

## Short Curriculum vitae of Tom H. Koornwinder, November 30, 2011

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### Personal data

*born:* September 19, 1943, in Rotterdam

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### Education

kandidaats (=BSc) both in mathematics and in physics: University of Leiden, 1965

doctorandus (=MSc) in mathematics: University of Leiden, 1968

PhD: University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, 1975, promotor  
prof. dr. H. A. Lauwerier, thesis *Jacobi polynomials and their two-variable analogues*

### Area of Specialization

Analysis, more in particular: Special functions, Lie groups, quantum groups, computer algebra and their interrelations

### Regular employments

University of Leiden, student assistant, 1965–1968

Mathematical Centre, Amsterdam, researcher, 1968–1977

Mathematical Centre (=CWI), Amsterdam, senior researcher, 1977–1992

University of Amsterdam, Professor of Analysis, 1992–2008, during which:

- 1995–1996: Chairman of Department of Mathematics
- 1996–1997: Member of the faculty board and vice-dean of the Faculty of Mathematics, Computer Science, Physics and Astronomy
- November 1997 – January 2003: Director of the Korteweg-de Vries Institute
- January–November 2005: Chairman (ad interim) of Afdeling (Department) of Astronomy, Physics and Mathematics within the Faculty of Science

Since September 2008 Professor emeritus, permanent guest at the Korteweg-de Vries Institute

### Visiting positions

Institut Mittag-Leffler, Djursholm, Sweden, graduate student, 1970–1971

University of Amsterdam, 1 day/week, January–May 1984

University of Leiden, 1 or 2 days/week, 1985–1988

Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium, 1 day/week, October 1987 – January 1988

Institut Mittag-Leffler, Djursholm, Sweden, guest researcher in special program *Analysis on Lie groups*, October–November, 1995

Newton Institute, Cambridge, UK, guest researcher, April–May, 2001

### Editorships

2006–present: SIGMA (member of editorial board)

2008–present: *Advances in Pure and Applied Mathematics* (associate editor)

2009–present: *Constructive Approximation* (member of editorial board)

2010–present: *Indagationes Mathematicae* (member of editorial board)

### PhD Theses prepared under my guidance

1979: I. G. Sprinkhuizen-Kuyper (University of Amsterdam, copromotor)

1983: M. T. Kusters (University of Leiden, copromotor)

1983: B. Hoogenboom (University of Leiden, copromotor)

1987: R. J. Beerends (University of Leiden, copromotor)

1991: H. T. Koelink (University of Leiden, copromotor)

1994: M. S. Dijkhuizen (University of Amsterdam, promotor)

1995: P. G. A. Floris (University of Leiden, one of two promotors)

1998: J. V. Stokman (University of Amsterdam, cum laude, promotor)

1999: G. Carnovale (University of Utrecht, one of two promotors)

1999: P. Oonincx (University of Amsterdam, promotor; copromotor N. M. Temme)

### Other doctorates at which I acted as a promotor

1993: A. O. Olde Daalhuis (University of Amsterdam, promotor; copromotor N. M. Temme)

1994: J. F. van Diejen (University of Amsterdam, promotor; main but informal advisor was S. N. M. Ruijsenaars)

2002: O. Lemmers (University of Amsterdam, promotor; copromotor J. J. O. O. Wiegerinck)

### Committees outside UvA

2000–2010: Member (secretary and treasurer) of the board of the foundation *Stichting voor Hoger Onderwijs in de Toegepaste Wiskunde*

2003–2008: Member of the board of the Dutch research school MRI (Mathematics Research Institute)

2005–2007: member of SASTRA Ramanujan Prize Committee

2006: member of International Scientific Advisory Board of Max Planck Institute for Mathematics, Bonn, Germany

2009: member of “commissie van goede diensten” of Koninklijk Wiskundig Genootschap

2009–2010: member of the Committee for the Research Evaluation of the Mathematics Programs of the six universities in The Netherlands over the period 2003–2008

2010–2011: member of selection committee for the first award of the Gábor Szegő Prize  
2011–present: member of selection committee for the Stieltjes PhD Prize and the Schoonschip Stimulans Prize of Dutch Research School WONDER  
2011–present: chair of publication committee of Platform Wiskunde Nederland

**Administrative activities for popularizing mathematics**

2004–2009: member of Dutch national “Taakgroep Landelijke Wiskunde-PR”  
2004–present: member of editorial board Kennislink  
2008–2011: treasurer of organizing committee of International Mathematical Olympiad 2011, Netherlands

**Memberships**

Koninklijk Wiskundig Genootschap, European Mathematical Society, American Mathematical Society, SIAM, SIAM Activity Group on Orthogonal Polynomials and Special Functions