




PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Sex Male | Date of Birth 17/06/1987 | Nationality Belgian

POSITION / FUNCTION

Project Employee and Researcher (50%)

WORK EXPERIENCE

01/01/2015 – present

Project employee and researcher (50%)
VBJK; Centre for Innovation in the Early Years
 Raas van Gaverestraat 67a, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

VBJK is a centre for Innovation in the Early Years. It conducts action research projects in the sector of Childcare and develops training materials, both in national and international context. In VBJK, I am primarily involved with projects concerning pedagogical guidance and professionalization, transition to kindergarten, school aged childcare and family day care.

01/01/2015 – present

Researcher at the department of Social Work and Social Pedagogy (50%)
Ghent University, Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences
 Henri Dunantlaan 2, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

As part of the scientific staff of the department of Social Work and Social Pedagogy, I conduct qualitative research about the first school experiences of children in a vulnerable situation ('at risk'). The project has a duration of two years (until the end of December 2016) and is funded by the FWO (Fund for Scientific Research).

01/11/2011 – 31/12/2014

Project employee and researcher
VBJK; Centre for Innovation in the Early Years
 Raas van Gaverestraat 67a, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

24/10/2011 – 14/02/2012

Staff member Total Quality Management University College Ghent
University College Ghent, Faculty of Education, Health and Social Work
 Voskenslaan 362, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

As a result of an internal reorganisation, the quality assurance processes of different Bachelor programmes within the Faculty of Education, Health and Social Work were to be aligned to one another. As part of the Total Quality Management Staff, I was responsible for that implementation. I supported processes for evaluation en developed new procedures for monitoring and guaranteeing quality.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2008 – 2011

Master of Science in Social Work
Ghent University, Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences
 Henri Dunantlaan 2, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

2005 – 2008

Bachelor of Socio-educational Care Work
University College Ghent, Faculty of Education, Health and Social Work
 Voskenslaan 362, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

1999 – 2005

Modern Languages and Mathematics
Don Bosco College
 Grotesteeweg-Noord 113, 9052 Zwijnaarde, Belgium

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue

Dutch

Other languages

 English
 French
 German

UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
C1	C1	C1	C1	A2
B1	B1	B1	B1	A2

Levels A1/2: basic user - B1/2: independent user - C1/2: proficient user
 Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills

- Giving presentations / lectures / workshops
- Guiding group discussions
- Chairing meetings

Job related skills

- Supporting innovative projects
- Organizing and conducting research

Computer skills

- Proficient user of Microsoft Office (word processing, presentations, spreadsheets)
- Proficient user of Pinnacle Studio™ (software for video editing)
- Independent user of NVivo™ (software for qualitative analysis of primarily textual data)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications

- Van Laere, K. Peleman, B. Pulinx, R. (2015). De instap: een warme opstap? *Kleuters en ik*. (31); 4: 3-7.
- Peleman, B. Lannoye, F. Boudry, C. (2015). Ik tel mee! Kinderen in de buitenschoolse opvang. *KIDDO* (4): 23-25.
- De Schepper, B. Peleman, B. Sharmahd, N. Vastmans, S. (2015). Wanda. Facilitator's manual for the Wanda Method. Gent: VBJK en Arteveldehogeschool.
- Peleman, B. Boudry, C. Bradt, L. Van de Walle, T. Vandenbroeck, M. (2014). Schoolkinderen en hun opvang. Wat leren ze ons over kwaliteit? Gent: VBJK.
- Peeters, J. Cameron, C. Lazzari, A. Peleman, B. Budginaite, I. Hauari, H. Siarova, H. (2014). Impact of continuous professional development and working conditions of early childhood education and care practitioners on quality, staff-child interactions and children's outcomes: A systematic synthesis of research evidence. Gent: VBJK.
- Boudry, C. Peleman, B. (2014). Knopjesman. Handleiding bij de DVD. Gent: VBJK.
- Peleman, B. (Red.), Van der Mespel, S. Daems, M. Declercq, B. (2014). Modules Kinderbegeleiders Gezinsopvang. 'Kennismaken met en Werken in de Gezinsopvang'. Leidraad voor lesgevers. Versie november 2014. Gent: VBJK.
- Peleman, B. Boudry, C. (2014). Mijn vrienden komen op de eerste plaats. Kinderen aan het woord over hun buitenschoolse opvang. *KIDDO* (6): 24-27.
- Peleman, B. Van der Mespel, S. (2014). Groeien in de Gezinsopvang. [video gepubliceerd op VIMEO]. Gent: VBJK.
- Peleman, B. (2014). Werk en privé in balans! *KIDDO* (2): 10-13.
- Declercq, B. (Red.) Daems, M. Peleman, B. Van der Mespel, S. (2013). Toolbox netwerken van onthaalouders: leidraad meter-peterschap. Leuven: CEGO
- Declercq, B. (Red.) Daems, M. Peleman, B. Van der Mespel, S. (2013). Toolbox netwerken van onthaalouders: leidraad lerende netwerken. Leuven: CEGO
- Van der Mespel, S. (Red.) Peleman, B. Daems, M. Declercq, B. (2013). Bouwen aan je eigen draagkracht. Werkmap voor onthaalouders. Gent: VBJK.
- Peleman, B. (Red.) Van der Mespel, S. Daems, M. Declercq, B. (2013). Kennismakingstraject Gezinsopvang: handboek voor lesgevers. Gent: VBJK.
- Boudry, C. Peleman, B. (2013). Knopjesman. Keuzes maken in buitenschoolse opvang. [DVD]. Gent: VBJK.
- Peleman, B. (2013). Vrije tijd in breedbeeld. Een DVD over nest en web in buitenschoolse opvang. *KIDDO* (3): 20-23.
- Peleman, B. (2013). Nieuw voor kandidaat-onthaalouders! Try-out van het Kennismakingstraject Gezinsopvang. *KIDDO* (2): 20-23.
- Peleman, B. (2012). Kwaliteitsvolle opvang en vrije tijd van schoolgaande kinderen. Gent: VBJK. [Niet gepubliceerd].
- Peleman, B. (2012). Balanceren tussen werk en gezin. Hoe combineer je thuiswerken met thuis? *KIDDO* (7): 36-38.
- Peleman, B. (2011). Sociaal werkers en managerialisme. Een onderzoek in de praktijk van het CAW-Onthaal. Masterproef tot het behalen van de graad van Master of Science in het Sociaal Werk. Gent: Universiteit Gent.

Current Projects

Research: FWO Transitions (University of Ghent)

Study on the first school/learning experiences of the youngest children in poverty
 Promotor: Prof. Dr. Michel Vandenbroeck; Copromotor: Prof. Dr. Piet Van Avermaet
 Research Foundation Flanders (FWO)
 2015-2016

Research: EDUCARE Preschool Project (VBJK)

Study on the transition from childcare/home to kindergarten

Promotor: Dr. Jan Peeters

Commissioner: Flemish Community Commission

2015-2016

Innovation: Support of Pedagogical Guidance and Language Facilitating Centers in ECEC (VBJK)

Co-construction of a conceptual framework for pedagogical coaching and language support, exchange experiences, document good practices and create partnerships.

Commissioner: Child and Family

2014-2016

Innovation: Implementation of model for Coaching (appreciative analysis of practices), developed by VBJK and Artevelde University College in Croatia, Slovenia, Czech Republic and Hungary. (VBJK)

Project: 'Wanda meets ISSA'

Commissioner: ISSA

2014-2015

Research: School aged children and their childcare. What do we learn from them about quality? (VBJK)

Promotor: Prof. Dr. Michel Vandebroek

Commissioner: Child and Family

2012-2014

Research: Early Childhood Care: Working Conditions, Training and Quality of Services. A Systematic Review. (VBJK)

Promotor: Dr. Jan Peeters, Prof. Dr. Claire Cameron

Commissioner: Eurofound

2013-2014

Editorial Work: Member of the editorial staff of KIDDO, a Pedagogical Magazine for childcare. (VBJK)

Since 2012