



Luc VANDEPUTTE
Deputy Secretary General
CD&V, Belgium

Education and Training

- Masters Degree in Translation, Katholieke Vlaamse Hogeschool Antwerp
- Laureate Business Management in the Non Profit Sector, Post University Degree , University Limburg
- Laureate Political Academy, Institute for Political Training (Flemish Christian Democrats)

Professional History

- 1982-1983 : Interpreter at the Belgian Military Liaison Service, Bonn-Bad Godesberg, Germany
- 1983-1984 : Staff Member Association of Christian Employers and Business Executives Limburg (VKW Limburg)
- 1984-1988 : Political Adviser to National President of the Flemish Christian Democrats Frank Swaelen
- 1989-1990 : Head of Cabinet of the Mayor of the city of Hasselt Louis Roppe
- 1990-1995 : Secretary General of the Flemish Christian Democrats in the Province Limburg
- 1995-1996 : Spokesman of the Belgian Minister of Small and Medium Enterprises Karel Pinxten
- 1996-2004 : Director TV-Limburg and Managing Director Regionale TVMedia (RTVM), Network of Regional TV-channels in Flanders, Belgium
- 2004- present : Deputy Secretary General European People's Party

Political Activities

- Former local President Young Flemish Christian Democrats Hasselt (CVP)
- Former local Vice President Flemish Christian Democrats Hasselt (CVP)
- Former President Young Flemish Christian Democrats Province of Limburg (CVP)
- Former Member CDE-Committee Limburg (Christian Democrats Europe)
- Member Political Assembly Flemish Christian Democrats (CD&V) Province of Limburg, since 1987
- Member Political Assembly Flemish Christian Democrats (CD&V) Hasselt, since 1985
- Member General Assembly Flemish Christian Democrats (CD&V), since 2004
- Member International Board Robert Schuman Institute, Budapest, since 2006
- Member Presidency SME Union (Small and Medium Sized Enterprises Union, 2006-2009)

Languages

- Mother tongue : Dutch
- Other languages :
 - English (fluent)
 - French (fluent)
 - German (fluent)
 - Russian (good knowledge)