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**EDUCATION**

**1974-1980** : Ecole Normale Supérieure Lettres (Paris)

**1976**: Master's degree in sociolinguistics (University Paris 7)

**1977**: Master's degree in social and cultural anthropology (University Paris 7)

**1981**: Ph. D in social and cultural anthropology (Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris)

**FIELDS OF RESEARCH**

Sociology of sexuality

Age and gender

Transition to adulthood, couple and the family

Trends in gender relations

Sexuality and gender in Latin America (Brazil, Chile, Mexico)

Methodology of research and surveys on sensitive issues

*Before 1990:*

Urban anthropology

Working-class culture

Sociability and masculinity

**PAST AND PRESENT POSITIONS AND RESPONSABILITIES IN RESEARCH**

- Researcher at Ined since 1983, directeur de recherche since 1993
- Head of the Department of Surveys at Ined (1992-1995)
- Member of the official French delegation at the UN World Conference on Women of Beijing (September 1995)
- Chairperson of the Scientific Board "Public Health, Human and Social sciences" at the National Agency for Aids Research (ANRS: Agence Nationale de Recherche sur le Sida) (1999-2003)
- Co-founder and coordinator of the Research Unit "Demography, gender and societies" at Ined (1999-2009)

- Editor-in-chief of the bilingual journal *Population*, from 2002 to 2008. Member of the editorial board from 1989 to 2001.
- Member of the advisory boards of the following journals: *Sociétés Contemporaines (France)*, *Actes de la Recherche en Sciences Sociales (France)*, *Genre Sexualité et Société (France)* *Physis (Brazil)*, *Sexualidad, Salud y Sociedad. Revista latinoamericana (Brazil)*, *Global Public Health (USA)*, *Análise social (Portugal)*. Membre of the editorial board of *Clio Femmes, genre, histoire* since 2012
- Member of the Medical and Scientific Board of Sidaction foundation (2003-2007)
- Co-founder and coordinator of the Research Network 28 “Social science research on sexuality” of the Association Française de Sociologie (2003-2013)
- Co-founder and Board member of the Institute Emilie du Chatelet, created “to develop and disseminate research on gender”, since 2006
- Member of the Council on Gender Equality, Prime Ministry (Observatoire de la Parité), from 2006 to 2009
- Co-director, with Nathalie Bajos, of the “Context of sexuality in France” survey, carried out in 2006
- Associate researcher at IRIS/Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales since 2010
- Member of the advisory board of the Institute of gender (GIS “Institut du genre”) since 2011; deputy head of the Institute of gender since 2016

## TEACHING

- Professor at the National School of Statistics and Economics (ENSAE, Paris): 1991-1995
- Associate professor at the Faculté de Sciences Sociales of the Université René Descartes-Sorbonne (Paris): 1990-1998
- Visiting professor at the Universidade Federal Fluminense de Rio de Janeiro (Brazil): July-August 1994
- Visiting professor at the Social Science Department of the Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro (Brazil): July-December 1997
- Visiting professor at the Social Medicine Institute of the Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro (Brazil): March-July 2002
- Visiting professor at the Centre for Advanced Studies of the Universidad de Cordoba (Argentina): June 2007
- Associate professor at the Institut d’Etudes Politiques (Paris): master’s degree in sociology “Trends in contemporary societies” (2001-2010)

- Associate professor at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en sciences sociales (Paris): section « Health, population and social policies » at EHESS's master's degree (2006-2008)
- Visiting professor at the Department of Psychology of the Catholic University of Santiago de Chile: November 2009
- Member of the Advisory board of the “Gender politics and sexuality” section at EHESS's master's degree, from 2010. Supervisor and associate professor
- Visiting professor at the Department of Anthropology of Santa Catarina State University, Florianopolis, Brazil: April 2011
- Is supervising 6 doctoral students at EHESS, Paris. Between 1999 and 2016, has been supervising or co-supervising twenty-one master's degree students and participated in 64 PhD thesis juries. Seven of his doctoral students defended their PhD

## Selection of publications

His full list of publications includes 373 items in February 2016.

This is a selection of his most significant work from 1990 on:

- «Finding a spouse. A survey of how French couples meet », *Population-English Selection n°1*, 1989, pp. 91-122 (with François Héran)
- «Women and the age gap between spouses. An accepted domination? » *Population, English Selection n°3*, 1991, pp.113-148
- «AIDS and Sexual Behaviour», *Nature*, n° 360, dec. 1992, pp. 407-409 (with ACSF group )
- *Sexuality and the social sciences. A French survey on sexual behaviour*, Aldershot, Dartmouth, 357 p., 1996 (Co-editor Henri Leridon)
- « Sexual initiation and gender in Europe : a cross cultural analysis of trends in the 20th century » in Michel Hubert, Nathalie Bajos, Theo Sandfort (dir.), *Sexual behaviour and HIV/AIDS in Europe*, London, UCL Press, «Social aspects of AIDS» series, 1998, pp. 37-67 (with Osmo Kontula)
- *La sexualité aux temps du sida*, Paris, Presses Universitaires de France, « Sociologie d'Aujourd'hui » series, 494 p., 1998 (with Nathalie Bajos, Alexis Ferrand, Alain Giami, Alfred Spira)
- *Actes de la Recherche en Sciences Sociales*, n°128, special issue « Sur la sexualité », under my direction, June 1999
- Anabella Arredondo, Eduardo Goldstein, Maria Pia Olivera, Michel Bozon, Michel Giraud, Antoine Messiah, (dir.), *Estudio Nacional de Comportamiento Sexual. Primeros Analisis. Chile 2000*, CONASIDA and ANRS, Santiago de Chile , 305 p., 2000

- « Iniciação sexual no Rio de Janeiro e em Paris », *Novos Estudos*, 59, marzo 2001, p.111-135 (with Maria-Luiza Heilborn)
- *Sociétés Contemporaines*, n°41-42, special issue « Les cadres sociaux de la sexualité », under my direction, October 2001
- « Sexuality, gender and the couple. A socio-historical perspective », *Annual Review of Sex Research*, vol.12, 2001, p.1-31
- *Sociologie de la sexualité*, Paris, Nathan, 2002 (translated in portuguese : *Sociologia da Sexualidade*, Rio de Janeiro, Ed. Fundação Getulio Vargas, 2004. Second revised edition in 2009, Armand Colin)
- *O aprendizado da sexualidade: um estudo sobre reprodução e trajetórias sociais de jovens brasileiros*, Rio de Janeiro, 2006, Editora Garamond et Fundação Oswaldo Cruz, 534 p. [Learning sexuality. A survey on reproduction and social trajectories of young Brazilians] (with Maria-Luiza Heilborn, Estela Aquino et Daniela Knauth)
- *La formation du couple*, Paris, 2006, La Découverte, Grands repères classiques, Textes essentiels pour la sociologie de la famille, 272 p. (with François Héran)
- *Sexualité, relations et prévention chez les homosexuels masculins. Un nouveau rapport au risque*, Paris, ANRS, 2007, Collection Sciences Sociales et Sida, 106p. (with Véronique Doré)
- « Les minorités sexuelles sont-elles l'avenir de l'humanité ? », in Descoutures V., Digoix M., Fassin E., Rault W., *Mariages et homosexualités dans le monde. L'arrangement des normes familiales*, Paris, Editions Autrement, Collection Mutations/Sexe en tous genres, 2008, p.190-202
- « Sexualité, prévention et rapports sociaux de sexe au fil de la vie », *Médecine/Sciences*, 24 (suppl. 2), special issue « Femmes et sida », mars 2008, (dir. Paicheler G. et Job-Spira N.), p.24-32. (with Nathalie Bajos, Nathalie Beltzer and CSF group)
- *Enquête sur la sexualité en France. Pratiques, genre et santé*, Paris, La Découverte, 609 p. (with Nathalie Bajos)
- «A Life Course Approach to Patterns and Trends in Modern Latin American Sexual Behavior », *Journal of AIDS (JAIDS)*, Volume 51, Supplement 1, May 1, 2009, S4-S12 (with Cecilia Gayet and Jaime Barrientos)
- « Changes in Sexual Behaviours : from Secular Trends to Public Health Policies », *AIDS*, 2010, 24 : 1185-1191 (with Nathalie Bajos, Nathalie Beltzer, Caroline Laborde, Kaye Wellings, CSF group)
- « De la sociabilité au genre et à la sexualité. Etapes d'un parcours sociologique », *Genre, sexualité, société*, 2010, N°4 (Interview by Marianne Blidon and Jean-Baptiste Coulmont)
- « Autonomie sexuelle des jeunes et panique morale des adultes. Le garçon sans frein et la fille responsable », *Agora Débats-Jeunesses*, N°60, 2012 (1), p.121-134

- « Les transformations de la vie sexuelle après cinquante ans : un vieillissement genré », *Genre, sexualité & société* [On line], n°6 | Autumn 2011, 1st december 2011, URL : <http://gss.revues.org/index2165.html> . Also published in the journal *Gérontologie et société*, N°140, 2012, special issue on « Corps, désirs, sexualités », p. 95-104 (with Nathalie Bajos)
- « From Sexual Debut to First Union. Where do young people in France meet their first partners? », *Population-E*, 2012, 67 (3) (with Wilfried Rault)
- *Sexuality in France. Practices, gender and health*, 2012, Oxford, The Bardwell Press (with Nathalie Bajos)
- *Au bazar du genre. Féminin masculin en Méditerranée*, Paris, 2013, Textuels/Mucem (with Denis Chevallier, Michelle Perrot, Florence Rochefort)
- « Pourquoi sexualité et égalité ne font pas si bon ménage » in Laurie Laufer, Florence Rochefort, dir, *Qu'est-ce que le genre ?*, Paris, Payot, 2014, Petite bibliothèque Payot, p.173-18
- Special issue of *Clio Femmes Genre Histoire*, « Age and sexuality», N°42, 2015 (with Juliette Rennes)
- « Histoire des normes sexuelles : l'emprise de l'âge et du genre », *Clio Femmes Genre Histoire*, N°42, 2015, p.7-23 (with Juliette Rennes)
- « Définir la prostitution ou l'illusion du plus vieux métier du monde », in *Prostitutions. Des représentations aveuglantes*, Paris, Musée d'Orsay-Flammarion, p.10-21, 2015
- *Pratique de l'amour. Le plaisir et l'inquiétude*, Paris, Payot, 2016