

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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**PERSONALIA**

Family name	van der Stelt-Scheele
Prenames	Diana Debora
Date of birth	12-1-1962
Nationality	Dutch
Civil state	married to Dirkjan van der Stelt since 1983
Children	Jair (1992) and Gideon (1995)

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**EDUCATION**

1974-1980	High School Gymnasium B Mgr. Zwijsen College in Veghel, the Netherlands
1980-1986	Agricultural Economics, Agricultural University Wageningen, the Netherlands Specialized in General Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Policy
1997-1998	Post doctorate training in Public Management and policy making
2002 – 2006	Management Development Program Dutch Ministry of Agriculture Candidate Program of the Ministry of Interior Affairs (= Management Development Program for Top Civil Servants)
2006	Postdoctorate training for non-executive Board Members Commissarisissencylcus NCD/ Nijenrode BusinessUniversity
2013	Program Boardroom Effectiveness / Harvard Business School
2017	Cyber Security certificate/ University of Georgia

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**WORKING EXPERIENCE**

SEPT 2016 – PRESENT

**TRINITY SOFTWARE CENTER**

MEMBER OF THE MANAGEMENT TEAM TRINITY SOFTWARE CENTER IN KUMASI, GHANA

FAIRTRADE SOFTWARE SALES IN THE NETHERLANDS

Social enterprise with the mission to create career opportunities for young people in Africa using IT. Software company with a fair trade label, building software with young engineers in Ghana. I have founded the company with three of them. My Ltd sells the software and scrum teams in the Netherlands.

[www.trinitysoftwarecenter.com](http://www.trinitysoftwarecenter.com)

SEPT 2015 – JUNI 2017

**PROGRAM MANAGER FINANCIAL COMPLIANCE**

NATIONAL POLICE

At the request of the top management I have been leading the execution of a Masterplan aimed at the problem solving in the field of financial compliance after a big national merger. At the same time I carried out various shorter consultancy jobs at the request of directors in the field of Finance and control, IT-governance and risk management.

JAN 2015 – PRESENT

**FOUNDER EN MANAGING PARTNER**

MAXIM NYANSA IT SOLUTIONS, ACCRA, GHANA

NGO with the mission to create career perspective for young africans using IT. Training centers for young IT graduates, integrated IT projects for high schools in West Africa.

DIRECTOR

TREASURER

[www.maximnyansa.com](http://www.maximnyansa.com)

SEPTEMBER 2014 – SEPTEMBER 2015

**CFO-CIO (INTERIM)**

DIENST LANDELIJK GEBIED – AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

- 1000 personnel, 10 offices
- Dismantle the organization after political decision to decentralize land management and nature development in the Netherlands
- Transfer IT systems, information and projects to Dutch Provinces
- Help affected staff to find new employment

OCTOBER 2012 - JUNE 2014

**CFO AND MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD (INTERIM)**

LUCAS COLLEGE, THE HAGUE (PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION) (STICHTING LUCAS ONDERWIJS)

- 200 mio Euro turnover, 32000 pupils, 3500 teachers, 80 schools
- Design and execution of an improvement program to strengthen control
- Budget savings
- Redefine the financial policy of the college
- Introduction of e-governance and IT-innovation strategy

DECEMBER 2011 - SEPTEMBER 2012

**CONCERNCONTROLLER (INTERIM)**

PROVINCE OF NOORD-HOLLAND

- Position directly under the Province Secretary, member board of directors
- Design of an improvement program to strengthen the finance and control of the Province
- Implementation of this program after political and organizational agreement
- Management of the concern staff directorate and internal audit department
- Implementation of the reorganization of the concern control department
- Taking into account the sensitive political context of the assignment.

SEPTEMBER 2009 - END 2011

**CFO/CIO AND MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD  
DUTCH FOOD AND CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY AUTHORITY**

- Position directly under the Secretary-General of Agriculture as member of a Board of three
- 2500 personnel, 250 mio € turnover, extensive budget savings
- Reports to Secretary-General of the Ministry of Economics and to a Director-General of the Ministry of Health
- Supports the Minister or Secretary of State in Parliament
- Responsible for the preparation and execution of an extensive merger with two other inspectorates and its objectives
- Portfolio: all staff directorates, and the division of Retail food safety, directly leading three directorates with 500 people in total
- Responsible for the financial policy and reform of the information management system of the new agency and the introduction of an innovative office concept.

MEDIO 2008 – MEDIO 2009

**INTERIM DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION,  
FOOD AND CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY AUTHORITY**

- Responsible for the administration, trouble shooter after political crisis
- Position directly under the Inspector-General
- Responsible for the preparation of the merger of three inspectorates
- Directly leads the administration directorate of 120 people.

1 JAN – MEDIO 2008

**INTERIM DIRECTOR AUDIT SERVICE,  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION**

- Responsible for the daily management of a division of 70 professionals
- Positioned directly under the deputy Secretary-General
- Represents the Ministry of Education in inter-service negotiations on the merger of into one Government Audit Service
- Member of the Audit Committee
- Reports independently to the Minister of Education on the state of financial management of the Ministry.

2005- 2008

**DIRECTOR OF COMPLIANCE AND INSPECTION POLICY  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION**

- Responsible for the reform of the national compliance and inspection system, trouble shooting after a system and political crisis
- Assisting the Secretary-General in his role of supervising the Inspectorates of the Ministry
- Formulates Ministry Policy on the supervision and compliance policy
- Represents the Ministry in inter-ministerial steering committees
- Member of the Audit Committee
- Crisismanagement

- 2004-2005 **Deputy Director of Secondary Education (interim)**  
**Ministry of Education**
- Responsible for the system development of secondary education in the Netherlands
  - Responsible for the financing system
  - Introduction of a new IT registration system for students
  - Introduction of corporate governance rules for schools
  - Supporting and informing the Minister of Education
- 2002-2004: **Deputy Director of Finance and Economics**  
**Ministry of Agriculture**
- Responsible for the representation of the Ministry at the Ministry of Finance, negotiation on the budget and representing the ministry regarding the National Audit Office
  - Advising the Minister regarding finance and economic policy decisions
  - Reform of the governance of Agencies of the Ministry
  - Financial crisis management, also for big animal disease crises
  - IT steering committee
  - Improvement of the financial management of government agencies
  - Frequently assists the Minister of Agriculture in parliament.
- 2000-2002: **Head of Audit and Development,**  
**Directorate of Finance and Economics, Ministry of Agriculture**
- Responsible for the supervision and accreditation of EU paying agencies
  - Responsible for the supervision of the financial management of the Ministry
  - Budget reform
  - Change management
- 1997- 2000 **Senior policy advisor Plant Protection**  
**Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate of Agriculture**
- Responsible for the design and execution of the interactive policy reform for the new plant protection policy
  - Secretary of the steering committee for the contract of government, farmers organizations and NGO's on the reduction and innovation of pesticides
  - Supervision of research programs
  - Production of political texts and dossiers for the Minister, Parliament, media
- 1993-1997 **Senior Policy Advisor for the Co-ordination of the Common Agricultural Policy**  
**Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate of International Affairs**
- Negotiator in Brussels on the international trade in agricultural products (WTO)
  - Responsible for the design of a control system for the Common Agricultural Policy execution practice by Paying Agencies and Inspectorates in the Netherlands, in order to prevent financial claims from the EU. I have built up this department.
  - Negotiator in Brussels on CAP financial claims.

1990-1993

**Attache**

**European Court of Auditors, Luxemburg**

- Co-author of chapters of the European Court of Auditors Annual Report
- Assists diplomat in Parliament with political texts
- Personal policy and economic advisor of the Dutch and Italian diplomat (member) of the Court.
- Auditor in the area of European Structural Funds and Common Agricultural Policy (sound financial management, system audits in member states and at the European Commission)

1986- 1990

**Researcher**

**University of Amsterdam Stichting voor Economisch Onderzoek (SEO) and Wageningen University and Research Centre, Department of General Agricultural Economics**

- Project leader for the construction of econometric models
- A number of scientific publications, mainly in the field of European Agricultural Policy, European Structural Funds and various other economic issues

## LANGUAGES

Dutch (mother tongue)  
French and English (fluent)  
Spanish and German (advanced level)  
Italian (basic)  
Ashanti Twi (beginner)

## KNOWLEDGE OF INFORMATION MANAGEMENT AND IT/SYSTEMS

- Implementation of e-governance, large IT projects and programs
- Gateway reviews, for large and risky projects
- Getting failing IT projects and programs back on track
- Governance of the relationship IT – Information Management and Business
- Initiation of new e-strategy as an integral part of business innovation
- Innovative approach Agile / Scrum
- Business intelligence, data science
- Software development, requirement and business analysis
- Cyber security (certificate 2017)

## LEISURE

Sports: canoe, fitness, mountain biking.  
Reading, vegetable gardening, cooking with friends

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## NON-EXECUTIVE POSITIONS

### Current:

- \* Member of the Advisory board of Wizzle LTD/ Flashboys LTD blockchain startup, since 2018.  
[www.wizzle.io](http://www.wizzle.io)
- \* Member of the Strategic Audit Committee of the Dutch department of Foreign Affairs since 2012  
[www.government.nl/ministries/bz](http://www.government.nl/ministries/bz)
- \* Member of Supervisory Board and Audit committee of Bartimeus Institute for the blind since January 2016 [www.bartimeus.nl](http://www.bartimeus.nl)
- \* Member of the board of IFES (International Fellowship of Evangelical Students) the Netherlands since May 2016 [www.ifes.nl](http://www.ifes.nl)

### Past:

- \* Non-executive board of the Dutch Bible Society 2008 – 2016 [www.unitedbiblesocieties.org](http://www.unitedbiblesocieties.org)
- \* Non-executive board member of the Dutch Evangelical Broadcasting Company (Evangelische Omroep) since 2004, 2008-2012 member of the Supervisory Board and member of the Audit Committee [www.eo.nl](http://www.eo.nl)
- \* Board member of Crossroads International Church of the Hague 2005-2008 (Elder Board) [www.crossroadchurch.nl](http://www.crossroadchurch.nl)
- \* Board member TEAR Fund 2001- 2003  
Development NGO of the Dutch Evangelical Alliance [www.tear.nl](http://www.tear.nl)

\*Board member Eirene Foundation 1987 - 2002

Development NGO for the support of christians in the Middle East in particular in Egypt