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He studied Medicine at the Free University Amsterdam and completed his training in Pulmonology at the Onze Lieve Vrouwe Gasthuis in Amsterdam and in the Academic Hospital Nijmegen. In 1989 he finished his PhD thesis on training of the respiratory muscles in COPD. A post-doc fellowship at the Catholic University of Leuven (Belgium) (summer 1991 until summer 1992) was granted by the Dutch Asthma Foundation. This period was completed by a PhD thesis on steroid-induced myopathy of the diaphragm in 1994 in Leuven (Belgium).

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