

# C U R R I C U L U M V I T A E

## Hans van Loon

*Johannes Hendrik Albert (Hans) van Loon*, born at Utrecht, the Netherlands, 15 April 1948. Married to *Ir Caroline H. Engels*; two daughters and one son.

### Education and employment:

Studied law at the University of Utrecht (1966-1971), and international law and international relations at the University of Leyden (1971-1972) and at the Graduate Institute of International Studies, Geneva (1972-1973, scholarship of the Swiss Government).

Trainee with the Directorate of Legal Affairs of the Council of Europe and the Secretariat of the European Commission of Human Rights, Strasbourg (1973).

Admitted to the Bar, practised law (at the lawfirm of *Blackstone, Rueb & Van Boeschoten*) with the Supreme Court of the Netherlands at The Hague (1974-1978).

Acted for the applicant before the European Commission and Court of Human Rights in *Winterwerp v. the Netherlands*, 6301/73 (1979) ECHR 4; (1981) ECHR 7.

Executive Secretary (1978-1996) of the Netherlands Standing Government Committee for the Codification of Private International Law. Responsible for the scientific organisation of the Committee's work on the codification of private international law in the Netherlands (1978-1996).

Member of the Permanent Bureau (the scientific secretariat) of the Hague Conference on Private International Law:

- Secretary (since 15 September 1978)
- First Secretary at the Permanent Bureau (since 6 January 1988)
- Secretary General of the Hague Conference on Private International Law (since 30 June 1996).

Has contributed to the development of the following international Conventions within the Conference:

*Convention of 25 October 1980 on International Access to Justice* (principal scientific responsibility);

*Convention of 1 July 1985 on the Law Applicable to Trusts and on their Recognition* (joint responsibility);

*Convention of 22 December 1986 on the Law Applicable to Contracts for the International Sale of Goods;*  
*Convention of 1 August 1989 on the Law Applicable to Succession to the Estates of Deceased Persons* (principal responsibility);  
*Convention of 19 May 1993 on Protection of Children and Co-operation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption* (initiative and principal responsibility);  
*Convention of 19 October 1996 on Jurisdiction, Applicable Law, Recognition, Enforcement and Co-operation in respect of Parental Responsibility and Measures for the Protection of Children;*  
*Convention of 13 January 2000 on the International Protection of Adults;*  
*Convention of 5 July 2006 on the Law Applicable to Certain Rights in Respect of Securities held with an Intermediary;*  
*Revision of the Statute of the Hague Conference (effective 1 January 2007);*  
*Convention of 23 November 2007 on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance;*  
*Protocol of 23 November 2007 on the Law Applicable to Maintenance Obligations.*

Has also contributed to the negotiations on several international instruments within the framework of other international organisations (Council of Europe, European Community/EFTA (Lugano Convention), Asian-African Legal Consultative Organisation, Unidroit).

Additional functions and activities:

Associated Member of the Institut de Droit International (2009)

Permanent consultant of the Standing Government Committee (since 1996).

Hon. Secretary of the Executive Board of the Netherlands Association for International Law, the Dutch Branch of the International Law Association (ILA) (1977-1992).

Member and Reporter of the Committee on the Legal Aspects of Intercountry Adoption and Protection of Children (1985-1991).

Member of the Board of Directors of the International Legal Institute, The Hague (since 1982).

Substitute judge in the *Arrondissementsrechtsbank* (District Court) at The Hague (1984-1996).

Member of the Council of International Social Service, Geneva (1986-2003).

Member of the Board of the Dutch branch of International Social Service (1985-1994).

Correspondent of the *Netherlands International Law Review* (since 1986).

Member of the Review Committee for International Law of the Dutch Foundation for Legal Research (1987-1992).

Member of the Scientific Board of "Molengrafica" (annual publication of the Law Faculty of the University of Utrecht) (since 1990).

Member of the European Group on Private International Law (GEDIP) (since 1991).

Secretary and Treasurer of the Netherlands Foundation for the Advancement of Private International Law Research (since 1992).

Member of the Study Group “Prof. Mr J. Offerhaus” (University of Amsterdam) (since 1992).

Member of the Advisory Board of the Yearbook of Private International Law (published in association with the Swiss Institute of Comparative Law) (since 1999).

Honorary member of the Asociación Americana de Derecho Internacional Privado (ASADIP) (Since 2007)

Visiting Professor, University of Florida, Gainesville (Florida, USA) (Fall 1988).

Director of Studies, first period – private international law, Hague Academy of International Law (Summer 1989).

Lecturer at the Hague Academy of International Law, first period – private international law (July 1993).

Lecturer at the Hague Academy of International Law, external programme, San José, Costa Rica (April 1995).

Lecturer at the XXXIIth Organisation of American States Course on International Law, Rio de Janeiro (2005).

Has lectured on the Hague Conference and its work at other universities and academic institutions worldwide (including in Auckland, Wellington, Tokyo, Kyoto, Osaka, Sendai, Seoul, Beijing, Shanghai, Wuhan, Hong Kong, Jakarta, Yogyakarta, Bangkok, New Delhi, Madras, Kathmandu, Jerusalem, Muscat, Rabat, Moscow, St Petersburg, Kiev, Helsinki, Warsaw, Prague, Brno, Bratislava, Budapest, Bucharest, Sofia, Florence, Milan, Rome, Taormina, Barcelona, Valencia, Vitoria-Gasteiz, Burgos, Madrid, Paris, Lyon, Montpellier, Nancy, Strasbourg, Genève, Lausanne, Fribourg, Luxembourg, Ghent, Louvain-la-Neuve, Leuven, Amsterdam, Utrecht, Nijmegen, Berlin, Leverkusen, Würzburg, London, Bath, Liverpool, Dublin, Ottawa, Champaign-Urbana, Washington DC, Eugene, Mexico City, Panama, Bogotá, Quito, Brasília, Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, Buenos Aires, Santiago de Chile).

Has (co-)organized numerous international symposia concerning subject matters of private international law, in cooperation with other intergovernmental organizations, Governments and academic institutions, including on:

- the outlook for private international law after the end of the cleavage in Europe (Osnabrück - 1992);
- the private international law aspects of damage to the environment (Osnabrück - 1994);
- Islamic law and its reception by the courts in the West (Osnabrück - 1998);
- the legal aspects of registered partnerships (The Hague - 1999), and

- the legal aspects of the Internet and of E-commerce (The Hague - 2004); as well as several (judicial) conferences concerning:
- transfrontier questions of family law in particular across the Mediterranean (Malta – 2004, 2006);
- the Hague Conventions for African countries (The Hague – 2006, 2007); and
- for the Asia Pacific Region (Sydney – 2007, Hong Kong – 2008).

Expert-consultant to the Governments of Costa Rica (1989), Romania (1991 and 2000), Albania (1992), to the Senate of Paraguay (1996), to the Governments of Guatemala (2005) and of Cambodia (2008), as well as to other international organisations (UNICEF; UNHCR), concerning international legal cooperation, in particular on the implementation of Hague Conventions on international child protection.

#### Awards and Honours:

Doctor *honoris causa*, University of Osnabrück (2 November 2001).

*Officier de l'Ordre National du Mérite*, France (30 November 2004).

Officer in the Order of Orange Nassau, Netherlands (18 September 2008).

Award US Congressional Coalition on Adoption (24 September 2002).

## **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Académie de droit international, Recueil des Cours:**

- "International Co-operation and Protection of Children with regard Intercountry Adoption", in *Recueil des Cours, Volume 244* (1993-VII), pp. 195-456 (1995).

#### **Studies in preparation of International Conventions / Etudes préparatoires pour des Conventions internationales :**

- « Rapport sur l'adoption d'enfants originaires de l'étranger/Report on Intercountry Adoption of Children », in Hague Conference on Private International Law / Conférence de La Haye de droit international privé, *Proceedings of the Seventeenth Session/Actes et documents de la Dix-septième session (1993)*, Tome II (1994), pp. 11-119, (also translated into Spanish / également traduit en espagnol).
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*Session/Actes et documents de la Quinzième session (1984), Tome II (1985), pp. 10-108, (also translated into Japanese / également traduit en japonais).*

- "Succession in private international law-Prospective Study/Droit international privé des successions-Étude prospective", in Hague Conference on Private International Law/Conférence de La Haye de droit international privé, *Proceedings of the Sixteenth Session/Actes et Documents de la Seizième (1988), Tome II*, (1990), pp. 140-161 (Supplementary Notes / Notes complémentaires, *ibidem*, pp. 106-139, pp.196-201;202-205;206-217;222-231).

**Studies written for the International Law Association / Études écrites pour la International Law Association:**

- "International Adoption of Children", in International Law Association, *Report of Sixty-Fourth Conference* (Queensland, 1990), pp.362-386;
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**Articles:**

- "The accommodation of religious laws in cross-border situations: the contribution of the Hague Conference on Private International Law", in *Cuadernos de Derecho Internacional* (March 2010), Vol 2, No 1, pp. 261-267.
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- "The European Community and the Hague Conference on Private International Law", (with Andrea Schulz), in Martenczuk, B., and van Thiel, S., eds., *Justice, Liberty, Security: New Challenges for EU External Relations* (Brussels: Brussels University Press, 2008), pp. 257-299.
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- "Remarks on the needs and methods for governance in the field of private international law - at the global and the regional levels", in Cafaggi, F., Muir-Watt, H., eds., *Making European Private Law – Governance Design*, (Cheltenham: Edward Elger Publishing, 2008), pp.197-208.
- "40 years of Private International Law", in Ribbelink, O., ed., *Forty Years of international Law - on the occasion of 40 years of the T.M.C. Asser Instituut*, (The Hague: T.M.C.Asser Instituut, 2007), pp. 15-21.

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- "The Hague Conference on Private International Law and its Relevance to the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child" in E. Verhellen, ed., *Understanding Children's Rights*, (Ghent: Ghent University, 2004), pp. 243-352.
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- "Les conflits de garde au sein des couples bi-nationaux", in *Enfants d'Europe, Enfants du monde*, Actes des Deuxièmes Journées Européennes du Droit de Nancy (Nancy, 2000), pp. 31-38.
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- "Inleiding", in Frohn, E.N., Hennis, E., eds., *Staatscommissie IPR, Geselecteerde Adviezen - naar een afgewogen IPR*, (Den Haag: T.M.C. Asserinstituut, 1995), pp. IX-XVI. Also drafted various consultation papers included in this Collection for the Government of the Netherlands on private international law, e.g. on / A également rédigé de nombreux avis, inclus dans ce Recueil, destinés au Gouvernement néerlandais, notamment sur:
  - The application of imprisonment for debt of foreigners / La contrainte par corps contre les étrangers (1980), pp.311-315;
  - The law applicable to maritime and inland navigation issues / La Loi applicable aux questions de droit maritime et de navigation intérieure (1981), pp.284-301;
  - Declaratory judgments concerning the validity of foreign legal relationships / Jugements déclaratifs concernant la validité de relations juridiques établies à l'étranger (1982), pp.15-19;
  - The law applicable to family names and first names / La loi applicable aux noms et aux prénoms (1985), pp.19-27;
  - The Hague and Luxembourg Conventions on child abduction and their implementation / Les Conventions de La Haye et de Luxembourg sur l'enlèvement international d'enfants et leur mise en œuvre (1985), pp. 176-188;
  - The Rome Convention of 19 June 1980 on the law applicable to contractual obligations / La Convention de Rome du 19 juin 1980 sur la loi applicable aux obligations contractuelles (1985), pp.231-238;
  - International divorce proceedings /Les procédures en matière de divorce international (1986), pp. 108-112;
  - The law applicable to the celebration and the recognition of the validity of marriages / La loi applicable à la célébration et la reconnaissance de la validité des mariages (1987), pp. 124-134;
  - International access to Justice / L'accès international à la justice (1987), pp. 315-325 ;
  - The law applicable to international sales contracts / La loi applicable aux contrats de vente internationale (1990), pp. 238-241;
  - Legislative jurisdiction on the Dutch part of the continental shelf outside the territorial sea / La compétence législative sur la partie néerlandaise du plateau continental en dehors de la mer territoriale (1990), pp. 245-252;
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- "Het 'dubbele aangezicht' van Haagse verdragen: volkenrechtelijke en nationaalrechtelijke aspecten", *Rechtsgemeerd Magazijn Themis*, 4/5, 1993), pp. 196-210.
- "Introduction", in C. von Bar, ed., *Perspektiven der Internationalen Privatrechts nach dem Ende der Spaltung Europas*, (Cologne: Carl Heymans Verlag, 1993), pp. 7-9.
- "De wisselwerking tussen internationaal privaatrecht en rechten van de mens", in *Grensoverschrijdend privaatrecht. Opstellen aangeboden aan Mr. J. van Rijn van Alkemade*, (Deventer: Kluwer, 1993), pp. 135-148.
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