

# Nicolas van Zeebroeck

Belgian, 34 years old

Assistant Professor, Université Libre de Bruxelles

Languages: French (mother), English (fluent), Dutch (basic)



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## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

*13 Scholarly publications in peer-reviewed journals as single, first or main author  
1 book chapter (Oxford University Press), 6 working papers, 30 talks in international conferences  
Google Scholar Citations: 344 - H-Index: 10*

- 2011-now Assistant Professor – ULB SBS-EM (Brussels)**
- Tenure-track permanent position
- 2009-2011 FNRS Postdoctoral researcher (chargé de recherches) – ULB SBS-EM (Brussels)**
- 3-years postdoctoral research grant for a project on knowledge management
- Feb-July 2009 Visiting scholar – Strategic Management Group, Georgia Institute of Technology (Atlanta)**
- Initiated 3 collaborative research projects with different scholars at GeorgiaTech
  - Funding from FNRS and ULB international scholarship grants
- 2008-2011 Lecturer (maître d'enseignement) – ULB SBS-EM (Brussels)**
- Management Information Systems (MCC)
  - Microeconomics and strategy (Postgraduate Masters in Management (MCC))
  - Economic and management analysis (BA in Management Sciences (Ingénieur de gestion))
- 2002-2008 Teaching assistant and research fellow – ULB SBS-EM (Brussels)**
- Research Fellow, Ph.D. Scholarship, ULB (September 2003 to September 2007)
  - Teaching Assistant in Innovation Management and in Computer Science (since 2002)
  - Member of SBS-EM Boards, the Board of the SOCO Faculty, and the IT Board of the University

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## BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

- 2003-2008 Management Consultant – Self-employed (Brussels)**
- Management and coaching of 15 strategy consulting projects performed by MBASolvay students
  - Consultant in ICT and knowledge management for Befimmo, SBS-EM, Sodexo, Solvac
- 2001-2002 Management Consultant – Capgemini (Belgium and France)**
- Consultant: Projects on e-business, business intelligence, ICT management, knowledge management for multinationals in France and Belgium and for the European Commission (DG IS)
  - Pre-sales support: Development of a new service offering "Enterprise Information Portals", contribution to tenders

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## EDUCATION

- 2003-2008 PhD in Economics and Management – ULB SBS-EM (Brussels)**
- "Essays on the Empirical Analysis of Patent Systems" (PhD Advisor: Bruno van Pottelsberghe)
- 1995-2001 M.Sc. in Management (Honors) – ULB SBS-EM (Brussels and Charlottesville, VA)**
- Exchange Programme at Darden Graduate School of Business – 2<sup>nd</sup> year MBA (Virginia, USA)
  - De Barys Award for best final thesis: "e-Catalog Syndication with Java and XML" (2001)
- 2001-2006 Professional trainings**
- Forum Institute for Management, "Understanding US and EU Patent Litigation", 2006
  - ULB and UCL, "Understanding Intellectual Property Law", 2005
  - ULB SBS-EM, "Leadership in Action", 2004
  - Capgemini, "Consulting Skills", "Information Analysis", 2001

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## RESEARCH AREAS

- Strategic management: micro foundations of strategy, resource-based view, firm performance, knowledge management, business intelligence, innovation management, intellectual assets management, MIS
- Economics of Knowledge: Knowledge appropriation and diffusion, patent systems, patenting strategies

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## LEISURE

Piano (from Bach to Hindemith), Travelling, Reading, Tennis