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## TEACHER TRAINER AND COACH

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### PROFILE

Marcel van Herpen (1967) works for the Centre Pedagogical Contact in the Netherlands.

He is teacher trainer, coach and guide to routes of innovation for education, government and business communities.

He studied Pedagogical education, Education for children with special needs, NLP an Feuerstein.

In 1990 he started the first school for Experiential Education 'Uilenspiegel' in Boekel (the Netherlands).

He worked together with the University of Leuven (Belgium) in the centre for Experiential Education with prof. Laevers on a several projects.

He is one of the founders of the 'Nivoz' (Dutch institute for education and upbringing).

He is the founder (1995) and general editor of the journal 'Egoscoop'.

He is the author of the publications: 'Ik, de leraar', 'Wij, de leraar', 'Wij zijn Leiders', 'Ik, de coach', 'Duurzaam Opvoeden en Ontwikkelen' and 'ErvaningsGericht Onderwijs; van oriëntatie tot implementatie'.

He is author of a lot of columns and articles.

He gave more than 2.000 lectures about a lot of education subjects: "Developments in the educational world", "Wellbeing and Involvement, the criteria for successful development", "Life lessons and solidarity", etc. in the Netherlands, Belgium, Germany, Spain, Portugal, Suriname, Japan, St. Maarten and Curacao.

He visited more than 20 countries to study educational practices.

He is founder (1995) of the foundation of Experiential education St. Maarten (Caribbean) where he trained schools and developed a model for education and police (prevention delinquent behaviour) for the Caribbean.