

Wim van den Brink, MD PhD

Wim van den Brink (1952) was born in Hilversum and received his medical degree from the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam in 1981. He trained in psychiatric epidemiology at Columbia University, New York from 1986 to 1987. In 1989, he received his PhD degree from the State University of Groningen cum laude. Since 1992, he is Professor of Psychiatry and Addiction at the Academic Medical Center of the University of Amsterdam (AMC-UvA). He also holds the position of Director of the Amsterdam Institute for Addiction Research (AIAR). His research aims to uncover the neurobiological processes involved in the development of addictive behaviours and the effects of neurobiological interventions to prevent relapse in alcohol and drug dependent patients and pathological gamblers using neuropsychological tests, neurophysiological procedures and/or neuroimaging techniques. He chaired the working groups that developed multidisciplinary guidelines for the treatment of alcohol dependence (2009) and opioid dependence (2011) in The Netherlands. He has been the co-founder and president of the European Association of Substance Abuse Research (EASAR: 1995-2010) and currently he chairs the International Collaboration of ADHD and Substance Abuse (ICASA: 2005-present). Recently he accepted the position as chair of the Scientific Program Committee of the European College of Neuropsychopharmacology (ECNP) for the period 2012-2014. He is a (co)author of over 300 peer-reviewed scientific publications and he supervised 50 PhD students. Dr. Wim van den Brink is editor of *European Addiction Research* and associate editor of *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*. In addition, he is a member of the editorial board of *Addiction*, *Addiction Biology*, *Current Drug Abuse Reviews*, *International Journal of Methods in Psychiatric Research*, *Mind and Brain*, and *Sucht*.

Curriculum Vitae Wim van den Brink, MD PhD

Training and Affiliations

1952	Born in Hilversum, The Netherlands (NL)
1971-1981	Medical Training, VU medical center (VUmc) Amsterdam, NL
1981	Medical Degree (MD) VUmc, Amsterdam, NL
1981-1986	Psychiatric Resident Academic Medical Center Groningen, NL
1986-1987	Fellow Psychiatric Epidemiology Columbia University New York, USA
1987-1989	Senior Researcher Department of Psychiatry, Academic Medical Center Groningen, NL
1989	PhD degree (PhD) University of Groningen, NL
1989-1992	Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Academic Medical Center Groningen, NL
1992-present	Professor of Psychiatry and Addiction Academic Medical Center University of Amsterdam, NL
1995-present	Director Amsterdam Institute for Addiction Research (AIAR), Amsterdam, NL
1998-present	Scientific Director National Committee Treatment Heroin Addiction, Utrecht, NL

Other activities

National and International Committees and Associations

1996-present	Scientific Director Central Committee for the Treatment of Heroin Addict
1999-present	Member of the ZonMW Program Committee on Addiction
2002-present	President European Association of Substance Abuse Research (EASAR)
2002-present	Member International Advisory Board of the German Heroin Project
2003-present	Chair of the Registration Committee for Epidemiologists
2003-present	Member Scientific Committee European College of Neuropsychopharmacology
2003-present	Member Scientific Working Group European Action Plan on Cannabis Research
2003-present	Member of the German Ministerial Committee on Addiction Research Funding
2004-present	Member of the ZONMW Program Committee Effectiveness and Cost-Effectiveness
2003-present	Advisor American Psychiatric Association DSM-V Committee Substance Use Disorders
2004-present	Chair Interdisciplinary Guideline Committee Alcohol Abuse and Dependence
2005-present	Chair International Collaboration on ADHD and Substance Abuse (ICASA)
2007-present	Member Research Council Academic Medical Center University of Amsterdam
2008-present	Member of the Scientific Committee of the Annual Meeting ECNP
2008-present	Member International Advisory Board European Graduate School in Addiction Research
2009-present	Chair Interdisciplinary Guideline Committee Opioid Addiction
2010-present	Member Executive Board European College of Neuropsychopharmacology (ECNP)
2012	Chair Scientific Program Committee ECNP

National and international scientific journals

1995-present	Methodological advisor <i>Netherlands Journal of Psychiatry</i>
2000-present	International Advisor <i>Suchttherapie</i>
2003-present	Member Editorial Board <i>Sucht</i>
2003-present	Member Editorial Board <i>Addiction Biology</i>
2005-present	Member Editorial Board <i>International Journal of Methods in Psychiatric Research</i>
2005-present	Member Editorial Board <i>Addiction</i>
2006-present	Member International Editorial Advisory Board <i>Current Drug Abuse Reviews</i>
2006-present	Associate Editor <i>Drug and Alcohol Dependence</i>
2006-present	Editor <i>European Addiction Research</i>
2010-present	Member Editorial Board <i>Mind and Brain</i>

Awards

2003	Marie Curie Award for neuroimaging of the neurotoxicity of ecstasy
2005	Science Award of the Dutch Psychiatric Association
2008	Publication Award Netherlands Journal of Psychiatry

Publications

Total: 500; National: 170; International 330 (Pubmed 301); Hirsch Index (vandenbrink/van den brink): 39

Supervisor PhD theses

Total 50

Invited Lectures

Total 526