

Resume

Personal Information

Name: Henry Jansen
Date of Birth: May 17, 1958
Place of Birth: Seaforth, Ontario, Canada
Nationality: Canadian/Dutch
Marital Status: Married

For information on my publications and translation work
see my website www.wordfair.eu

Specializations

Literary Criticism, Philosophy, Theology, History, Tourism

Computer Programs

Windows Vista
Wordperfect X4
Word 2003
SDL Trados 2009
Adobe Acrobat 8.1

Education

- 17-05-01: VU University Amsterdam. Received degree of Doctor of Letters on the basis of the study *Laughter Among the Ruins: Postmodern Comic Approaches to Suffering*. Promotor: Prof. dr. R.J. Lyall (VU University); Co-promotor: Dr. R. Todd (VU University)
- 27-03-95: VU University Amsterdam: Received degree of Doctor of Theology *cum laude* on the basis of dissertation entitled *Relationality and the Concept of God*. Promotors: Prof. dr. H.M. Vroom and Prof. dr. A. van Egmond (VU University); Co-promotor: Dr. C. Plantinga, Jr. (Calvin Theological Seminary)
- 29-01-90: VU University, Amsterdam; Degree Obtained: Doctorandus
- 1988-89: Calvin Theological Seminary, Grand Rapids, Michigan, U.S.A.
Degree Obtained: Master of Theology (Specialization: Old Testament); Master's Thesis: *The Righteousness (SDQ) of God and Humanity in the Psalter*
- 1984-88: Calvin Theological Seminary, Grand Rapids, Michigan, U.S.A.
Degree Obtained: Master of Divinity
- 1983-84: Brock University, St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada
Degree Obtained: Honours Bachelor of Arts in English
- 1977-81: Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, U.S.A.
Degree Obtained: Bachelor of Arts in English with a minor in (European) history

Work Experience

A. Translation and Editing (since 1990 and full-time since 2005):

- have translated or edited articles by professors of theology and other disciplines that have been published in highly respected academic journals and collections;
- have translated academic books published by Peeters Publishers and Booksellers, (Louvain), and Kok Pharos (Kampen);
- have translated (from French, German and Dutch into English) or edited/proofread all the material for publication in the journal *Studies in Interreligious Dialogue* (Louvain: Peeters Publishers and Booksellers);
- have translated and/or edited/proofread most of the volumes in the series Currents of Encounter published by Editions Rodopi (Amsterdam)
- in connection with the last two items I am responsible for finalizing the text and copy for the publisher;
- have translated for several translation agencies over the years (see List of Translations on website)

B. Other

1. Academic

i) Writer

1991-: See List of Publications on website

ii.Editing

2001: Appointed co-editor of the series Currents of Encounter

1999: Appointed managing editor for *Studies in Interreligious Dialogue*

iii. Research (Faculty of Theology, VU University Amsterdam)

1995-98: Post-doctoral research on religious issues in secularized literature

1991-95: Assistant in Education; researching dissertation

iv. University Lecturer at the Faculty of Theology, VU University Amsterdam in Philosophy of Religion 1991-1998

2. Pastoral

1999-2005: Full-time minister, Gereformeerde Kerk, Opperdoes, The Netherlands

Hobbies and Other Interests

Travel

Ancient and Medieval History

Motorcycles

Movies

Literature

Fantasy Literature

Martial Arts

Old Time Rock and Roll