

## **Mr. A. Rony DOEDIJNS,**



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### *FCI All Breeds*

Rony has been involved in the Dog World for about 29 years. His own breeds are Finnish Spitz and Tibetan Terriers. When he was 15 years old, he received from his parents his first pedigree dog. This was a Finnish Spitz male puppy bred in Holland. He started showing him and he always say that his first Finnish Spitz was responsible for involving him so deeply in the Dog World. As a junior he won many BOB's and was also very successful in the Group. He was often selected under specialist judges from Scandinavia as the Best Of Group.

As time went by, he imported a Finnish Spitz bitch from Finland and during the following years he imported several Finnish Spitzes from their country of origin, Finland. He owned or bred several Finnish Spitzes, which became Dutch and international champions, European champions and FCI World champions. In May 2007, he was appointed by the Dutch Kennel Club as the third all-rounder in the Netherlands, and allowed to judge all breeds at championship show level. He has judged Best in Show at international level in the Netherlands and abroad. In 2008, he judged BIS at the Dog of the Year show in the Netherlands, and has judged in most of the European countries, UK, Canada, Scandinavia, Asia, Russia and in the USA. For more than 29 years he has been a member of SCANDIA, which is the breed club for Scandinavian Spitz breeds in the Netherlands. Occasionally, he does the commentary at the main ring at dog shows in the Netherlands and is one of the commentators at the International Winner Show in Amsterdam. He was invited to judge and to do the commentary at the European Show in 2011.

In 2009, he was honoured to judge Best in Show at the Winner Show in Amsterdam, which is one of the biggest dog shows in Europe. Rony is a board member of the Royal Dutch Kennel Club Cynophilia and the chairman of the Amsterdam Winner Show, the biggest and oldest dog Show in the Netherlands. In the Netherlands he is the chairman of the Judges Subcommittee (VKK). This organization is a formal partner in monitoring the examination of dog show judges.