**Ivo Boers**

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**MA Studies**

Year of obtaining the MA degree: 2020

Discipline(s): Latin American Studies, Language Variation and Bilingualism

Issuing Institution: Leiden University, Faculty of Humanities

**Further Studies and Qualifications**

Leiden University – BA Linguistics, Comparative Indo-European Linguistics – 2018

**Employment**

Current Employer: Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church in Hungary

Faculty: Faculty of Humanities

Institute: Germanic languages & cultures

Department: Dutch studies

Current Position(s): native lector

Previous Employer: Leiden University Centre for Linguistics (LUCL)

Previous Position Held: Research and Education Staff Member (Onderzoeks- en Onderwijsmedewerker)

**Areas of research and teaching**

bilingualism and multilingualism

language variation and change

code-switching

Dutch as a heritage language

language acquisition

**Membership in research groups and projects**

2021-present: Leiden European City of Science: ‘Een verhaal in een andere taal’.

2020-2021: EUniWell - Multilingualism for social inclusion in the European classroom (Leiden University, in cooperation with the universities of Cologne, Florence, and Birmingham).

2019-present: HERLING (Research Lab for the Study of Heritage Language of the Netherlands, Leiden University)

**Reviewing and editing**

2021-present: Editorial Assistant at Current Issues in Bilingualism (CIB).

2020-present: Reviewer at LingUU Journal, Utrecht University.

**Language skills**

Dutch: native

English: C2

Portuguese: C1

German: B2/C1

French: B2/C1

Papiamento: B2/C1

**Publications**

Peer-reviewed articles

Greidanus Romaneli, M., Boers, I. H. G., Parafita Couto, M. C. (2021). Gender in Dutch/Portuguese code-switching: a multimethodological approach. *Belgian Journal of Linguistics, 35*, 134-85. https://benjamins.com/catalog/bjl.00067.gre

Boers, I. H. G., Sterken, B., Van Osch, B., Parafita Couto, M., Grijzenhout, J., Tat, D. (2020). Gender in Unilingual and Mixed Speech of Spanish Heritage Speakers in the Netherlands. *Languages, 5*(4), 68 (35 pages). doi:10.3390/languages5040068

Book chapter

Van Osch, B., Boers, I. H. G., Grijzenhout, J., Parafita Couto, M., Sterken, B., Tat, D. (2022). Cross-linguistic influence in bilingual grammars: evidence from gender assignment in unilingual Dutch and mixed speech. In D. Ayoun (Ed.), *The acquisition of gender*, pp. 209-42. John Benjamins. https://benjamins.com/catalog/sibil.63.09van

**Organisation of conferences**

Student Conference in Latin American Studies (ScoLAS) 2019, 2nd edition, Leiden University.

**Academic and public appearances**

Academic conference presentations

Boers, I. H. G. (2019). Variação Morfossintática no Holandês como Língua de Herança no Paraná. Oral presentation at *Seminário Integrado de Pesquisas em Linguística (SINPEL)*, 18-20 November 2019, Florianópolis.

Boers, I. H. G. & Kaykaç, S. (2019). Heritage Languages Compared: Turkish, Papiamentu and Spanish in the Netherlands. Poster presentation at *Final conference of the third edition of the Research Traineeship Programme*, 6 September 2019, Leiden.

Boers, I. H. G. (2019). Dutch as a Heritage Language: A morphosyntactic comparison between Dutch-Portuguese and Dutch-English bilinguals. Poster presentation at *Conference on Multilingualism*, 1-3 September 2019, Leiden.

Boers, I. H. G. (2019). A Linguistic Analysis of Dutch as a heritage language in Paraná, Brazil. Oral presentation at *Student Conference in Latin American Studies (ScoLAS)*, 19 June 2019, Leiden.

Boers, I. H. G. (2018). African Influences on Brazilian Portuguese Syllable Structure. Oral presentation at *Student Conference in Latin American Studies (ScoLAS)*, 20 June 2018, Leiden.

Public presentations

Boers, I. H. G. & Królikowska, M. (2020). *Living la vida loca: Language Mixing in Latin America*. 16 January 2020, Pax Christi College, Druten (guest lecture for ICLON).

Boers, I. H. G. & Romaneli, M. (2019). *Brasilandees: Een gesprek over het Nederlands van de kolonies (en het belang daarvan)*, 11/15/16 November, Associação Cultural Brasil – Holanda in Arapoti, Castrolanda, Carambeí.

Public outreach

Article: Boers, I. H. G. & Greidanus Romaneli, M. (2020). *Tweetaligheid*. De Regenboog / Arco-Íris, 250, p. 24. Carambeí: Associação Cultural Brasil – Holanda.

Interview: Leids Taalonderzoek ‘Codeswitching’ (2019, 16 August). Antilliaans Dagblad. <https://antilliaansdagblad.com/nieuws-menu/19968-leids-taalonderzoek-codeswitching>

Interview: Stapelbroek, R. (2019). *Migratie en Herinnering*. De Regenboog / Arco-Íris, 238, p. 39. Carambeí: Associação Cultural Brasil – Holanda.