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## EDUCATION

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**Tilburg University** *2003–2007*  
Thesis Title: Networks and Learning in Game Theory  
Thesis Committee: Antoni Calvó-Armengol, Sanjeev Goyal, Matthew Jackson,  
Michael Kosfeld, Dolf Talman (chair), Stef Tijs, Eric van Damme,  
Mark Voorneveld

**Nijmegen University** *1994–1999*  
Master of Science in Chemistry (*highest honors*)

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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Postdoctoral Fellow Santa Fe Institute, Santa Fe, NM *2008–present*

Extramural Fellow CentER, Tilburg University *2007–present*

Netherlands Bureau of Economic Policy Analysis (CPB) *2001–2003*  
Research in international economics

Department of Social Affairs and Employment, The Netherlands *2000–2001*  
Modeling and policy analyses of disability insurance schemes.

## TEACHING AND RESEARCH FIELDS

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Primary: Microeconomics, Game Theory, Networks  
Secondary: Financial markets, Behavioral Economics

## PUBLICATIONS

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2008 W. Kets and M. Voorneveld, ‘Learning to be prepared’. Forthcoming  
in *International Journal of Game Theory*.

- 2005 M. Voorneveld, W. Kets and H. Norde, ‘An axiomatization of minimal curb sets’, *International Journal of Game Theory* 33(4), pp. 479–490.
- 2004 W. Kets and P.J.G. Tang, ‘Free trade and its enemies’, *De Economist*, 152–153, pp. 427–437.
- 2001 R. de Kort, M. C. M. M. van der Wielen, A. J. A. van Roij, W. Kets and H. van Kempen, ‘Zn- and Cd-induced features at the GaAs(110) and InP(110) surfaces studied by low-temperature scanning tunneling microscopy’, *Physical Review B*, 63, 125336.
- 2001 R. de Kort, W. Kets and H. van Kempen, ‘A low-temperature scanning tunneling microscopy study on the Sn- and Zn-doped InP(110) surfaces’, *Surface Science*, 482, pp. 495–500.

#### WORKING PAPERS

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- 2007 W. Kets, ‘Convergence of beliefs in Bayesian network games’, CentER Discussion Paper. *Submitted for publication.*
- 2007 W. Kets and M. Voorneveld, ‘Congestion, equilibrium and learning: The minority game’, CentER Discussion Paper 2007-61. *Submitted for publication.*
- 2007 W. Kets, ‘The minority game: An economics perspective’, CentER Discussion Paper 2007-53.
- 2007 W. Kets, ‘Beliefs in network games’, CentER Discussion Paper 2007-46.
- 2007 M. Deijfen and W. Kets, ‘Random intersection graphs with a tunable degree distribution and clustering’, CentER Discussion Paper 2007-11. *Submitted for publication.*

#### NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

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- 2005 W. Kets and G. Verweij, ‘Scope for non-CO<sub>2</sub> greenhouse gases: All gases count’, *CPB Discussion paper* 44.
- 2004 W. Kets, ‘Concurrentie op de veiling en om de markt’, *Economisch Statistische Berichten* 4445, pp. 521–523 (in Dutch).
- 2002 H. L. F. de Groot and W. Kets, ‘De Europese innovatieachterstand’, *Economisch Statistische Berichten* 4371 (in Dutch).
- 2002 W. Kets and A. Lejour, ‘Sectoral TFP developments in the OECD’, *CPB Memorandum* 58.
- 2002 W. Kets, ‘Scope for non-CO<sub>2</sub> greenhouse gases in climate policy’, *CPB Report* 2002/1.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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Networks and Games (graduate level)	<i>2008</i>
Microeconomics (graduate level, teaching assistant)	<i>2007</i>
Supervision Bachelor Theses in behavioral economics and industrial organization.	<i>2005–2006</i>
Microeconomics (undergraduate)	<i>2005</i>
Microeconomics (undergraduate, teaching assistant)	<i>2004</i>
Statistical Mechanics (undergraduate, teaching assistant)	<i>2000</i>

## AWARDS, HONORS, FELLOWSHIPS

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Postdoctoral Fellowship, Santa Fe Institute	<i>2008–2011</i>
Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences Grant (for the organization of international conference)	<i>2008</i>
Santa Fe Institute CSSS Alumni Fellowship (allowing for a one-month residency at the Santa Fe Institute)	<i>2006</i>
University Prize Science Faculty, Nijmegen University	<i>2000</i>
Visitor's grant St. John's College, Oxford	<i>1999</i>
EU ERASMUS Scholarship	<i>1999</i>
Dutch Crystallography Association	<i>1997</i>
Royal Dutch/Shell Excellence Scholarship	<i>1994–1999</i>

## CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

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International Conference on Networks and Games, (Tilburg, The Netherlands)	<i>2008</i>
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## ACADEMIC VISITS

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University of Oxford (United Kingdom)	<i>January–July 1999</i>
Santa Fe Institute (Santa Fe, NM)	<i>July 2006</i>
University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands	<i>Fall 2006</i>

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND EXTERNAL SEMINARS

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2005	Xth Spring Meeting of Young Economists (Geneva), NAKE Research Day (Amsterdam).
2006	Santa Fe Institute (Santa Fe, NM), Econometric Society European Meeting (Vienna), Paris-Jourdan Sciences Économiques (Paris), NAKE Research Day (Amsterdam)

- 2007 Coalition Theory Network Meeting (Louvain-la-Neuve), YEP Workshop on Random Graphs (Eindhoven, invited presentation), University of Bielefeld, Universidad de Alicante, SAET conference (Kos, invited presentation), APET conference (Nashville, TN, invited presentation), University of Konstanz, University of Warwick, Institute for Logic, Language and Computation (Amsterdam).
- 2008 Midwest Economic Theory meeting/Conference in honor of Wayne Shafer (Urbana-Champaign, IL, invited presentation)

#### SUMMER SCHOOLS

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| Summer School Game Theory and Networks (GREQAM, Marseille, France)                 | 2006 |
| Complex Systems Summer School, Santa Fe Institute (Santa Fe, New Mexico)           | 2005 |
| School and Workshop on Structure and Function of Complex Networks (Trieste, Italy) | 2005 |
| Summer School Institutional Economics (Trento, Italy)                              | 2004 |

#### REFEREEING SERVICE

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*Economic Theory, Games and Economic Behavior, International Journal of Game Theory, Journal of Applied Probability, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Theory*