## **BIOGRAPHY Elies Lemkes-Straver (ZLTO)**

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## General director ZLTO

The Zuidelijke Land- en Tuinbouworganisatie (commonly known as ZLTO, <u>www.zlto.nl</u>) is a farmers association in the south part of The Netherlands. It has about 16.000 farmer members. ZLTO services farmers with their everyday farm management and guides farmers towards smart solutions, new business and innovative growth. Always with better welfare and welcare of farmer members at the front and the quality of everyday life in mind.

Mrs. Lemkes-Straver has developed and implements a new strategy and business model at ZLTO, and its corporate venture company NCB Participaties BV. She sets a new entrepreunerial role model in a strong cooperative agrifood cluster. From that perspective she puts farmers at the basis of a new agricultural era!

## List of secundary functions

- Member Board of Shareholders VION Food Group
- Member Board of Directors NHTV Breda
- Member Supervisory Board Stichting Biobased Delta
- Member Board of Directors BLSF (Brabant Life Sciences Seed Fund)
- Member Board of Directors Flight Forum BV
- Member Board of Directors Stichting Ondernemerslift+
- Member Board of Directors Stichting Philharmonie Zuid Nederland
- Member Board of Directors Stichting AgriFoodCapital
- Member Adivsory Board Kamer van Koophandel Zuid Nederland
- Member Commission Brainport 2020 AgriFood Capital
- Member Societal Advisory Board RIVM Milieu & Veiligheid
- Member Program Review Board Nijenrode Executive MBA Food & Finance

## List of side activities

- Director Koninklijke Hollandsche Maatschappij der Wetenschappen
- Member Rotary Club Eindhoven Central
- Member Lighthouse Club Eindhoven
- Member Ambassadors Board International Music Master Program Eindhoven Muziekgebouw