

### **Biography Mr Dirk de Waele**

Dirk de Waele is Attorney-General at the Court of Appeal in Antwerp, Belgium, where he is responsible for, inter alia, the Youth Chamber. Furthermore, he is a member of the Expert Network of Juvenile Protection at the Board of Procurators General in Belgium, and teaches, inter alia, Juvenile Protection at the Police Academy in Antwerp and the Criminal Investigation Academy in Brussels.