

Roeland Golterman - Master in Law – A brief biography



Roeland Golterman was born in Amsterdam, Netherlands and, after attending the Vossius Gymnasium Grammar School, he first studied Biology and thereafter Law Studies in Leiden in The Netherlands. Roeland is Master of Trade Law and Comparative Law of the Sea.

For some 25 years - from 1984 until 2009 - Roeland was admitted to the Rotterdam Bar as solicitor and barrister with a specialization in shipping and transportation law. In the later years of his practice he was a partner in a boutique sized law firm specialized in shipping and transportation law. From 2009 until today, Roeland is Senior Freelance Legal Counsel.

Roeland's professional career and experiences can be briefly summarized as follows:

- Until 2009, Roeland was providing legal advice and involved in litigation, especially as a litigation lawyer in Maritime, Trade and Corporate matters. He also assisted in mergers and acquisitions of Port related companies.
- As from 2009 until today he has been providing legal advice to the Maritime, Trade and Corporate community in The Netherlands and Belgium.
- Roeland was Member of the Dutch Specialist transportation Law Advocates until May 2009 and the Dutch Association for Sea and Transport Law. He also was Member of TAMARA (Transport and Maritime Arbitration Rotterdam/Amsterdam).
- From May 2011 until today Roeland is Freelance Legal Counsel for Deltacarriers, Monaco, shipowners and the related management office J Bekkers, Rotterdam, the Netherlands.
- From September 2011 until today Roeland is Freelance legal Counsel for Hudig & Veder (P&I) BV, Rotterdam, a P&I Club representative for various P&I Clubs.

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