

# Rick Geling

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## EDUCATION

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- **Pre-MSc. Econometrics and Operations Research** **Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam**  
*2022 - Present*  
*Full-time*
  - Tailormade Pre-MSc. consisting of 31 ECTS.
- **BSc. Applied Physics** **Rijksuniversiteit Groningen**  
*2018 - Present*  
*Full-time*
  - GPA: 7.5;
  - Amongst the top 10% of the class of 2018;
  - Thesis: 'Energy management optimization for a solar electric vehicle' (grade: 9);
  - Associations: G.S.R. Aegir, Tennisclub Albertus Magnus (TAM), G.S.A.V.V. Forward;
  - Committees: Acquisition Committee (TAM), Tennissupporters Committee (TAM).
- **VWO, Nature and Technology Profile** **OSG Winkler Prins**  
*2012 - 2018*  
*Full-time*
  - GPA: 7.5;
  - Socrates Certificate: amongst the 10% best performing students;
  - World School: worked on purifying water solutions for a village in Benin;
  - Part of the Student Council.

## EXPERIENCE

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- **Board Member - Treasurer & Secretary** **Stichting Expedition Strategy**  
*Mar 2022 - Present*  
*8 hours/week*
  - Responsible for organizing a four-day event connecting the best students of the University of Groningen with top firms in the field of Strategy Consultancy.
- **Member of the Supervisory Board** **Stichting Solar Racing Groningen**  
*Nov 2022 - Present*  
*10 hours/week*
  - Responsible for maintaining the continuity of the Top Dutch Solar Racing Project, overseeing the finances, knowledge retention as well as setting up, advising and supervising Team 2023.
- **Race Strategist & Race Lead** **Top Dutch Solar Racing**  
*Jul 2020 - Feb 2022*  
*50 hours/week*
  - **Race Strategist:** Successfully built a computer simulation model that used evolutionary computing, physics and live data to predict the optimal driving speed;
  - **Race Lead:** Led the Top Dutch Solar Racing team to 4th place during the 2021 Solar Challenge Morocco. My main tasks included directing the team and making final decisions during the race.
- **Teaching Assistant** **Rijksuniversiteit Groningen**  
*Aug 2019 - Present*  
*4-12 hours/week*
  - Providing practicals for the Master's course: 'Introduction to MATLAB programming for Biomedical Engineering';
  - Gave tutorials for the Bachelor's course: 'Physics Laboratory 1: Data and error analysis'.
- **Finance Administrator** **Geling Plants**  
*Feb 2018 - Sep 2022*  
*8 hours/week*
  - Worked on, amongst others, creating invoices, cash flow analysis, budgeting and asset analysis.

## SKILLS & INTERESTS

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- **Languages:** Dutch (native), English (professional), German (conversational), French (conversational).
- **Software Tools:** MATLAB, Python, R, C, Excel, PowerPoint, LaTeX, Snelstart, Visma;
- **General Skills:** Analytical, Solution-oriented, Stress Resistant, Mathematical Modeling, Data Analysis.
- **Interests:** Tennis, Programming, Culture, Financial Markets, Climate.