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### **Curriculum vitae**

Jan Roukens is a Dutch national living in Brussels, Belgium. He was born in 1937 in what is now Indonesia.

He studied physics and was involved in health/medical informatics R&D before joining the European Commission (1981).

For the EC he administered ITC R&D programmes and subsequently developed language-programmes such as the multilingual information society programme (1996).

He retired in 2002 and is board member of several language and terminology organisations since.

He also has a particular interest for science communication and publishing.