



# Irène Gijbels

---

**Irène Gijbels** is a mathematical statistician at KU Leuven in Belgium,<sup>[1]</sup> and an expert on nonparametric statistics. She has also collaborated with TopSportLab, a KU Leuven spin-off, on software for risk assessment of sports injuries.<sup>[2]</sup>



Irène Gijbels

## Education and career

---

Gijbels earned her Ph.D. in 1990 from Limburgs Universitair Centrum. Her dissertation, supervised by Noël Veraverbeke, was *Asymptotic Representations under Random Censoring*.<sup>[3]</sup>

She joined KU Leuven after postdoctoral research as a Fulbright scholar at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and the Mathematical Sciences Research Institute.<sup>[4]</sup>

## Book

---

With Jianqing Fan, Gijbels is the author of *Local Polynomial Modelling and Its Applications* (CRC Press, 1996).<sup>[5]</sup>

## Recognition

---

Gijbels is an elected member of the International Statistical Institute and the Royal Flemish Academy of Belgium for Science and the Arts, and a fellow of the American Statistical Association and the Institute of Mathematical Statistics.<sup>[4][6]</sup>

## References

---

1. "Irène Gijbels" (<https://www.kuleuven.be/wieiswie/en/person/00046438>), KU Leuven Who's Who, retrieved 2017-10-29
2. TopSportLab improves performance for professional sports people (<https://ird.kuleuven.be/en/sipinoff/cases/topsportlab-improves-performance-for-professional-sports-people>), KU Leuven, retrieved 2017-10-29
3. Irène Gijbels (<https://mathgenealogy.org/id.php?id=80174>) at the Mathematics Genealogy Project
4. "Speaker biography" (<http://sasa2016uct.wixsite.com/conference/workshop-1>), 58th Conference of the South African Statistical Association, retrieved 2017-10-29
5. Reviews of *Local Polynomial Modelling and Its Applications*: Theo Gasser (1997), Mathematical Reviews, MR1383587 (<https://mathscinet.ams.org/mathscinet-getitem?mr=1383587>); Hans-Georg Müller (June 1998), Journal of the American Statistical Association 93 (442): 835–836, doi:10.2307/2670134 (<https://doi.org/10.2307%2F2670134>).

6. [Irène Gijbels opgenomen als lid van de KVAB](https://wis.kuleuven.be/news/old-news/2016/irene-gijbels-opgenomen-in-de-kvab-koninklijke-vlaamse-academie-van-belgie-voor-wetenschappen-en-kunsten) (<https://wis.kuleuven.be/news/old-news/2016/irene-gijbels-opgenomen-in-de-kvab-koninklijke-vlaamse-academie-van-belgie-voor-wetenschappen-en-kunsten>), KU Leuven Department of Mathematics, 2016, retrieved 2017-10-29

## External links

---

- [Irène Gijbels](https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=DIK3tpwAAAAJ) (<https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=DIK3tpwAAAAJ>) publications indexed by Google Scholar
- 

Retrieved from "[https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Irène\\_Gijbels&oldid=1133042981](https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Irène_Gijbels&oldid=1133042981)"