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Hendrik Jan Hobbes joined Nuffic in 2008 as policy officer in Nuffic's Expertise department. He is involved in several projects on recognition and represents the Dutch Naric in the working group "Mutual recognition and joint programmes" of the ECA-consortium.



Among his fields of expertise are (the Dutch and international accreditation of) joint degrees, Erasmus Mundus, student mobility and general (Dutch and European) policy affairs regarding Higher Education. In 2008, he performed a study about the reasons behind the drop in Dutch outgoing Erasmus mobility. In 2009, he performed a study about the quality of internships performed by Dutch students abroad. He is responsible for the Nuffic MINT-project – a mapping tool for internationalization. Together with the Dutch EMNS, he is part of the Nuffic team working on the JDAZ project.

Before joining Nuffic, Hendrik Jan worked at the central international office of Leiden University. Being a policy officer and coordinator of the Erasmusprogramme, he gained long experience in internationalization of higher education, international relation management and in managing student exchanges.