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About Jan Jambon

Jan Jambon (°1960) studied at the Vrije Universiteit Brussel where he obtained a master's degree in Computer Science. He later received an MBA at the University of Antwerp.

After a successful career in the corporate world - with companies such as IBM, SD Worx and Bank Card Company - Jan Jambon switched to politics in 2007. Before that he was active within the Flemish People's Movement (VVB). In 2007, he became a member of the federal parliament, and in 2008 was elected party leader for the N-VA. Jan Jambon was Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Security and the Interior in the "Swedish" Michel I government. After the fall of the federal government at the end of 2018, he returned to the Chamber of Representatives. Jan Jambon has been Minister-President of Flanders since 2 October 2019.

He is also active in local politics. From 2007 to 2012, he served as an alderman for Finance and Local Economy in Brasschaat. He has been mayor of Brasschaat since 2013.

Jan has four children and five grandchildren. In his spare time he likes to go to the opera.

