

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy
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Free University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Dissertation: "Studies on Determinants of Tourism
Demand Dynamics in a Small Island Destination: The
Case of Aruba"

Master of Science
April 1996

Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands
Major: Macro economics
Minor: Micro economics

Bachelor of Science
February 1993

The Hague University of Applied Sciences
Major: Accounting
Minor: Finance

EMPLOYMENT

2016-Present

Assistant Professor
Rosen College of Hospitality Management
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2008 - 2016

Director of Research Department
Central Bank of Aruba

J.E. Irausquin Boulevard
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1996 - 2018

Economist at Economic Policy Department
Central Bank of Aruba
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1992

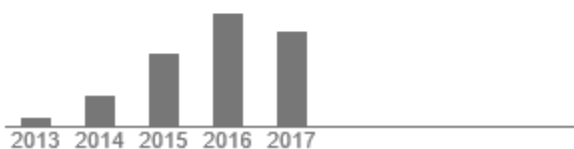
Junior Accountant
Coopers & Lybrand Accountants
The Hague
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RESEARCH FOCUS

My research focuses primarily on the dynamic determinants of tourism demand dynamics, from both a macro and a micro perspective, and considering direct/indirect, seasonal and cyclical fluctuations. My secondary area of research considers a similar approach to economic/financial operations of businesses in the hospitality industry.

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Citatie-indexen	Alles	Sinds 2012
Citaties	143	142
h-index	6	6
i10-index	4	4



1. Croes, R., **Ridderstaat, J.**, Rivera, M. (2017). Asymmetric business cycle effects and tourism demand cycles. *Journal of Travel Research*, <https://doi.org/10.1177/004728751770408> (**SSCI-Tier one journal**).
2. Croes, R., **Ridderstaat, J.** (2017). The effects of business cycles on tourism demand flows in small island destinations. *Tourism Economics*, <https://doi.org/1354816617697837> (**SSCI-**

journal).

3. Oduber, M., **Ridderstaat, J.** (2016). Impacts of Cyclic Patterns of Climate on Fluctuations in Tourism Demand: Evidence from Aruba. Journal of Tourism Research and Hospitality. 5(3), 1-10.
4. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., and Nijkamp, P. (2016). A two-way causal chain between tourism development and quality of life in a small island destination: An empirical analysis. Journal of Sustainable Tourism. 24(10), 1461-1479. **(SSCI-Tier one journal)**
5. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R. (2015). The link between money supply and tourism demand cycles: A case study of two Caribbean destinations. Journal of Travel Research, DOI: 10.1177/0047287515619695, 1-19. **(SSCI-Tier one journal)**
6. Oduber, M., **Ridderstaat, J.**, and Martens, P. (2015). The connection of vegetation with tourism development and economic growth: A case study for Aruba. Journal of Environmental Science and Engineering, 4, 420-431.
7. **Ridderstaat, J.**, and Nijkamp, P. (2015). Measuring pattern, amplitude and timing differences between monetary and non-monetary seasonal factors of tourism - The case of Aruba. Tourism Economics, 21(3), 501-526. **(SSCI-Journal)**
8. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., & Nijkamp, P. (2014). The tourism development-quality of life nexus in a small island destination. Journal of Travel Research, 1-16 (doi: 10.1177/0047287514532372). **(SSCI-Tier one journal)**
9. Oduber, M., **Ridderstaat, J.**, Martens, P. (2014). The bilateral relationship between tourism and dengue occurrence: Evidence from Aruba. Journal of Tourism and Hospitality Management, 2(6), 223-244.
10. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Oduber, M., Croes, R., Nijkamp, P. & Martens, P. (2014). Impacts of seasonal patterns of climate on recurrent fluctuations in tourism demand: Evidence from Aruba. Tourism Management, 41, 245-256. **(SSCI-Tier one journal)**
11. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., & Nijkamp, P. (2014). Modeling tourism development and long-run economic growth in Aruba. International Journal of Tourism Research. 16(5), 472-487. **(SSCI-Tier one journal)**
12. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., & Nijkamp, P. (2013). The force field of tourism: A conceptual framework on tourism development in relation to quality of life, external events and future challenges. Review of Economic Analysis, 5, pp. 1-24.
13. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., & Nijkamp, P. (2013). Tourism development, quality of life and exogenous shocks: A systematic analysis framework. International Journal of Society Systems Science, 5(4), 321-336.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

1. Croes, R., **Ridderstaat, J.**, van Niekerk, M., Connecting Quality of Life, Tourism Specialization, and Economic Growth in Small Island Destinations: The case of Malta (*submitted to Tourism Management*).
2. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., A multifactor nonlinear approach to understanding tourism demand seasonality: The case of US tourism demand for Aruba (submitted to Journal of Sustainable Tourism).
3. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Singh, D., DeMicco, F., A microeconomic dynamic approach to understanding the effects of market-based tourism demand on tourism-related health spending (submitted to Journal of Travel Research).

NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

1. Hassink, W., de Kort, R., & **Ridderstaat, J.** (2015). De Economische consequenties van de verdwijning van Natalee Holloway. *Me Judice*. May 30, 2015.
(<http://www.mejudice.nl/artikelen/detail/de-economische-consequenties-van-de-verdwijning-van-natalee-holloway>) (in Dutch).
2. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., & Nijkamp, P. (2013). Modelling tourism development and long-run economic growth in Aruba. Tinbergen Institute Discussion Paper 13-145/VIII.
3. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., & Nijkamp, P. (2013). Tourism development, quality of life and exogenous shocks. A systemic analysis framework. Research Memorandum 2013-22 Free University Amsterdam.
4. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, R., & Nijkamp, P. (2013). The Force field of tourism. *Research Memorandum 2013-6*. Free University Amsterdam.
5. **Ridderstaat, J.**, & Nijkamp, P. (2013). Measuring pattern, amplitude and timing differences between monetary and non-monetary seasonal factors of tourism-the case of Aruba. Tinbergen Institute Discussion Paper 13-116/VIII.
6. **Ridderstaat, J.** & W. Mosher (2010). The turnover tax and its Implications. (*Unpublished Report*).
7. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Croes, G., & Matos-Pereira, E. (2009). Measuring the core inflation: An exercise in determining the underlying inflation in Aruba (*Unpublished working paper*).
8. **Ridderstaat, J.** (2006). Recent developments in the Aruban real sector, and an outlook. *Quarterly Bulletin Central Bank of Aruba, 2006-II*, 31-59.
9. **Ridderstaat, J.** (2004). The economy of Aruba from a real sector perspective. *Quarterly Bulletin Central Bank of Aruba, 2004-II*, 32-54.
10. **Ridderstaat, J.** (2002). Aruba: Causes and effects of excessive immigration: Experiences from the past and policy options for the future. *Working Paper Central Bank of Aruba*.

11. **Ridderstaat, J.** (2002). The imported and domestic determinants of inflation in Aruba. *Working Paper Central Bank of Aruba.*
12. **Ridderstaat, J.** (2001). Core inflation in Aruba and the U.S.: A short-term comparative study. *Quarterly Bulletin Central Bank of Aruba, 2001-I*, 31-44.
13. **Ridderstaat, J.** (1998). Air Aruba: Herprivatisering of faillissement? Een onderzoek naar de toekomstperspectieven van Air Aruba. *Quarterly Bulletin Central Bank of Aruba, 1998-I*, 15-25 (in Dutch).

BOOKS

1. **Ridderstaat, J.** (2008). *The Lago Story, the Compelling Story of an Oil Company on the Island of Aruba*, Editorial Charuba: Oranjestad, Aruba.
2. **Ridderstaat, J.** (2015). *Studies on Determinants of Tourism Demand in a Small Island Destination: The Case of Aruba*. Ph.D. thesis, Editorial Charuba: Oranjestad, Aruba.

BOOK CHAPTERS

1. **Ridderstaat, J.**, Nijkamp, P. (2016). Small Island Destinations and International Tourism: Market concentration and distance vulnerabilities. In Ishihara, M., Hoshino, E., Fujita, Y., Self-determinable Development of Small Islands. Singapore: Springer.
2. Croes, R., **Ridderstaat, J.** (Forthcoming). Tourist motivation and demand for islands. In McLeod, M., Croes, R., *Tourism Management in Warm-water Island Destinations*. CABI Tourism Management and Research Series.

ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRY

1. Vanegas, M., **Ridderstaat, J.** (2015). Error correction model tourism. Encyclopedia of Tourism. https://link.springer.com/referenceworkentry/10.1007/978-3-319-01669-6_360-1

REFERREED CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

1. Croes, R. & **Ridderstaat, J.** (2017). The effects of business cycles on tourism demand flow in small island destinations. 6th IATE Conference, Rimini, Italy, 21-23 June 2017.
2. **Ridderstaat, J.** & Croes, R. (2016). Restraining Seasonality in SIDs. Presented during Tourism Naturally, Coastal and Mountain Systems Conference of the Colorado State University, Alghero, Italy, October 2-5, 2016.
3. **Ridderstaat, J.** & Croes, R. (2015). The connection between money supply and tourism

demand cycles: a case study of two Caribbean destinations. Presented during the 3rd World Research Summit for Tourism and Hospitality and 1st USA-China Tourism Research Summit: Transforming Partnerships. UCF Rosen College of Hospitality Management, Orlando, Florida, USA. December 15 – 19, 2015.

4. Croes, R. & **Ridderstaat, J.** (2013). Business cycles and tourism demand flows: an empirical assessment. 2nd World Research Summit for Tourism and Hospitality: Crossing the Bridge. UCF Rosen College of Hospitality Management, Orlando, Florida, USA. December 15 – 17, 2013.
5. **Ridderstaat, J.** & Nijkamp, P. (2013). Measuring pattern, amplitude and timing differences between monetary and non-monetary seasonal factors of tourism. Advanced Research Workshop in Tourism Economics (ARWTE). Portuguese Association for Tourism Research and Development. Coimbra, Portugal, June 6-7, 2013.

RESEARCH GRANTS

1. Project: (2017) Business Entrepreneurship in Latin America Conference. Role: Co-PI (**\$18,000 funded**)
2. **Ridderstaat, J.** (Principal Investigator) (2014). Assessing the relationship between tourism development and quality of life in Aruba, with economic development as a mediating factor. Aruba Tourism Authority (**\$3,500 funded**).

TEACHING

1. HFT4464 (Hospitality Financial Management)
2. HFT2401 (Hospitality Financial Accounting)

PARTICIPATION IN TEACHING-RELATED COURSE/SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS

1. 2017: Summer Faculty Development Conference with an accepted proposal
2. 2017: Workshop on the Theory of Planned behavior
3. 2016: Workshop on Case Studies
4. 2016: IDL6543 Online Course Development Certification

COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

1. 2017: Search committee for the Program Coordinator HS program and Senior Management in the Hospitality Services Department (Member)

2. 2017: Evaluation committee for the In-House Research Grant Application

JOURNAL REVIEWER

1. Tourism Management (recurring)
2. Tourism Management Perspectives (recurring)
3. Tourism Economics (incidental)
4. Journal of Worldwide Hospitality and Tourism Themes (incidental)
5. International Journal of Tourism Research (incidental)
6. International Journal of Scientific Research in Environmental Sciences (incidental)
7. International Journal of Hospitality Management (recurring)
8. Journal of Destination Marketing & Management (recurring)
9. Current Issues in Tourism (incidental)
10. International Journal of Contemporary Hospitality Management (recurring)

AFFILIATIONS

1. Member of the International Council on Hotel, Restaurant, and Institutional Organization (2017-present)
2. Member of the Association of Hospitality Management Educators (2017-present)