

# Participant info: Bart Jacobs

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**Nijmegen bridge**  
the last one, before the  
“bridge too far”



## Who is this guy?

- ▶ Professor at Nijmegen (NL), in computer security
  - studied mathematics & philosophy
- ▶ doing a mix of theoretical and practical work: e.g. both
  - quantum security, via ERC Advanced Grant
  - attribute-based authentication, see [irmacard.org](http://irmacard.org)
- ▶ focus on protection & abuse of ICT
- ▶ security research with societal relevance, eg. in **e-passports, voting, road pricing, smart meters, e-ticketing, privacy**
- ▶ regular role in media on security/privacy/intelligence issues, and occasionally in parliamentary expert meetings
- ▶ member of the Cyber Security Board in NL, but also of the Advise Board of Bits of Freedom, and Expert Board of Independent Intelligence supervision committee
- ▶ recent interests in privacy-friendly and secure personalised medicine, including self-measurement devices

