

Curriculum Vitae

Personalia

Name: Barry Robert Koenders
Address: Amsterdam
Year of Birth and Birthplace: 1979, Amsterdam (Netherlands)
Nationality: Dutch

Relevant working experience

March 2013 – present Criminal defence lawyer at Pijnenburg Advocaten, Amsterdam (NL). Providing legal assistance in national criminal cases as well as European Arrest Warrant cases.

March 2010 – March 2013 Lawyer at De Vilder advocaten, Amsterdam (NL). Providing legal assistance in criminal law and administrative law.

November 2009 – February 2010 Paralegal at De Vilder advocaten, Amsterdam (NL).

March 2006 – October 2009 Senior legal clerk at the Court of Appeal, Amsterdam (NL). Criminal law department. Preparing criminal cases for the judges, assisting the judges during the criminal procedures and preparing the verdicts after the procedures.

September 2005 – 14 October 2005 Internship at Schreurs & Van Duin Abma Van Eeuwijk Advocaten Notarissen, Amsterdam (NL). In the field of criminal law and ECHR procedures.

June 2002 – January 2003 Paralegal IP/ICT at De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek, Amsterdam.

Education

September 2016 – January 2017 Advanced course financial and economic criminal law at the VU Law Academy

September – November 2014 Advanced course criminal procedure law at the Willem Pompe Institute

13 en 14 December 2013 Fair Trials International EU criminal defence rights training at Cambridge (UK)

March 2006 - present Multiple courses attended regarding criminal Law, e.g.: International judicial assistance in criminal matters, Money laundering, Financial fraud, ECHR and criminal law, etc.

September 1998 – June 2005 LLM Dutch law, Vrije Universiteit of Amsterdam. Majors in Criminal law and International law. Subject of master thesis: the Dutch Law on terrorist crimes in International perspective

September 2001 – February 2002 Study abroad at the University of Bologna, Italy. Comparative law

Activities

July 2016 – present Member of the audit committee for the Children's rights lawyers Association Amsterdam (JRAA)

June 2016 – present Member of the disciplinary appeal commission, region West I of the Dutch national football association (KNVB)

January 2014 – present Member Legal Experts Advisory Panel (LEAP) of Fair Trials International

March 2013 – present Member of the NVJSA (the Dutch organisation of young criminal defence lawyers)

Augustus 2012 – present Advisor on disciplinary law matters for HV Kras/Volendam

March 2010 – present Member of the Dutch association for sport and law (VSR)

March 2014 and September 2016 Author of a course on criminal law for publisher Jurisdidact, subject: self-defense in criminal law

October 2009 en April 2010 Guest lecturer criminal procedure law at the Hogeschool Amsterdam (graduate school of law)

Languages

English

Fluent in speech and writing

Italian

Reasonable in speech and writing

Handball

August 2000 – June 2012

Member of the team of HV Kras/Volendam. Winner of six Dutch national championships (2005, 2006, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2012) and two times Benelux League winner (2011, 2012) and one time Beneleague winner (2010).

Also participating with the team in Champions League preliminary matches, EHF Cup and Challenge Cup matches in several countries.

November 2005 – January 2007

Member of the Dutch National Handball Team, multiple caps