

Curriculum Vitae

Bernard Veldkamp was born on the 22nd of May 1973 in Wapenveld. In 1991, he finished the VWO at the "Prof. Dr. S. Greydanus Scholengemeenschap" in Zwolle. After the summer of 1991, he started his studies at the Faculty of Mathematical Sciences at the University of Twente. After the general program, the study was focused on mathematical programming and operations research. In 1996, Bernard attended the research institute of KPN for his final project under the supervision of Prof. Dr. U. Faigle (UT), and drs. S. Baas (UT). His assignment was to design an algorithm for partitioning the map of the Netherlands based on postal code area's for application in a Geographical Information System. He graduated in December 1996.

In January 1997 he started a research project on "principles and algorithms of constrained test assembly", in the department of Educational Measurement and Data-Analysis, in the faculty of Educational Technology at the University of Twente. The project was supervised by Prof. Dr. W.J. van der Linden, and the results can be found in this thesis. Since January 2001, he has been working in this department as a research fellow.

In September 1998 he got married to Rolinda de Jong. He has been a member of the Free Reformed Church (Gereformeerde Kerk vrijgemaakt) in Enschede. Since October 1999, he has been assisting two members of the ChristenUnie party in the city council of Enschede.