARENA - Centre for European Studies, 7-8 October 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Europol: between autonomy and accountability*' at RECON, MZES workshop on "Agency Governance in the EU and its Consequences", University of Mannheim, 16 - 17 September 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Conceptualising Open Government in the European Union: a Democratic Perspective*' at conference "In the Name of the Citizen?", within the series 'Empowerment and Disempowerment of the European Citizen', Edinburgh Europa Institute, University of Durham, 10 September 2010.
- Presentation at the Opening of the Academic year, 'The End of Europe', University of Amsterdam, 6 September 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Studying Open Government in the European Union: From Normative Debates to Empirical Fact-Finding*' (with G.J. Brandsma, B. Leufgen and A. Meijer) at ECPR Fifth Pan-European Conference on EU Politics, University of Porto and University Fernando Pessoa, Porto, 24 - 26 June 2010.
- Convened panel on 'Impact and Consequences of the EU Agencification Process' (with M. Busuioc and M. Groenleer) at ECPR Fifth Pan-European Conference on EU Politics, University of Porto and University Fernando Pessoa, Porto, 24 - 26 June 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Living Europol: between Autonomy and Accountability*' (with M. Busuioc and M. Groenleer) at ECPR Fifth Pan-European Conference on EU Politics, University of Porto and University Fernando Pessoa, Porto, 24 - 26

June 2010.

- Presentation of paper on '*Accountability in Transnational Private Regulatory Regimes*' (with L. Senden) at conference on "Private Transnational Regulation: Constitutional Foundations and Governance Design", First Annual Hiil Conference, University College Dublin, 16 - 17 June 2010.
- Lecture and seminar given on '*Accountable European Governance*', within framework of Doctorate in Governance, Queen's University Belfast, 7 June 2010.
- Organized and chaired international workshop on "Balancing EU Executive Power Post-Lisbon: Delegation of Powers and Non-Legislative Implementation", Amsterdam Center for European Law and Governance, University of Amsterdam, 3 June 2010.
- Researching the Council General Secretariat (CGS): State of the art and future challenges (with S. Vanhoonacker), *The Council General Secretariat*, Kick-Off Workshop of Initial Training (ITN), Marie Curie Network, Maastricht, 26 March 2010.
- Lecture on '*Composite Democracy in Europe*', Department of Public Policy of the Central European University, Budapest, 12 March 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Civil Servants. Accountable to whom? A view from Europe*' at Montesquieu Conference "Civil Servants and Politics – a delicate balance", Maastricht, 4 - 5 March 2010.
- Presentation of paper on '*Civil Society, Participation Rights and Participatory Governance in the European Union: Responsive Architecture*', (with J. Mendes), ELSI Workshop, University of Osnabrück, 12 February 2010.
- Keynote lecture on Lisbon Treaty at meeting organized by Dutch Ministry of Justice for civil servants, The Hague, 9 February 2010.
- Guest lecture on '*Accumulated Executive Power of the European Union. The Quest for Composite Accountability*', within the framework of the Research Training Group on Multilevel Constitutionalism. European Experiences and Global Perspectives, Humboldt University Berlin, 5 February 2010.

2009

- Keynote plenary address on '*Composite Democracy in Europe*', 14th Ius Commune Conference, Maastricht, 26-27 November 2009.
- Presentation of keynote paper '*Accumulated Executive Power of the EU: The quest for accountability*', conference on "The Changing Role of Law in the Age of Supra- and Transnational Governance", Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, 18 - 20 November 2009.
- Discussant on keynote speech by Giandomenico Majone 'The Mutation of the EU as a Regulatory Regime', RECON Midterm conference, Prague, 9-10 October 2009.
- Discussant on presentation by J.C. Piris 'EU external relations in the post-Lisbon area', 38th Asser Colloquium on EU Law & launching event of CLEER, "The EU in the world: external relations law for the 21st century", T.M.C. Asser Institute, The Hague, 2 October 2009.
- Presentation of paper on relevance of comitology committees to the tax field, GREIT seminar "Traditional and alternative routes to European tax integration", Amsterdam, 25 - 26 September 2009.
- Presentation of keynote paper on '*Accountability of European Union Governance*', Summer School Helsinki, The Foundations of European Law II, University of Helsinki, 25 - 27 August 2009.
- Participation in European Law Days 2009, "A Common Frame of Reference on European Administrative Procedural Law?", Osnabrück, 18 - 19 June 2009.
- Presentation of paper on 'The constitutionalisation of EU administrative law' at RECON, WP2 workshop "With or Without Lisbon: Continuous Institutional

Change in the EU", Amsterdam, 15-16 May 2009.

- Presentation of paper on *'The EU as a "Layered" International Organization: Out of the Shadows'* for new edition of book, *The Evolution of the European Union* (edited by P. Craig and G. de Búrca), European University Institute, 17 April 2009.
- Speaker at conference on Legislation organized by the Ministry of Justice, (*Dag van de Wetgeving*), The Hague, 19 March 2009.
- Presentation of paper on *'Global Governance and Multilevel Accountability. Which Deficit, which Practices and which Institutional Design?'* at annual conference of the Amsterdam Centre of Law and Economics, Zandvoort, 12 March 2009.
- Co-organized with Prof. J. Hesse International Exploratory Workshop, "The European Union as a model? Forms, functions and policy options of regional co-operation?", Netherlands Institute of Advanced Study, Wassenaar, the Netherlands, 26 - 28 February 2009.
- Discussant on 'The EU Perspective: Governance and Legitimacy in the Wake of the Lisbon Vote', Twelfth Irish European Law Forum, "Responses to the Lisbon Treaty Referendum: EU and National Perspectives", University College Dublin, 23 January 2009.

2008

- Presentation of paper on 'Legitimacy, accountability and transparency in law making in a globalizing world', Research Workshop "Globalisation and Private Law: The Way Forward", University of Stellenbosch, Faculty of Law and Ius Commune Research School, Stellenbosch, South Africa, 18 - 20 December 2008.
- Presentation of paper on *The Lisbon Treaty. The options facing Ireland and the EU*, workshop at the Institute of European Affairs, University of Lisbon, 27 November 2008.
- Co-organized and chaired international Expert Seminar on "The Kadi Case: Implications for Domestic, European and International Constitutionalism", University of Amsterdam, 21 November 2008.
- Evidence given to the Irish parliamentary Sub-Committee on Ireland's Future in the European Union (reported in its Report of 27 November 2008, "Ireland's Future in the European Union: Challenges, Issues and Options", 15 - 16 October 2008. http://www.oireachtas.ie/documents/committees30thdail/j-europeanaffairs/sub_cttee_eu_01122008-3.pdf
- The Sedimentary European Constitution. The Future of 'Constitutionalisation' Without a Constitution, European Constitutional Lawyers Network, Sofia 18 - 19 April 2008.
- *The Executive(s) in the EU Constitution*, NIAS Lecture, Wassenaar, 27 March 2008.
- Political Control and Accountability in a European Perspective, "The Council Of Ministers: The Missing Link?" SARO Final Conference, Maastricht, 13 - 14 March 2008.
- Efficient and Democratic Multilevel Governance in Europe, organized plenary panel on Accountability and Representation in a Multi-Level System at CONNEX Final Conference, Mannheim, 8-10 March 2008.
- The 'Incoming Tide'. The Treaty of Lisbon in Perspective, Dublin, The Treaty of Lisbon in Perspective, Irish Society for European Law, 4 March 2008.
- Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW) lecture on Accumulated Executive Order in Europe, 11 February 2008.
- 'The Transformation of EU Policies? EU Governance at Work', Discussant on "New Governance Instruments as means of depoliticization? The Input-Output Legitimacy of the Open Method of Coordination in the EU?" Sciences Po, Paris 17 - 18 January 2008,

2007

- Spinoza Prize Giving Keynote Lecture, Dutch Science Foundation, The Hague, 28 November 2007.
- Presentation of paper on *Transparency and Comitology: a case study in thematic conference on Accountability*, EUI, Florence, June 2007.
- Presentation at EU-Consent Workshop, *The Role of Implementation Committees in the EU of 27*, Brussels, 20 April 2007.
- Presentation at conference on "European Administrative law - The Move Towards an Integrated Administration", Faculty of Law, Economics and Finance of the University of Luxembourg and the Centre for European Law, Kings College, London, Luxembourg, 8 – 9 February 2007.
- Presentation at the Irish European Lawyers Forum on "Regulating Liberalizing Markets and Social Europe: New Governance in the EU", Dublin, January 2007.

2006

- The McCormick Lecture 2006, University of Edinburgh, "Constitutionalism and New Governance in the European Union", Edinburgh, 1 December 2006.
- Chair and organization of conference on "The European Administrative Space", Birbeck College, London, November 2006.
- Opening and Chair of NWO Mid-term conference, Shifts in Governance, Amersfoort, November 2006.
- Presentation of paper on '*Public accountability and the EU*' in conference on "Independence and accountability: the case of the European Central Bank", organized by Sciences Po in Paris, 24 October 2006.
- Presentation at workshop on "Transparency. The Key to Better Governance" organized by the University of Oxford and the British Academy, London, 19 September 2006.
- Keynote opening speech, World Congress on Comparative Law, Utrecht, 17 July 2006, on "Making a Political Constitution for the European Union".
- Presentation at Conference on Democracy and Accountability in the EU, EUI, Florence, June 2006.
- Presentation of paper on '*Framing accountability of EU administrative actors*', workshop on Accountability and the EU, University of Lausanne, June 2006.
- Lecture on the role of law in European integration in conference on occasion of 25 years University of Maastricht, June 2006.
- Presentation of *pre-advies* '*European Legal Integration: Paradise Lost?*' at the annual meeting of the Dutch Lawyers Association (*Nederlands Juristen Vereniging*), University of Maastricht, June 2006.
- Compact Seminar on *Public Accountability and the EU*, College of Europe, Bruges, March 2006.
- Presentation at workshop on Accountability and the International Legal Order, University of Amsterdam, February 2006.

2005

- Presentation of paper at seminar on Accountability in the EU, Mid-Term Conference, CONNEX Network, Mannheim, November 2005.
- Presentation of paper at workshop on Democracy and Legitimacy in the EU, University of Leuven, October 2005.
- Public Lecture Series, Construing the Constitution for Europe, Centre for European Law, "The Future Role of the Executive in EU Decision-Making", Kings College London, 21 May 2005.
- Presentation at workshop on '*Deliberative Democracy and its Discontents*' in the framework of the XXII IVR World Congress of Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy, Granada, May 2005.

- Presentation on *Accountability and European Governance*, ARENA, University of Oslo, April 2005.
- Compact Seminar on Public Accountability and the EU, College of Europe, Bruges, March 2005.
- Annual Lecture, *'The Myths of Public Accountability in the European Union'*, Durham European Law Institute, 29 April 2005. [Published in booklet form]

2004

- Chair of the Organizing Committee of Session XXXIV, Asser Colloquium on European Law: "The EU Constitution: A Confusing Reality for the Citizen?", The Hague, 1 October 2004.
- Presentation to CONNEX Kick-Off Conference, Mannheim, October 2004.
- Presentation at workshop on "The EU and the Public Sphere" at the University of Bergen, September 2004.
- Presentation at conference on "The Evolving EU Constitution", EUI, Florence, May 2004.
- Presentation at conference on "Regulation through Agencies in the EU", Brussels, March 2004.
- Compact Seminar on Public Accountability and the EU, College of Europe, Bruges, March 2004.

2003

- Third Walter van Gerven Public Lecture on "Mind the Gap? The Evolving EU Executive and the Constitutional Treaty", University of Leuven, Belgium, 13 December 2003. [Published in booklet form]
- Presentation at (and organization of) workshop on "Good Governance in the EU", Ius Commune Annual Conference, Utrecht, November 2003.
- Presentation at International conference, "Public Participation and the EU", organized by the Ministry of the Interior in the Hague, November 2003.
- Invited Guest of the Court of Justice of the European Communities in Luxembourg, Third Judicial and Academic Conference on the Future of the Court of Justice, September 2003.
- Presentation to research seminar, EUI, Florence, June 2003.
- Presentation on *'Digital Governance in the EU'* at workshop on Transparency, International Studies Association, New Orleans, June 2003.
- Presentation to workshop on *'Civil Society and Democratic Accountability'* at Sciences Po, Paris, June 2003.
- Keynote Plenary Speaker at the Hart Workshop, "Democratic Accountability and the EU Executive", London, June 2003.
- Presentation to Conference on The Draft European Constitution, Irish Centre of European Law, Dublin, May 2003.
- Organization of and presentation of research ideas on Multi-Level Accountability in the EU prior to the launch of the CONNEX Network, Utrecht, May 2003.
- Presentation to conference on the role of civil society in governance, ARENA, University of Oslo, March 2003.
- Presentation of *'Joint suggested amendments to the Draft Constitutional Articles on Justice and Home Affairs to the Convention on the Future of Europe'*, at NGO Joint conferences in London, subsequent submission to the European Convention, Brussels (co-authored with Prof. S. Peers), February 2003.
- Presentation to conference on "The Draft Constitution and the EU", University of Stockholm, March 2003.

2002

- Presentation of paper '*Democracy in International Organisations: a Legal Perspective*,' at Conference organized by the Universities of Antwerp and Leuven, Democracy and Legitimacy of the European Union and International Organizations, European Parliament, Brussels, October 2002.
- Lectures on '*The Public Administration of the European Unions and the Debate on the Constitution*,' Public Law Summer School, The Constitutionalisation of the European Union, Faculty of Law, University of San Sebastian, July 2002.
- Presentation of paper on '*The Rule of Law and the European Union*,' at Conference organized by Centre of European Law, Kings College London, "Is there a Rule of Law in Europe?", July 2002.
- Presentation of paper '*Civil Dialogue and the Role of the EU Institutions*,' at conference "Power and the Social: Social Dialogue and Civil Dialogue", organized by Notre Europe and European Trade Union Institute Brussels, June 2002.
- Presentation of paper '*The Art and Practice of EU Public Administration and the Constitution*' at conference "The Evolving Constitution of the European Union", May 2002.
- Presentation of paper '*Non-Governmental Representation and Civil Society Deliberation: A Contemporary EU Governance Dilemma*' at workshop of ARENA, University of Oslo, (subsequently Working Paper of ARENA), March 2002.