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## CURRICULUM VITAE

In Marten his opinion architecture continuously combines three themes: logic, beauty and society. This is the core of his profession and this reflects how the office approaches each project. Corporate social responsibility drives excellent architecture.

With a comprehensive vision and decades of expertise, Benthem Crouwel Architects is particularly experienced in solving complex problems. Inspired and challenged by stakeholders in the projects that we engage in, Benthem Crouwel excels and creates added value. Marten's own multinational background and experience gives him a broad and unbiased view of an assignment. Benthem Crouwel gets to the bottom of any challenge in order to get to the very essence of the project.

The unique selling point of Benthem Crouwel Architects is that they offer beautiful, simple and comfortable solutions to complex issues. They do this by listening very carefully to our intuition and by following the interests of the stakeholders involved. A typical Benthem Crouwel building is surprisingly pragmatic.

Marten studied at the Faculties of Architecture at both Delft University of Technology, the Netherlands and Leibniz University of Hannover, Germany, from which he graduated. Marten joined Benthem Crouwel Architects in 1997 and in 2005 became partner in the firm. Since 2011 he has also been working as a project architect on airport projects at Benthem Crouwel NACO, The Hague, the Netherlands.

Due to his own multinational background, Marten has been involved in most of the firm's international projects. He has been the responsible project architect for a large number of urban, infrastructural, public and commercial projects of significant size and complexity, such as the landmark Las Palmas mixed-use building (Rotterdam), the North/South metro line (Amsterdam). In 2008 till 2011, he was appointed Advisor for the Integral Quality of the Public Realm to the Municipality of Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Marten is point of contact for corporate social responsibility. Benthem Crouwel Architects are participant in the Dutch Green Building Council (DGBC) and member of the German Sustainable Building Council (DGNB) and partner at MVO Nederland.

Marten Wassmann is a Registered Architect at the Dutch Architects Register (SBA) and a member of the Royal Institute of Dutch Architects (bna) and a chartered architect at the AKNW, Düsseldorf, Germany.

Marten has regularly given public lectures in the Netherlands and abroad. He has been speaking in Hong Kong and Beijing (China), Paris (France), Rome (Italy), Cologne, Trier, Wuppertal, Stuttgart and Darmstadt (Germany), Zurich and Bern (Switzerland) as well as Innsbruck and Vienna (Austria), Lund (Sweden) and also Oslo (Norway) among others.