

Curriculum Vitae

Personal information

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Current position

Aug. 2021 - date **Assistant Professor (1.0fte)**
Department of History, European Studies and Religion Studies,
University of Amsterdam

Previous positions

Aug. 2017 – Jul. 2021 **Assistant Professor (0.75fte, fixed-term contract)**
Department of History, European Studies and Religion Studies,
University of Amsterdam

Jan. 2016 - Dec. 2017 **Assistant Professor (0.7fte, tenure track)**
Department of Art and Culture, History and Ancient Studies,
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

Oct. 2015 - Oct. 2016 **Lecturer (0,2fte, fixed-term contract)**
Department of History, European Studies and Religion Studies,
University of Amsterdam

Oct. 2011 - Oct. 2015 **PhD candidate in Urban History (0,8fte)**
Department of History, European Studies and Religion Studies,
University of Amsterdam

Education

2021 Academic Leadership Course, University of Amsterdam
2017 Basiskwalificatie Onderwijs (BKO), Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

- 2016 PhD in History, University of Amsterdam
Thesis: 'De toekomst van de Nederlandse binnenstad 1960-1978'
Supervisors: Prof. James Kennedy, dr. Jan Hein Furnée and dr. Petra Brouwer
- 2012 MA in European Urbanisation, University of Leicester/
Technische Universität Berlin (*cum laude*)
Thesis: 'Neues Kreuzberger Zentrum: from *Glitzerding* to *Profitwurm*. The urban renewal process in Berlin-Kreuzberg and the growing tensions between local politicians, private developers and citizens 1963-1974' (awarded with *David Reeder Prize*)
Supervisors: Prof. Simon Gunn and dr. Celina Kress

Visiting fellowships

- Oct. 2023 - Nov. 2023 Forschungsstelle für Zeitgeschichte in Hamburg (FZH)
- Sep. 2021 - Oct. 2021 University of Glasgow
- Nov. 2018 - Mar. 2019 University of Leicester, Centre for Urban History
- May 2017 - Jun. 2017 Institut für Raumbezogene Sozialforschung Berlin
- Sep. 2016 - Nov. 2016 Fordham University, Department of Urban Studies in New York

Grants, honours and recognitions (external)

- Jun. 2020 **Research and Writing Grant (€ 30.000)**
The Eesteren-Fluck van Lohuizen Foundation will fund a research project on Amsterdam's recent history (together with Petra Brouwer). *Amsterdam Compact City 1974-2000* investigates how citizens and elected officials embraced affordability, social justice and environmentalism as guiding principles for the urban future. The project has been budgeted at € 165.000. Costs not covered by funding agencies are supplemented by private donation.
- Apr. 2020 **Research and Writing Grant (€ 33.700)**
The Creative Industries Fund NL will fund a research project on Amsterdam's recent history for the duration of three years (together with Petra Brouwer). *Amsterdam Compact City 1974-2000* investigates how citizens and elected officials embraced affordability, social justice and environmentalism as guiding principles for the urban future. The project has been budgeted at

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- Jan. 2020 **University of Glasgow Visiting Research Fellowship (€ 2.400)**
Award to cover travel and subsistence expenses to conduct research into the history of gentrification and city branding in Glasgow in comparison to Rotterdam
- Oct. 2019 **Opler Grant for Emerging Scholars (€ 400)**
Award by the Society of Architectural Historians (SAH) to support emerging scholars
- Apr. 2019 **KNIR Colloquium Grant (€ 12.500)**
Grant to organise a three-day expert meeting in Rome on the overlapping histories of social and urban movements (together with Christian Wicke)
- Apr. 2017 **Reisebeihilfe, Fritz Thyssen Stiftung (€ 2.881)**
Travel grant to support academic work abroad
- Jun. 2012/Jun. 2013 **Architecture Grants, Creative Industries Fund NL (€ 40.095)**
Two grants to stimulate Failed Architecture's research initiatives (together with Michiel van Iersel, Mark Minkjan, Ljubo Georgiev and Maja Popovic)

Grants, honours and recognitions (departmental)

- Jun. 2022 **Fair and Resilient Societies Seed Grant (€ 15.000)**
The Fair and Resilient Societies grant funds interdisciplinary research that promotes fair, stable and resilient societies. Obtained together with Willem Boterman and Wouter van Gent to explore the history of solo living in post-war Amsterdam
- Apr. 2022 **Graduate School of Humanities (teaching exemption)**
Teaching exemption to develop an interdisciplinary MA course on cities in the Anthropocene, urban pollution and environmentalism
- Jun. 2019 **ASH Valorisation Award (€ 250)**
The Amsterdam School of Historical Studies Award for an academic's ability to reach new and broader audiences
- Oct. 2018 **Seed Grant, Centre for Urban Studies (€ 2.500)**
Grant to organise a two-day workshop on the history of gentrification, together with Cody Hochstenbach

- Jan. 2011 - Jun. 2017 **Editor/Convenor at *Failed Architecture***
Acquisition, selection and editing of manuscripts, organizing public events
- Jan. 2012 - Jun. 2013 **Convenor at *Historisch Café***
- Mar. 2010 - Feb. 2011 **Editor at Architectura & Natura Booksellers and Publishers**
- Jan. 2009 - Jan. 2010 **Editor in chief at *Skript Historisch Tijdschrift***

Service to the Profession

- Mar. 2018 - Apr. 2018 **Jury member of the Amsterdam Architecture Prize**
- Jan. 2017 - Jan. 2019 **Member of municipal expert committee on the heritage value of Amsterdam's post-1970 architecture and urbanism**
- Jan. 2015 - date **Book manuscript reviewer for Cambridge University Press, Peter Lang Publishing; peer reviewer for *Contemporary European History, Urban History, Journal of Urban History***

Teaching

PhD supervision

- Sean Lewis, 'The university as the new asset class: An analysis of institutional property development, expansion and reinvention' (together with Tuna Taşan-Kok)
- Herman Wals, "'De quaestie van gemeente-exploitatie": Nutsvoorzieningen in Amsterdam van markt naar gemeentebedrijf 1870-1914' (together with Remieg Aerts)

Master

- Research master tutorials supervised until date: 5
- Cities in the Anthropocene: A global history of urban pollution and environmentalism
- Supervisor of internships at Centraal Museum, ARCAM, Architectuur Lokaal, Crimson Architectural Historians, Dienst Ruimte & Duurzaamheid, Rijksdienst voor het Cultureel Erfgoed
- A history of environmentalism, with Mathijs Boom (honours course at the Institute for Interdisciplinary Studies)
- Wonen als recht: Een geschiedenis van wooncrises en -protesten in Westerse steden (1800-2000)

- Van wie is de stad? Crisis en conflict in moderne Westerse steden (elective course on cities as battlegrounds of social, economic, political and cultural conflict - nominated for best course at the University of Amsterdam's Humanities Faculty 2018-2019)
- De praktijk van de stad, with Petra Brouwer (practice-based course developed in co-operation with the professional field)
- The discovery of the historical city (research seminar on urban redevelopment, gentrification and heritage)
- Architecture and design criticism (practice-based seminar on the writing of criticism in the fields of architecture and interior design)

Master and research master theses supervised until date: 15, with topics ranging from the history of student housing to graffiti-writing and Amsterdam's failed bid for organizing the Olympic Games of 1992

Second- and third-year bachelor courses

- Summer schools organized with Butler University (2019), Nottingham Trent University (2012) and the Deutsches Architektur Zentrum (2012)
- Verdiepingsvak stad, land en wereld: De omstreden modernisering van de Nederlandse stad (course on the transnational history of post-war urban redevelopment)
- Geschiedenislab: Wonen in Amsterdam. Een gunst of een recht? (course on the history of Amsterdam's squatting scene)
- Cities past and present (survey course on urban history)
- Internationale geschiedenis van Nederland (introductory course on the field of Dutch history)
- Urban culture and public space (interdisciplinary course on the design, use and abuse of public space in the modern age)
- Visual and material culture (interdisciplinary course on the historical crossovers between media, art, design and architecture)
- De stad in de film, with Petra Brouwer (elective course on urban representations in visual media)

First-year bachelor courses

- Tutor
- Inleiding in de geschiedschrijving (introductory course on history as an academic field)
- Historische dilemma's (introductory course on historiography)
- De wereld op straat (introductory course on public and urban history)
- Modern history (survey course on nineteenth- and twentieth-century history)
- Onderzoekseminar: De Tweede Wereldoorlog als discussie zonder einde (research seminar on historiography of the Second World War)

Bachelor theses supervised until date: 30, with topics ranging from the influence of technological progress on nineteenth-century socio-political landscapes to the close ties between business interests and Dutch elected officials in the 1960s and clubbing cultures of the 1980s

Publications

Monograph

- *De ruimtemakers. Projectontwikkelaars en de Nederlandse binnenstad 1950-1980* (Nijmegen 2017)

Peer-reviewed (currently under review)

- ‘The Magic Centre: Sociocultural Critiques on Urban Redevelopment in Amsterdam 1965-1970’, under review with *Palgrave Studies in the History of Social Movements*
- ‘From the “Scientized” to the “Sociocratic City”: The Politics of Knowledge and Norm Change in Post-War Urban Planning in the Netherlands’ (with S. Couperus), under review with Routledge’s *The Politics of Urban Knowledge* series
- ‘Architects as Global Entrepreneurs (1850-2000)’ (with M. Motylinska), under review with *Architectural Histories*

Peer-reviewed

- ‘Gentrification Through the Ages: A Long-Term Perspective on Urban Displacement, Social Transformation and Resistance’ (with C. Hochstenbach), *City: Analysis of Urban Change, Theory, Action* 26:2-3 (2022) 439-449
- ‘From Hippies to Yuppies: Marginal Gentrification in Amsterdam’s Jordaan and De Pijp neighbourhoods 1960-1990’ (with A. Albers), *City: Analysis of Urban Change, Theory, Action* 26:2-3 (2022) 496-518
- ‘Building “Holland’s Tallest Office Block”: The Transnational Origins and Troubled History of a Speculative Office Development’ (with A. Kefford), *Architectural Histories* 9:1 (2021) 1-14
- ‘Going Dutch: British Private Developers and the Discovery of European Property Markets 1970-1975’, *European Review of History/Revue européenne d’histoire* 28:3 (2021) 374-397
- ‘Mobilization of the Masses: Dutch Planners, Local Politics and the Threat of the Motor Age 1960-1980’, *Journal of Urban History* 47:1 (2021) 136-156
- ‘Digging in the Crates: Archival Research and Historical Primary Sources’, in: L. Bertolini and N. Verloo, *Seeing the City: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on the Study of the Urban* (Amsterdam 2020) 85-95
- ‘The Neues Kreuzberger Zentrum: Urban Planners, Property Developers and Fractious Left Politics in West Berlin 1963-1974’, *German History* 38:1 (2020) 113-132
- ‘Utopia in Practice: Urban Action Groups and the Future of Amsterdam’s City Centre 1965-1980’, in: Barnita Bagchi (ed.), *Urban Utopias: Memory, Rights and Speculation* (Kolkata 2020) 140-164
- ‘“The City is Collapsing Under Our Very Own Eyes”: Spaces and Emotions of the Dutch Urban Crisis 1950-1980’, *Moderne Stadtgeschichte* 51:1 (2020) 65-81
- ‘Vreemde Bedgenoten: Publiek-Private Samenwerking in de Nederlandse Ruimtelijke Ordening 1950-1980’, *Sociologie* 15:3 (2019) 347-366
- ‘Producing Space: Post-War Redevelopment as Big Business, Utrecht and Hannover 1962-1975’, *Planning Perspectives* 34:3 (2019) 415-437

- ‘Structures of Feeling: Development as Self-Development in Dutch Post-War architecture’, in: P. Nielsen and T. Großmann (eds.), *Architecture, Democracy and Emotions: The Politics of Feeling Since 1945* (Abingdon 2018) 82-103
- ‘Delivering for the Fancy as Well as the Shabby: Amsterdam’s Post-War Utopia of Urban Diversity’, *Joelbo Journal for Architectural Culture* 7 (2016) 16-27
- ‘Dreading the Future: Ambivalence and Doubt in the Dutch Urban Renewal Order’, *Contemporary European History* 24:4 (2015) 537-553
- ‘Symbolic Gestures? Planning and Replanning Amsterdam’s Bijlmermeer and New Town Almere Since 1965’ (with P.A. Brouwer), *Moderne Stadtgeschichte* 44:1 (2013) 48-59
- ‘De in Beton Gegoten Onwrikbaarheid van Hoog Catharijne: Burgers, Bestuurders en een Projectontwikkelaar 1962-1973’, *Stadsgeschiedenis* 7 (2012) 183-205

Academic

- ‘Review of Periodical Articles’ (with F. Buylaert, J. van der Meulen, G. Verhoeven and R. Vermoesen), *Urban History* 49:2 (2022) 435-457
- ‘Review of Periodical Articles’ (with F. Buylaert, J. van der Meulen, G. Verhoeven and R. Vermoesen), *Urban History* 48:2 (2021) 386-406
- ‘Review of Periodical Articles’ (with F. Buylaert, G. Verhoeven and R. Vermoesen), *Urban History* 47:2 (2020) 327-347
- ‘A Tale of Two Urban Futures: Dutch City Centres in the Age of Affluence’, in: D. van den Heuvel and S. Monteiro de Jesus (eds.), *Architecture and Democracy 1965-1989: Urban Renewal, Populism and the Welfare State* (Rotterdam 2019) 179-184
- ‘Review of Periodical Articles’ (with F. Buylaert, G. Verhoeven and R. Vermoesen), *Urban History* 46:2 (2019) 331-355
- ‘1966: De Bijlmermeer. Een Modernistisch Mozaïek’, in: L. Heerma van Voss, M. ’t Hart, K. Davids, K. Fatah-Black, L. Lucassen and J. Touwen (eds.), *Wereldgeschiedenis van Nederland* (Amsterdam 2018) 647-652
- ‘Review of Periodical Articles’ (with F. Buylaert, G. Verhoeven and R. Vermoesen), *Urban History* 45:2 (2018) 351-374
- ‘Review of Periodical Articles’ (with J. Haemers, J. Puttevills and G. Verhoeven), *Urban History* 44:2 (2017) 317-343
- ‘Build Something Different for a Change: How the People of Amsterdam Resisted the Sell-Out of their City Centre’, in: V. Mamadouh and A. van Wageningen (eds.), *Urban Europe: Fifty Tales of the City* (Amsterdam 2016) 139-146
- ‘Toekomstvrees: Stadsvernieuwing in de Jaren Zestig’, *Agora: Tijdschrift voor Sociaal-Ruimtelijke Vraagstukken* 31 (2015) 43-45
- ‘Stadsvernieuwing, Ideologie en Buitenparlementaire Actie: Mobilisering van Onbehagen in de Strijd tegen Hoog Catharijne 1970-1973’, in: P. van Dam, B. Mellink and J. Turpijn (eds.), *Onbehagen in de Polder: Nederland in Conflict Sinds 1795* (Amsterdam 2014) 163-183
- ‘Zerlegt und zerkleinert’ (with J. Loerakker), in: *Baumwelt* 115 (2014) 22-25
- ‘Publiek Gefinancierde Winst: Internet en Openbaar Toegankelijk Historisch Onderzoek’ (with A. Beukema Toe Water), in: J. Coomans, T. Smits and J.J. Zurné (eds.), *Snelweg naar Rome* (Amsterdam 2013) 162-177

- 'Stadsgeschiedenis in Buitenlandse Tijdschriften 2011' (with J.H. Furnée and M. van der Heijden), *Stadsgeschiedenis* 7 (2012) 281-298

Book reviews

- 'Photography, Reconstruction and the Cultural History of the Postwar European City', Review of T. Allbeson, *Photography, Reconstruction and the Cultural History of the Postwar European City*, in: *German History* (2021)
- 'Streets of Splendor', Review of A. Arnout, *Streets of Splendor: Shopping Cultures and Spaces in a European City (Brussels, 1830-1914)*, in: *BMGN Low Countries Historical Review* (2021).
- 'Boom Cities', Review of O. Saumarez-Smith, *Boom Cities: Architect Planners and the Politics of Radical Urban Renewal in 1960s Britain*, in: *Urban History* 48:1 (2021) 199-201
- 'De Lelijke Jaren Zeventig', Review of J. den Biggelaar, *De Lelijke Jaren Zeventig: Moderne Architectuur, Publieke Perceptie en de Vroegtijdige Sloop van Vier Prestigieuze Projecten*, in: *Bulletin KNOB* 118:1 (2019) 59-60
- 'Imagining New York', Review of C. Lindner, *Imagining New York City: Literature, Urbanism and the Visual Arts*, in: *New York History* 99:2 (2018) 245-248
- 'Een Zeldzaam Geëngageerd Handboek', Review of S. Ewen, *What is Urban History?*, in: *Rooilijn* 51:5 (2018) 397-399
- 'Lesmateriaal van de Straat: Wat Nederland Kan Leren van "The Wire"', Review of R. van Es and J. van Rossum (eds.), *De Stad als Organisatie: Lessen uit "The Wire"*, in: *Beleid en Maatschappij* 43 (2016) 182-184
- 'Rumoer aan de Amstel', Review of H. de Liagre Böhl, *Rumoer aan de Amstel: Het Amsterdamse Stadhuis en het Muziektheater*, in: *Bulletin KNOB* 115:4 (2016) 230-231
- 'Insuring the City', Review of E. Rubin, *Insuring the City: The Prudential Center and the Postwar Urban Landscape*, in: *Urban History* 42:1 (2015) 177-178
- 'Is dit Beleid of is Hierover Nagedacht? Het Conflict over de Stadsvernieuwing', Review of H. de Liagre Böhl, *Steden in de Steigers: Stadsvernieuwing in Nederland 1970-1990*, in: *Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis* 127 (2014) 177-179

Invited lectures and conference contributions

Invited talks

- 'Masterclass Wonen in de Stad' (Amsterdam, 6 October 2020).
- 'A Faustian Bargain: Public-Private Partnerships in Dutch Urban Renewal, 1950-1980', (Leicester, 1 February 2019).
- 'Power to the Urban Imagination: Provo and Early Struggles over Urban Redevelopment in Amsterdam (1965-1967)' (Jerusalem, 27 January 2019).
- 'Planning for Prosperity', MSA Lecture Series (Glasgow, 24 November 2017).
- 'De Ruimtemakers: Projectontwikkelaars en de Toekomst van de Nederlandse Binnenstad 1960-1978', UGent Vakgroep Architectuur en Stedenbouw (Ghent, 27 January 2017).
- 'A Right to Destroy the City? Automobility and the Dutch Urban Environment', School of Innovation Sciences Lecture Series (Eindhoven, 15 December 2016).

- ‘A Tale of Two Modernities: The Post-War Renewal of Dutch Inner Cities 1950-1980’, Sarah Lawrence College (Yonkers, 1 November 2016).
- ‘Status Quaestionis in Architectural History’, OSK Dag van Stedebouw en Architectuur (Rotterdam, 8 November 2012).

Conference papers

- ‘An Environment of New Beginnings: Participatory Planning and Notions of Domesticity in Amsterdam’s Urban Renewal Agenda 1970-1990’, Urban Ownership conference (Berlin, 23 February 2022)
- ‘The Mediatization of Architecture in Post-War Urban History’, Media Architecture Biennale (Amsterdam, 2 July 2021)
- “‘The Brits are Coming’: British Property Developers in Europe and the Netherlands 1970-1975’, ESSHC conference (Amsterdam, 25 March 2021).
- ‘Coercing Bicycling Policies in Amsterdam (1950-1990)’, Society for the History of Technology conference, with Stephen Weijers (Eindhoven, 27 October 2020).
- ‘The Urbanism of Late Capitalism: The Dutch and British Post-1945 Urban Renewal Orders in Comparison’, Global Urban History conference, with Alistair Kefford (Leicester, 11 July 2019).
- ‘Entrepreneurial Knowledge: Private Enterprise and Planning Expertise in the Netherlands and Beyond (1950-1980)’, Workshop ‘The Politics of Urban Knowledge’ (Antwerp, 15 December 2018).
- ‘The Discovery of Urban Living in Amsterdam 1966-1981’, ESSHC conference (Belfast, 6 April 2018).
- ‘Utopia in Practice’, Workshop ‘Urban Utopias: Memory, Rights, and Speculation’ (Utrecht, 21 February 2018).
- ‘Mobilisation of the Masses: Post-War Urban Planning and the Threat of the Motor Age’, IPHS conference (Delft, 17 July 2016).
- ‘Faust in de Polder: Publiek-Private Samenwerking in de Naoorlogse Stadsvernieuwing’, Politicologenetmaal (Brussel, 2 June 2016).
- ‘Redevelopment as Self-Development: Consumerist versus Culturalist Architecture in Utrecht 1970-1973’, MPI conference (Berlin, 27 May 2016).
- ‘Urban Renewal and Modernity’s Moral Imperatives’, ESSHC conference (Valencia, 1 April 2016).
- ‘Ambivalence in the Dutch Urban Renewal Order and the Rise of the Private Developer’, Workshop ‘Urban Individualities in Western Europe 1950-2000’ (Leeds, 21 September 2013).
- ‘The Concrete Obduracy of Hoog Catharijne’, EAUH conference (Prague, 1 September 2012).

Organized panels

- ‘Who Owns the City? Dynamics of Urban Ownership in the 19th and 20th Centuries’, with M. Motylinska, EAUH conference (Antwerp, September 2022)
- ‘The Compact City Inside Out: Compact Cities Throughout the Ages’. With P.A. Brouwer, EAHN conference (Madrid, June 2022)

- ‘The Architect as a Global Entrepreneur (1945-2000)’, with M. Motylinska, SAH conference (Seattle, May 2020). Submitted as a special issue with *Architectural Histories*
- ‘Urban Democracy, Social Movements and Post-Industrial Society’, with C. Wicke, KNIR colloquium (Rome, December 2019). Submitted as an edited volume with *Palgrave Macmillan*
- ‘Gentrification Throughout the Ages’, with C. Hochstenbach (Amsterdam, May 2019). Submitted as a special issue with *City: Analysis of Urban Change, Theory Action*
- ‘The Discovery of Urban Living in the Post-Industrial Era’, with C. Hochstenbach, EAUH conference (Rome, August 2018)
- ‘Building for Prosperity: Private Developers and the Western-European Welfare State’, with A. Kefford, EAHN conference (Tallinn, June 2018)

Public outreach

Media performances

- ‘Heilige huisjes’, FryslânDOK/NPO2, 16 April 2022
- ‘Bestaat de volksbuurt straks nog?’, *AD Utrechts Nieuwsblad*, 2 April 2022
- ‘Brutalist buildings threatened by right-wing politicians as part of “attack on the welfare state”’, *Dezeen*, 21 October 2021
- ‘Amsterdam kraakstad’, SALTO, *Radio Swammerdam*, 9 January 2022
- ‘De moderne woningnood’, NPO Radio 1, *OVT*, 12 September 2021
- ‘De geschiedenis van het woonprotest’, NPO Radio 2, *Spijkers met koppen*, 11 September 2021
- ‘De traditie van het actievoeren tegen woningnood’, NH Radio, *Spitstijd*, 9 September 2021
- ‘Gentrificatie’, De Wereld van de Stad podcast, 4 May 2021
- ‘Het nieuwe imago van vakantiestad Amsterdam’, NPO Radio 1, *Met het oog op morgen*, 8 January 2021
- ‘Van wie is de steeg?’, BNR Nieuwsradio, *Bouwmeesters*, 22 June 2020
- “‘The city is ours again’: How the pandemic relieved Amsterdam of overtourism”, *Washington Post*, 6 May 2020
- ‘Why does the alt right hate modernism and love a classical column?’, ABC Radio, *Blueprint*, 7 March 2020
- ‘Nutteloze bouwwerken’, RTL4, *Editie NL*, 28 January 2020
- ‘De geschiedenis en de toekomst van de belegger in de Amsterdamse woningbouw’ AT5, 3 October 2019
- ‘Bouwblunders vooral bij de overheid’, NPO Radio 1, *Nieuwsweekend*, 17 August 2019
- ‘Gelderlandplein’, AT5, 28 March 2019
- ‘Terug naar het Amsterdam van 1968’, AT5, 15 December 2018
- ‘Toerisme bedreigt historisch stadshart’, *Reformatisch Dagblad*, 23 July 2018
- ‘Verzet bracht stad tot inkeer’, *Het Parool*, 24 February 2018
- ‘De ruimtemakers’, NOS/NTR, *Nieuws en Co*, 19 February 2018

- ‘De naoorlogse discussie over architectuur’, SALTO, *Radio Swammerdam*, 18 February 2018
- ‘Hoogbouw de oplossing van de woningnood?’, AVROTROS, *Radio EenVandaag*, 11 January 2018
- ‘Stad’, VPRO, *Onzichtbaar Nederland*, 1 December 2016
- ‘Terugblik: het plan-Kaasjager’, NTR, *NTR Academie*, 20 October 2014
- ‘Sociale woningbouw en falende architectuur’, VPRO *Nooit meer slapen*, 19 June 2014
- ‘Het Massa Massage Apparaat’, VPRO, *Holland Doc*, 26 January 2014
- ‘Tassen vol verhalen: 40 jaar Hoog Catharijne’, RTV Utrecht, *DocU*, 29 September 2013
- ‘Parel aan de Noordzee’, NTR/VPRO, *Andere Tijden*, 8 September 2013

Lectures and writings for non-academic audiences

- ‘Blijf uit onze buurt: Leren van de strijd om betaalbaar wonen in naoorlogs Amsterdam’, *VOX-POP*, 20 May 2022
- ‘Van hippies naar yuppies: De geschiedenis van gentrificatie in Amsterdam’, *Volkskrant/IISG Scriptieprijs*, 24 March 2022
- ‘Amsterdam als sociaal rechtvaardige stad’, lecture series *Schatten van Amsterdam*, 17 December 2020
- ‘Amsterdam compacte stad: De erfenis van Michael van der Vlis’, ARCAM, 10 December 2020
- ‘Het nooit gebouwde Spuikwartier: “Want tussen droom en daad staan wetten in de weg en praktische bezwaren”’, Haags Historisch Museum, 26 January 2020
- ‘Pionieren in projectontwikkeling: het grotestadsdenken van Johan Matser’, Dudok Architectuur Centrum, 23 January 2020
- ‘Hoog Catharijne als monument van optimisme en maakbaarheid’, Centraal Museum, 27 October 2019
- ‘Introduction to “Priced Out”’, Architecture Film Festival Rotterdam, 11 October 2019
- ‘The far right’s obsession with modern architecture’ (with Joe Mathieson), *Failed Architecture*, 11 September 2019
- ‘From Mies to Bjarke: Ten moments in the manly history of the architect’s model’ (with Antoina Weiss), *Failed Architecture*, 8 March 2019
- ‘Enneüs Heermalezing 2018’, Woningcorporatie De Alliantie, 18 October 2018
- ‘Introduction to “Citizen Jane”’, Tilburg Architectuur Film Festival, 14 April 2018
- ‘Proost op de wetenschap: de ruimtemakers’, Spui25, 13 April 2018
- ‘Power to the urban imagination: The Dutch struggle over redevelopment 1965-1980’, Urban commons of culture, 4 April 2018
- ‘Cities of welfare and wellbeing’, Academie van Bouwkunst, 27 February 2018
- ‘De makers van het moderne Nederland: Projectontwikkelaars en de binnenstad 1950-1980’, Rijksdienst voor het Cultureel Erfgoed, 22 February 2018
- ‘Introduction to “Hands over the City”’, Cinema Discutabel, 14 December 2017
- ‘Leer van het verleden en leg het vastgoedkapitaal stevig aan de ketting’, *De Volkskrant*, 27 November 2017
- ‘Het tijdperk waarin mannen de stad maakten’, *Vastgoedmarkt* 44:11 (2017) 18
- ‘Introduction to “Blok”’, Architecture Film Festival Rotterdam, 7 October 2017

- 'Failed Architecture?', GR8 Talks series, New York City, 28 September 2016
- 'Fact and fiction in the work of J.G. Ballard', Imagine Film Festival, 22 April 2016
- 'Enclaves in de stad', symposium 'EU@Amsterdam', 15 February 2016
- 'UvA, Doe ook iets voor de buurt', *Het Parool*, 24 February 2015
- 'Resistenza', Italiaans Instituut, 19 December 2014
- 'Plannen voor een onzekere toekomst: wethouders en de oude stad in de jaren zestig', symposium 'Een eeuw rode wethouders', 24 May 2014
- 'Hoog Catharijne: capitalism and politics', symposium 'CityLab', 1 December 2012