

## Georges LEEKENS

Manager of the Year in Belgium  
Head coach of the Belgium National team



### Personal data

Name	:	<b>LEEKENS</b>
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Date of birth	:	May 18 <sup>th</sup> , 1943
Cityzenhip	:	Belgian
Language	:	Dutch, French, English, German
Studies	:	Lic. Kinesiotherapy, Physiotherapy, Motoric Revalidation Master in Management and teambuilding
Book	:	"Winning with teambuilding" was published by G.Leekens and Roland Juchtmans

### As Head coach career

July 2012 – December 2012:	F.C BRUGES	DI	Belgium
2010-2012	:	<b>BELGIUM NATIONAL TEAM HEAD COACH</b>	
Players	:	E.Hazard (Chelsea) – V.Kompany (Manchester City) – M.Fellaini (Everton) – Vertonghe, Dembele (Tottenham) etc	
2009-2010	:	KV COURTRAI	DI Belgium
2009	:	AL HILAL RIYAD	DI Saudia Arabia
2007-2009	:	KSC LOKEREN	DI Belgium
2004-2007	:	AA GENT	DI Belgium
2003-2004	:	EXCELSIOR MOUSCRON	DI Belgium
2003	:	ALGERIA NATIONAL TEAM HEAD COACH	
2001-2002	:	RODA JC	Eerste Divisie Holland
1999-2001	:	KSC LOKEREN	DI Belgium
1997-1999	:	<b>BELGIUM NATIONAL TEAM HEAD COACH</b>	
World Cup 1998	:	WORLD CUP IN FRANCE	

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With Mr Bark BOUSSOUFA



F.C Bruges head coach

### As Head coach career

1995-1997	:	EXCELSIOR MOUSCRON	DI	Belgium
1993-1995	:	RSC CHARLEROI	DI	Belgium
1992-1993	:	TRABZONSPOR	DI	Turkey
1991-1992	:	F.C MALINES	DI	Belgium
1989-1991	:	F.C BRUGES	DI	Belgium
1988-1989	:	KV COURTRAI	DI	Belgium
1987-1988	:	RSC ANDERLECHT	DI	Belgium
1984-1987	:	CERCLES DE BRUGES	DI	Belgium

### Palmares

- 1984 – 1985 : Winner Belgian Cup (Beveren - CERCLE BRUGGE)
- 1985 - 1986 : Finalist Belgian Cup (Club Brugge - CERCLE BRUGGE)
- 1986 - 1987 : ½ Finalist Belgian Cup (CERCLE BRUGGE - F.C. Liège)
- 1987 - 1988 : Winner SuperCup (R.S.C. ANDERLECHT - K.V. Mechelen)
- 1989 - 1990 : **Champion of Belgium** (Club Brugge)
- 1990 – 1991 : **Winner SuperCup** (CLUB BRUGGE - F.C. Liège)
  - Winner Belgian Cup (CLUB BRUGGE - K.V. Mechelen)
- 1991 – 1992 : Qualification UEFA Cup Finalist Belgian Cup (K.V. Mechelen-Antwerp)
- 1992 - 1993 : Qualification UEFA CUP: Third place
  - **Winner SuperCup Turkey** (Fenerbağçe - TRABZONSPOR)
- 1993 - 1994 : Cercle Brugge November : 17th place
  - June : 10th place
- 1996 : Promotion from second to first division (R. E.Mouscron )
- January 1997 : **Qualification for the WORLD CUP '98 in France**
- June 1999 : **Winner of the KIRIN CUP (Japan - South Korea)**

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**Eden Hazard ( Chelsea ) with M.Leekens**



**Axel Witsel ( Zenith )**

### *Palmares*

- 1 September 1999 : Lokeren : 18th place
- June 2001 : Lokeren : 4th place
- 15 September 2001 : Roda JC : 18th place
- May 2002 : 12th place
  - 1/8 final of UEFA CUP after elimination of
  - REYCKJAVIK (3-1) and (0-1)
  - MACCABI TEL AVIV (4-1) and (2-1)
  - BORDEAUX (0-1) and (2-0)
  - AC MILAN (0-1) and (1-0)
- 2003 - 2004 : Royal Excelsior Mouscron
  - 4th Place
  - 1/2 final Belgian Cup
- 2004 - 2005 : KAA Gent : 7th Place
- 2005 - 2006 : KAA Gent : 4th Place
- 2006 - 2007 : KAA Gent :
  - 4th Place
  - 1/2 final Belgian Cup
- 2009 - 2010 : KV Kortrijk:
  - 4th Place
  - Play offs 1
- 2010 - 2012 : Coach and Sports director of the Belgium National Team
  - Builder of probably the best A-National Team of Belgium ever!

### **Coach of the year in Belgium**

- 1986 : 2nd place
- 1987 : 3d place
- 1990 : FIRST place
- 1997 : 2nd place
- 2005 : 3d place
- 2007 : 2nd place
- 2010 : 2nd place

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### ***As football player***

- 350 games in DI
- 40 European games

5 x Champion of Belgium with F.C Bruges  
2 x Winner of the Belgium Cup  
2 x Finalist of the Belgium Cup

#### **Champion's League 1977-1978**

1/4 Finalist Real Madrid – F.C Bruges ( 0-0 & 0-2 )  
½ Finalist Juventus – F.C Bruges ( 1-0 & 0-2 )

**Final in Wembley : Liverpool – F.C Bruges 1-0**

#### **UEFA Cup 1975-1976**

**Final : Liverpool – F.C Bruges 3-2**

#### **UEFA Cup 1976-1977**

**Final : F.C Bruges – Monchengladbach 2-3**

#### **Belgium National team**

16 full caps – 3 goals