

maartje nevejan

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Summary

I would like to propose THE RIGHT TO CURIOSITY as a basic human right

Specialties

inquiries

Experience

Stichting Global Inside at Couscous Global

June 2008 - Present (8 months)

making a worldwide websitecommunity, through the responses I had on my series on Al Jazeera English in 2007.

Connecting youth through filmed debates in The Netherlands, China, USA, Africa and Indonesia.

6 recommendations available upon request

owner at Global Inside foundation/Couscous Global

2008 - Present (1 year)

Independent media productions at Maartje Nevejan Produkties

January 1999 - Present (10 years 1 month)

director documentary, tv programmes, mediaproductions, research, web contentprovider, speaker on conferences, giving workshops

1 recommendation available upon request

consultant at de Bouwmeester and Nieuw Akademia

2006 - 2007 (1 year)

media, Documentary series at Al Jazeera

2005 - 2007 (2 years)

Directing Couscous&Cola series part 1 and 2 at BNN

2004 - 2007 (3 years)

couscous&cola at IDTV

2004 - 2007 (3 years)

experimens-research director at Alles voor de kunsten

2005 - 2006 (1 year)

Virtual Faherlands at Viewpointproductions

2002 - 2003 (1 year)

documentary 59 minutes

14 stations at kro in collaboration with mattmo

1999 - 2000 (1 year)

documentary-series about the stations of the cross

15 episodes

actress at De Akteurs

1988 - 1998 (10 years)

Theaterschool in New York and Amsterdam

Acting as modern-classical actress with companies as Art&Pro, de Zaak, Persona, and owner of Theatercompany De Akteurs. Beginning to write and direct with De Akteurs.

teacher at amsterdamse toneelschool

1987 - 1987

Education

Stella Adler, New York

yes, acting, improvisation, 1981 - 1982

Amsterdamse Hogeschool voor de Kunsten

yes, acting

Honors and Awards

Emmy Award, nomination 2008

Zilver Zebra, best journalist production Netherlands 2005

Nomination Rose d'or, European tv programmes 2005

Nomination Tiestofestival Italy 2001

Gouden Kalf best actress Netherlands 1997

Interests

media

investing

teenagers

globalization

immigration

multi cultural issues

multi cultural identities

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7 people have recommended maartje

"Maartje Nevejan visualised the internal world of teenagers from both Dutch, Antillean and Marrocan backgrounds by sharp debates and fresh answers in her first TV series. Her camera followed preparations for the trip this group made to the new world, NYC and their visits with US youth in several suburbs. This is pioneering work since you rarely get such a view of their thoughts and nothing is steered or staged. I believe her work with Stichting Global Inside, in which she and her co-workers facilitate teenagers all around the world to comment on news headlines that go on in the world and what is important in their world, is truly a challenge. The kids are stimulated to catch their views on webcam and thus contribute to a global community in which you learn what daily struggles other kids have to deal with or what their POV is. Check out: <http://www.couscousglobal.com>"

— **Birgit Spoon**, *Dramaturg/ Trainer / Grant Writer, Self-employed*, was with another company when working with maartje at Couscous Global

"Maartje Nevejan is the best !"

— **Rein Jansma**, *Architect, Zwarts & Jansma Architecten*, was with another company when working with maartje at Couscous Global

"Maartje is a very special, very committed and dedicated person. When she works for a cause, she is all over it. When she wants something to be done, it will be done! I love her for all of that, as well as for her laughs. Nelsje"

— **Nelsje Musch-Elzinga**, *executive producer, IDTV*, worked directly with maartje at Couscous Global

"Couscousglobal is the only web initiative I know with global aspirations on a personal scale. It's all on: tell me a story, more than tell me what your fav's are or c me acting wicked. And yeah it's not pretentious and has the confidence to grow slowly...me like :)"

— **Marieke Hermans**, *Creative producer, editor, RVU, Educational Broadcaster The Netherlands*, was with another company when working with maartje at Couscous Global

"Maartje Nevejan is a creative and innovative artist, actress, and filmmaker. She uses her talents for subjects that need more attention of public and politicians. She is a great advocate of female

leadership."

— **Wessel Ganzevoort**, *professor, University of Amsterdam*, was with another company when working with maartje at Couscous Global

"Maartje Nevejan is very committed to opening up dialogue and debate among young people with various backgrounds. In the Netherlands she did some outstanding work, and it appears that she'll take this successfully to an international level."

— **Mark Furstner**, *Legal Affairs, BNN*, was with another company when working with maartje at Couscous Global

"Maartje is extremely creative, broad-thinking and fearless."

— **Rogério Lira**, *Partner / Designer, Airplant*, managed maartje at Maartje Nevejan Produkties

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