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Antoine van Kampen (born Tilburg, the Netherlands in 1967, PhD in 1997 at University of Nijmegen, in The Netherlands) is a chemometrician who moved to bioinformatics in 1997. He is group leader of the Bioinformatics Laboratory (www.bioinformaticslaboratory.nl) that is located at the Academic Medical Center (AMC, Amsterdam) and at the Biosystems Data Analysis group (Swammerdam Institute for Life Sciences, UvA). He holds the chair 'Biological and Biomedical Information Science' with a special focus on Medical Bioinformatics. His group is engaged in broad range of research, support projects and teaching. The main research lines comprise (a) Systems Genomics, (b) Semantic Biosystems, (c) e-Bioscience and (d) OMICS data analysis (i.e., Next Generation Sequencing, microarrays, lipidomics). He was Scientific Director of the Netherlands Bioinformatics Center from 2006-2010.

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