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## CURRENT POSITION

**Professor** at Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales (EHESS, Post graduate School for Social Sciences, Paris), “Asian capitalisms” chair (tenure position). Since September 2016.

**President** of Fondation France-Japon de l’EHESS (EHESS Paris 日仏財団 ; <http://ffj.ehess.fr/>). Since October 2009.

**Visiting Research Fellow** at the German Institute for Japanese Studies (DIJ, Tokyo)

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## PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2013-2017	CNRS	Director of GIS Asie and of Réseau Asie (Consortium established by CNRS to coordinate Asian Studies in France)
2005-2016	EHESS	Associate Professor
2017-2018	Doshisha University	Visiting Professor
2013	Kyoto University, KIER	Visiting researcher
2007-2008	Hitotsubashi University, Institute for Economic Research (IER)	Visiting Researcher
2006	Tokyo University, Faculty of Economics	Researcher on firms’ productivity dispersion
2005-2008	Maison Franco-Japonaise, Tokyo	Visiting Researcher
2004-2005	Sciences Po (School of Political Science), ENSAE (National School of Statistics) and INALCO (University of Asian Languages), Paris	Research on the reform of the research and innovation policy in Japan
2004-2005	Tokyo University, Faculty of Economics	Researcher
2001-2004	IRES (Research Institute, Think Tank of French Labour Unions)	Lecturer
2002	Institute of Social Science (Tokyo University) and Maison franco-japonaise (nichi futsu kaikan), Tokyo	Lectures on the Japanese Economy
2002	Institut franco-japonais (nichi futsu gakuin), Tokyo	Visiting Researcher
2001	Japan Institute of Labour (Ministry of Labour) and Waseda university, Tokyo	Research on the macro and sectoral aspects of the Japanese crisis
1999-2000	French Embassy in Japan (Tokyo)	Consultant
1998-1999	University Paris I (Sorbonne)	Realization of an annual report on the current evolutions of the labor market and the human resource management in Japan
1997-1998	CEPII (Center for International Studies, forecasts and Information)	Visiting Researcher
		Research on unemployment inequalities
		Assistant professor
		Lecture on “French Unemployment”
		Visiting researcher
		Report on the Current Restructuring in the Electrical Machinery Sector and Employment Adjustment in Japan
		Cultural attaché, in charge of promotion of French books and publishers
		Teaching assistant of Economics
		Microeconomics and Introduction to the economic analysis
		Consultant
		Contribution to the report for the French Senate on “European labor markets and the EMU”

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## EDUCATION

- **Habilitation à diriger les recherches** at University Paris 1 under the supervision of Pr. Bruno Amable (University Paris 1): *Institutional changes, industrial dynamics and inequalities: the Japanese case*. Members of the committee : Philippe Askenazy (CNRS), Jérôme Bourdieu (INRA & EHESS), Jérôme Gautié (Paris 1), Jean-François Huchet (INALCO), Arthur Stockwin (Oxford University), February 2013.
- **Ph.D. of Economics** at EHESS under the supervision of Pr. Robert Boyer (EHESS - CEPREMAP): “The ‘Resegmentation’ of the Japanese Labor Market since the beginning of the 1990s: Employment Security Inequalities, Heterogeneity of Firms and Financial Factors”. *Summa cum laude*, December 2003.
- **Masters of Economics** (DELTA-EHESS). Director: Pr. Robert Boyer. Thesis: “The effects of demand fluctuations on long-term growth”. *Magna cum laude* (First position of graduating class), June 1997.
- **Graduate studies in Economics and in History** at University Paris I (Sorbonne). *Magna cum laude*, 1994-1996.
- **Undergraduate studies in Liberal Arts and Social Sciences** at lycée Henri IV (Paris), equivalent to top IV Universities in the US, 1991-1994.

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## EXPERTISE

- Innovation & industrial economics: firms’ strategies, public policies, firms-universities collaborations, emergence of new industries, determinants of firms’ performance
- Labor economics
- Inequalities & welfare in Asia
- Political economy: diversity of capitalisms and institutional change
- Japanese & Korean economies

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## CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

- “Care-led innovation: the case of eldercare in Japan and in France”: principal investigator of the INNOVCARE project, funded by France 2030 over the period 2024-2028  
<https://innovcare.hypotheses.org/>
- Investigating the impact of new technologies on labor and work

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## PUBLICATIONS

### Books

*Innovation beyond technology: Science for society and interdisciplinary approaches*, Springer, 2019  
*Lessons from the Japanese experience. Towards an alternative economic policy?*, (with B. Monfort)  
Opuscules du CEPREMAP, Editions ENS rue d'Ulm, April 2016 (in French).

*The great transformation of Japanese capitalism*, Routledge, Feb. 2014 (French version published from Presses de Sciences Po in 2011; Japanese version (「日本資本主義の大転換」) from Iwanami Shoten, Dec. 2015).

“Will Toyota Save Japan (and the World...)?”, HEC Eurasia Institute, 2005. In French.

### Articles in Refereed Journals

Lechevalier, S., & Shibata, S. (2024). “The contribution of digitalization to non-inclusive growth in Japan. A Régulationist perspective on post-industrial dynamics” (with S. Shibata), *Competition & Change*, <https://doi.org/10.1177/10245294241289585>.

“‘Social’ robot and social relations in care settings: Undefined positionality and fixed temporality” (with Y. Tamaki Welply), *Technology in Society*, June 2024, vol. 77, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.techsoc.2024.102559>

“Society 5.0 & new capitalism: complementarities and contradictions”, in Whittaker H. & Nakata Y. (eds) “Reforming capitalism, going digital and green: Does Japan hold answers?”, *Asia-Pacific Business Review*, 30 (3). <https://doi.org/10.1080/13602381.2024.2320538>

“Why do Redistributive Policies Differ across Countries? Analyzing the Multiple Dimensions of Preferences for Redistribution” (with R. Kambayashi), *The Review of Income and Wealth*, December 2022, 68 (4).

“Financialization and industrial policies in Japan and Korea: Evolving complementarities and loss of state capabilities” (with P. Debanes and W. Shin) in *Structural Change and Economic Dynamics* (Special Issue “Frontiers of industrial policy: structures, institutions, and policies”, co-edited by A. Andreoni, H.-J. Chang & R. Scazzieri), 2019, Volume 48: 69-85.

“Firm-Level Labor Demand for and Macroeconomic Increases in Non-Regular Workers in Japan” (with H. Teruyama & Y. Goto), *Japan & The World Economy*, Volume 48, December 2018.

“Abenomics: has it worked? Will it ultimately fail?” (with B. Monfort), *Japan Forum*, Volume 29, Issue 4, 2017.

“Japanese political economy revisited: diverse corporate change, institutional transformation, and Abenomics” (with D. Chiavacci) in *Japan Forum* (Special Issue co-edited by D. Chiavacci & S. Lechevalier), 2017, Volume 29, Issue 3: pp 299-311.

Co-Editor (with R. Boyer) of a special issue of *Revue de la régulation. Capitalisme, institutions, pouvoirs* on “Institutionalist Perspectives on China”, 2017, Issue 21.

Editor of a special issue of *Review of World Economics* on “Globalization and labor market outcomes: de-industrialization, job security, and wage inequalities”, 2015, Volume 151 (3).

“On the relations between institutions and economic performance. Some critical remarks and a proposition”, *Histoire et mesure*, 2015, Volume XXX (1) : pp 135-162. (in French)

“Diversity in patterns of industry evolution: how an “intrapreneurial” regime contributed to the emergence of the service robot industry in Japan” (with C. Storz & J. Nishimura) in *Research policy* (Special Section “The pathdependent dynamics of emergence and evolution of new industries”, co-edited with J. Krafft, F. Quatraro & C. Storz), 2014, Volume 43, Issue 10: 1716–1729.

“The pathdependent dynamics of emergence and evolution of new industries. An Introduction” (with J. Krafft, F. Quatraro & C. Storz) in *Research policy* (Special Section “The pathdependent dynamics of emergence and evolution of new industries”, co-edited with J. Krafft, F. Quatraro & C. Storz), 2014, Volume 43, Issue 10: 1663–1665.

Co-editor (with P. Debanes) of a special issue of *Critique Internationale* on “Towards a Revival of the Developmental State in Asia?”, April 2014, Volume 63.

Co-editor (with B. Amable, S. Casper & C. Storz) of a special issue of *Socio Economic Review* on “Bringing Asia into the Comparative Capitalism Perspective”, April 2013, Volume 11, issue 2.

“Wage and Productivity Differentials in Japan. The role of Labor Market Mechanisms” (with Y. Kalantzis, & R. Kambayashi), *Labour: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations*, 2012, Volume 26, Issue 4: 514-541.

“Investigating Collaborative R&D Using Patent Data: The Case Study of Robot Technology in Japan”, (with Y. Ikeda & J. Nishimura), *Managerial and Decision Economics*, 2011, Volume 32, Issue 5: 305-323.

“Sectoral Price Dynamics in Japan: A Threshold Approach” (with N. Canry & J. Fouquau), *Economics Bulletin*, 2011, Volume 31, Issue 2: 1322-1335.

“Inter-firm heterogeneity: nature, sources and consequences for industrial dynamics. An introduction” (with G. Dosi & A. Secchi), *Industrial and Corporate Change*, 2010, Volume 19, Issue 6: 1867–1890 (Special issue edited by G. Dosi, S. Lechevalier and A. Secchi).

“Why some firms persistently out-perform others? Investigating the interactions between innovation and exporting strategies” (with K. Ito), *Industrial and Corporate Change*, 2010, Volume 19, Issue 6: 1997–2039 (Special issue edited by G. Dosi, S. Lechevalier and A. Secchi).

“Price Dynamics in Japan (1981-2001): A Structural Analysis of Mechanisms in the Goods and Labor Markets” (with N. Canry & J. Fouquau), *Brussels Economic Review*, 2010, Volume 53, Issues 3-4: 357-376.

“The effect of participation in government consortia on the R&D productivity of firms: A case study of robot technology in Japan”, (with Y. Ikeda & J. Nishimura), *Economics of Innovation and New Technology*, 2010, Volume 19, Issue 8: 669–692.

“The Evolution of the Productivity Dispersion of Firms - A reevaluation of its determinants in the case of Japan”, (with K. Ito), *Review of World Economics*, 2009, Volume 145, Number 3: 405-429.

“The diversity of Capitalism and Heterogeneity of Firms – A Case Study of Japan during the Lost Decade”, *Evolutionary and Institutional Economic Review* 4 (1), Special Issue “The Evolution of Institutions and Organizations”, October 2007.

“The Inequalities between Men and Women in the Japanese Labour Market. A Regulationist Approach” (with M. Arai), *Economic Science (Keizai Kagaku)*, Vol.52 No.4, March 2005

“The Male / Female Inequality at the Roots of the Current Resegmentation of the Japanese Labor Market? Taking into Account Gender in the Analysis of the Toyotist Wage Labor Nexus” (with M. Arai), *Le Mouvement social*, 2005. In French.

“The Current Resegmentation of the Japanese Labor Market in Historical Perspective”, *CIPANGO*, n°10 (Spring 2003). In French.

#### Contributions to edited books

“The ‘Re-segmentation’ of the Japanese Labour Market: Investigating the Impact of Industrial Dynamics” in D. Chiavacci & C. Hommerich (ed.) *Social Inequality in Post-Growth Japan: Transformation during Economic and Demographic Stagnation*, Routledge, 2016.

“Nor a pure abstraction, neither a simple generalisation: Japanese lessons for a re-foundation of political economy”, in *Faire des Sciences Sociales (Volume 3: Généraliser)*, Editions de l’EHESS, 2012.

“The Japanese firm: from the analysis of a model to the understanding of its increasing heterogeneity”, in Michael Dietrich and Jackie Krafft (ed.), *Handbook on the Economics and Theory of the Firm*, Edward Elgar, 2012 (chapter 16, pp. 194-208).

“The Increasing Heterogeneity of Firms in Japanese Capitalism: Facts, Causes, Consequences and Implications”, in R. Boyer, A. Isogai & H. Uemura (edit.), *Diversity and Transformations of Asian Capitalisms*, Routledge, 2011.

“Japan and the Globalization. The Role of the Representations” (with K. Onaka) in E. Dourille-Feer & J. Nishikawa (dir.), “Finance and Money at the Age of Globalization. A Comparative View on Europe and Asia”, in French (La Documentation française) and in Japanese (Waseda university Press), 2004.

“The Globalization and the Crisis of the Japanese Model” (with K. Onaka), *Japon Pluriel*, Editions Philippe Picquier, December 2003. In French.

#### Articles in Non-Refereed Journals

“Japan. Does the Crisis contribute to reduce the inequalities between Men and Women?”, *Chroniques internationales de l’IRES*, (with M. Arai), March 2004. In French.

“Japan. 20 years of Men/Women equal employment policies”, *Chroniques internationales de l’IRES*, (with M. Arai), January 2004, reproduced in *Problèmes économiques* n°2854 (2004/6/23). In French.

“The Current Restructuring in the Japanese Electrical Machinery Sector: Do We Observe a Convergence Towards the American Way of Downsizing?”, *Chroniques internationales de l’IRES*, January 2002. In French.

“Employment Security at the Center of the Japanese Compromise of crisis”, *Chroniques internationales de l’IRES*, January 2001. In French.

#### Opinion Tribunes in Newspapers (selection)

Monthly column in “Le Monde” on Asian economies from November 2021:

<https://www.lemonde.fr/signataires/sebastien-lechevalier/>

“Rethinking innovation”, *Nikkei Shinbun* (21/11/2019 in Japanese).

“The vision of a declining Japan is too simple”, *Le Monde* (30/4/2019).

“Three visions of tax fairness”, *Le Monde* (25/3/2019).

“The Ghosn case viewed from Japan”, *Le Monde* (3/12/2018).

“La réforme japonaise du travail vue de France », *Nikkei Shinbun* (23/8/2018), in Japanese.

“The great transformation of the Japanese capitalism – The increasing gap between firms as a source of stagnation”, *Nikkei Shinbun* (11/2/2016), in Japanese.

“This surprising Shinzo Abe”, *Le Monde* (5/5/2014)

“No, Japan is not decaying”, *Le Monde* (25/3/2013)

“For a deeper relation between France and Japan” (with T. Yoshida), *Ouest France* (07/04/2011)

“The youth in the crisis: Japanese lessons” (with C. Van de Velde), *Le Monde* (17/3/2011)

“The Toyota ‘model’ and its limits”, *Ouest France* (2 April 2010)

“The Political Reasons of the Economic Problems”, *Le Monde* (14 November 2009), reproduced in *Problèmes économiques* n°2986 (2010/1/6). In French

“Suicides at the workplace. Is the Toyota Productive System responsible?”, *Le Monde de l’économie* (22 April 2008). In French.

“Freeters, NEETS: this is not only a problem in Japan. A comparison with Russia, India and France”, Interview published in the Series “How the World sees Japan” in *Courrier Japon*, September 2007 (vol. 035) pp 69-73 (in Japanese)

“How to reform the research policy? Lessons from Japan”, *Le Monde de l’économie* (13 February 2007) . In French.

“Japan, Winner or Looser of the Globalization?” (with K. Onaka), *Le Monde de l’économie* (5 May 2003). . In French. Also published (in Japanese) in *Kei* (7/2003) “Nihon wa gulōbaluka no giseisha ka”.

“A Few Lessons about the Current Restructuring in the Japanese Electrical Machinery Sector”, *Le Monde de l’économie* (28 May 2002). . In French.

“Is the Japanese Labor Market Following the same Path than the European one?”, *Le Monde de l’Economie*, 27 March 2001. . In French.

“Which Crisis is the Japanese Economy Undergoing?”, *Le Monde*, 1<sup>st</sup> July 1998. . In French.

#### Reports

“Developments in Well-Being at Work in Japan A Synthesis of Recent Research and Elements of Comparison with France”, Fondation France Japon, 2018.

“Comparing the Japanese and the French Systems of Innovation. Differences, similarities, and possible complementarities” (with J. Suzuki), Research Project undertaken the Club d’affaires franco-japonais, commissioned by Valeo, May 2017.

“Recent Changes in the Japanese Public Research and Innovation Policies - Lessons for Europe”, Research Project undertaken for European Union - Delegation of the European Commission to Japan, Tokyo, June 2006.

“Learning from the Deflation in Japan. Long-term crisis, Macro Disequilibrium, and Institutions”, Report for l’Institut pour la Recherche de la Caisse des Dépôts et Consignations, October 2005 (in French).

“French Publishing in Japan in 2000. Rights Sales: Market Study and Point of View of Japanese Publishers”, French Embassy in Japan (June 2000; in French), with a synthesis published in the review *Furansu* (Hakusui sha, in Japanese).

“Euro Zone: Wage Flexibility, Exchange Rate and Economic Policy”, Report for the French Senate, reprinted in *Problèmes Economiques* (18 August 1999), (with L. Cadiou, S. Guichard, M. Maurel).

#### Vulgarization

“Managers”, “35 hours”, “Unemployment” (chapters 10, 29 and 30), in N. Miura & N. Nishiyama (ed.), *62 chapters to Understand French Contemporary Society*, Akami Shoten (Tokyo), 2010. In Japanese.

“The Truth on the economic ‘miracle’”, interview published in *L’Histoire*, Special Issue “Japan from samurais to mangas”, no 333, pp. 90-95, July-August 2008.

“An introduction to Time series analysis”, *DEES* (October 1998.), reprinted in *Problèmes Economiques* (13 January 1999). In French.

“The Current Evolutions of the Japanese Economy”, *Ecoflash*, January 1998. In French.

### Working Papers

“Analyzing the diverse impact of digital use on the job quality. Comparing work organization and job satisfaction in Japan and France”, (with M. Mofakhami), IER Discussion Paper, forthcoming; Hitotsubashi University.

“Decomposing Preference for Redistribution Beyond the Trans-Atlantic Perspective” (with R. Kambayashi & T. Jenmana), Paris School of Economics Working paper n°2020 – 10, February 2020).

“Developments in Well-Being at Work in Japan: A Survey and a Comparison with France” (with Louise Baudrand, César Castellvi, Nao Kinoshita & Adrienne Sala), FFJ Discussion Papers Series n° DP 18-05, November 2018.

“Firm-Level Labor Demand for and Macroeconomic Increases in Non-Regular Workers in Japan” (with H. Teruyama & Y. Goto), INCAS Discussion Paper Series, DP n° 2018-07, August 2018.

“Abenomics: has it worked? Will it fail?” (with B. Monfort), CCJ Occasional Paper series OP#6, 2016.

“Financialization and industrial policies in Japan and Korea: Evolving complementarities and loss of institutional capabilities” (with Pauline Debanes and Wonkyu Shin), CEAJFP DP 16-06 (April 2016) [http://ffj.ehess.fr/upload/CEAJFPDP%2016-06%20\(2\).pdf](http://ffj.ehess.fr/upload/CEAJFPDP%2016-06%20(2).pdf)

“The ‘Re-segmentation’ of the Japanese labor market. Investigating the impact of industrial dynamics”, Keio University Panel Data Research Center, Discussion Paper n°2014-001

“How did the Japanese Employment System Change? Investigating the Heterogeneity of Downsizing Practices across Firms” (with C. Dossouguin, C. Hurlin and S. Takaoka), KIER Discussion Paper Series N°883, Kyoto University, January 2014.

“Why Do Some Firms Persistently Outperform Others? An investigation of the interactions between innovation and export strategies” (with K. Ito), RIETI Discussion paper Series 10-E-037, June 2010.

“Wage and Productivity Differentials in Japan. The role of Labor Market Mechanisms” (with D. Gatti & R. Kambayashi), *Global COE Hi-Stat Discussion Paper Series 127*, Hitotsubashi University, March 2010.

“The Evolution of Productivity Dispersion of firms. A Reevaluation of its determinants in the case of Japan” (with K. Ito), *RIETI Discussion Paper Series*, no 08-E-015, RIETI, May 2008.

“The effect of participation in government consortia on the R&D productivity of firms: A case study of robot technology in Japan”, (with Y. Ikeda & J. Nishimura), *IER Discussion paper Series A No-500*, Hitotsubashi University, March 2008.

“Investigating Collaborative R&D Using Patent Data: The Case Study of Robot Technology in Japan”, (with Y. Ikeda & J. Nishimura), *IER Discussion paper Series A No-498*, Hitotsubashi University, September 2007.

“Price Dynamics in Japan (1981-2001): A Structural Analysis of Mechanisms in the Goods and Labor Markets”, (with N. Canry & J. Fouquau), i A No-493, Hitotsubashi University, March 2007.

“Collaborative R & D in the robot technology in Japan: an inquiry based on patent data analysis (1991-2004)”, (with Y. Ikeda & J. Nishimura), *CIRJE Discussion paper Series F-453*, December 2006.

“The Heterogeneity of Employment Adjustment Across Japanese firms. A Study Using Panel Data”, (with C. Hurlin), *Couverture Orange N°2003-10*, CEPREMAP.

“The Contemporary increasing inequalities in Japan : An analysis in Term of Segmentation of the Labor Market and a Historical Perspective”, *Couverture Orange N°2002-02*, CEPREMAP. In French.

### Book Reviews

Whitakker H. *Building a New Economy: Japan's Digital and Green Transformation* (Oxford University Press, 2024) in *Social Science Japan*, October 2024, <https://doi.org/10.1093/ssjj/jyae025>.

Kitagawa A., Ohta S. and H. Teruyama. *The changing japanese labor market: theory and evidence* (Springer, 2019) in *Journal of Economics*, 2020, 130(2), pp. 219-223.

Culpepper P. *Quiet Politics and Business Power. Corporate Control in Europe and Japan*, (Cambridge University Press, 2011, Cambridge (E.-U.), 221 pp.) in *Sociologie du travail*, 2013, Volume 55, Issue 1, pp 104–106.

Cargill, T. F. & Sakamoto, T., *Japan Since 1980* (Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, New York, 2008, 314pp.) in *Journal of Economics*, Volume 98, Issue 2 (2009), Page 181-184.

Yves Tiberghien, *Entrepreneurial States : Reforming Corporate Governance in France, Japan, and Korea*, (Cornell University Press, Studies in Political Economy, 2007) in *La Vie des Idées*; le 02/03/2009.

Jean-Hervé Lorenzi (sous la direction de), *La Guerre des capitalismes aura lieu* (Le Cercle des Économistes, Editions Perrin, 2008) in *La Vie des Idées*; le 25/11/2008.

Thomas F. Cargill, Michael M. Hutchison, and Takatoshi Ito (eds.), *Financial Policy and Central banking in Japan* (Cambridge: MIT Press, 2000, 273 pp) in *Journal of East Asian Studies* 6 (2006), pages 166-168

Kozo Yamamura and Wolfgang Streeck (eds.), *The End of Diversity? Prospects for German and Japanese Capitalism* (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2003. 424pp) in *Financial History Review*, 2006, vol. 13, issue 01, pages 141-143

Sheridan, K.: *Planning Japan's Economic Future* (Palgrave. Macmillian, Basingstoke and New York 2005, 263 pp.) in *Journal of Economics*, 2006, vol. 89, issue 3, pages 291-294

Robert Boyer & Toshio Yamada (eds.), *Japanese Capitalism in Crisis: A Regulationist Interpretation* (Oxford university Press, 2000) in *Le Mouvement Social*, vol. 210 (January - March 2005).

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## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS (selection)

- Co-organizer of the 2018 SASE meeting (Society for the Advancement of socio-economics) in Kyoto (Doshisha)
- Member of the Executive Council of SASE since 2016
- Coordinator of the research network « Asian capitalisms » (network Q) within SASE (Society for the Advancement of socio-economics), 2012-2016
- Member of the OECD Expert Group on Industrial policy (2012-)
- Organization of symposiums (selection):
  - “After the global crisis, which models of growth?”, symposium of Fondation France-Japon de l’EHESS (Tokyo, 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2011)
  - « Youth in the crisis: A Lost Generation? », symposium of Fondation France-Japon de l’EHESS (Paris, 15 & 17th March 2011)
  - “Capitalism in Asia: Sustained Diversity or Increasing Coherence?”, SASE conference “Transformations of Contemporary Capitalism: Actors, Institutions, Processes”, 23-25 June 2011, Madrid, with C. Storz.
  - “Understanding the emergence of new industries. Between path dependency and path plasticity” at Collegio Carlo Alberto (Montecalieri) in collaboration with J. Krafft, F. Quatraro & C. Storz in October 2010.
  - “Rethinking the crisis” at Maison de la culture du Japon in collaboration with Fondation France-Japon de l’EHESS and The Japan Foundation, Paris, 14/11/2009, , with the participation of Jean-Louis Beffa, François Bourguignon, Robert Castel, Takeo Doi, Takeo Hoshi, Takatoshi Ito, Hideaki Miyajima, Taizo Nishimuro, Mari Osawa, Pascal Perrineau, Xavier Timbeau, Jean Tirole, Jiro Yamaguchi.
  - “Organization and Performance: Understanding the Diversity of Firms” at the Maison Franco-Japonaise in collaboration with RIETI and Waseda University on 14 & 15 November 2008 (<http://www.rieti.go.jp/en/events/08111401/info.html>)
- **Organization of the Lunch Seminar on the Japanese Economy** at the Maison Franco-Japonaise from February 2006 to July 2008 (24 sessions; program available at [http://www.mfj.gr.jp/lunch\\_seminar/lunch\\_seminar.html](http://www.mfj.gr.jp/lunch_seminar/lunch_seminar.html)).
- **Organization of a Symposium on the Japanese Crisis** at Maison franco-japonaise (Tokyo) on 1. February 2003 (supported by French Embassy in Japan), with the participation of, among others, Professors Hiroshi Yoshikawa, Takatoshi Ito, Toshiaki Tachibanaki, Masaru Kaneko, Hideo Ohtake, Christian Sautter, Robert Boyer.
- **Organization of a workgroup on the crisis of the Japanese economy**, in collaboration with Mr Fumikazu Sato (METI & Japanese Delegation to the European Union), Spring 2002, CEPREMAP.
- Presentation of papers to **conferences** : 16th Annual Meeting on Socio-Economics (SASE, Washington DC, 8-11/7/2004); Regulation Forum, 2001/10 & 2003/12, Paris; French Society of Japanese Studies, 2003/12, Paris; French Association of Economics, 2003/9, Paris; International Industrial Relations Association, 2003/9, Berlin; 7<sup>th</sup> French-Japanese conference of economics, 2002/11, Tokyo.
- **Seminars** in various research centers in France (EHESS, CEPREMAP, DELTA) and in Japan (Hitotsubashi University, Tokyo University, Waseda University, Japan Institute of Labour).

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## TEACHING

- “To Protect and to Innovate: Asian capitalisms facing Aging” (<https://enseignements.ehess.fr/2024-2025/ue/402> ) with Brieuc Monfort
- "Introduction to Institutionalist Economics" (<https://enseignements.ehess.fr/2024-2025/ue/187> ) with Eve Chiapello

- INNOVCARE care-led innovation : the case of elderly care in France and Japan. Collective research seminar, a cross-disciplinary initiative (<https://enseignements.ehess.fr/2024-2025/ue/98>)

### ***Supervision of PhD dissertations:***

#### Present (7)

- Ludivine Helluin (EHESS, co-supervised with Malo Mofakhami, 2024-): “Analysis of the impact of technology on the quality of nursing staff jobs”
- Margot Tacheau (EHESS, co-supervised with Elisa Chanial, 2024): “Which innovation model for eldercare institutions?”
- Aurelien Puriere (EHESS, co-supervised with Antoine Bozio, 2024-): “Which contribution for which pension system? History of basic and supplementary pension schemes”
- Riwan Driouich (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona/EHESS, co-supervised with Giorgos Kallis, 2023-): “Explaining the resilience of Japan to three decades of weak growth through growth imperatives and Regulation Theory”
- Yuko Tamaki-Welply (EHESS/ENS-PSL, 2021-): “Social robots for personal care? A comparative study of needs, uses and representations in elderly care homes in France and Japan”
- Guillaume Larrouturou (USPN, co-supervised with Sandra Rigot, 2021-): “Comparative perspectives on the evolution of regulation in Japan and Europe since the creation of specialized agencies”
- Sarah Boisard (EHESS-TMD, co-supervised with Laurent Berger; 2020-): “Private Accumulation Regimes and State forms in the Long Run in Madagascar”

#### Past (7)

- Victor Degorce (EHESS-FT, co-supervised with Eric Monnet; 2019-2023): “Political Economy of the Bretton Woods system “integrated capitalism”
- Jing Yang (EHESS-TSD, 2017-2022): “Welfare decentralization in authoritarian states: An institutional analysis of the Chinese pension system”
- Sang Bae Kim (EHESS-TSD, 2018-2021) : “The political economy of welfare state in South Korea: institutional complementary and dissonance between social policies and economic policies”
- Sara Tafuro (Paris Descartes University, co-supervised with Christophe Guilmoto ; 2016-2021): “Income security and the persistence of son preference: new approaches”
- Pauline Debanes (EHESS; 2014-2018) : “Financiarization of the economy and transformation of the State in Korea from the Asian crisis”
- Brieuc Monfort (2015) : “Essays on economic policy”
- Haengsun Kim (2012-2015): “Financial Factors and Offshoring: Evidence from South Korea”

### ***Supervision of Master theses:***

- Gaëtan Roux (M1, 2024-2025, Mention « Institutions, Organisations, Economie et société »): “Changes in relations between the State, the chaebols and the financial sector between 1980 and the 1997 Asian crisis in South Korea”



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- Pierre Steiner (Diplôme de l'EHESS) : “Accumulation through deprivation: The case of Vietnam”
- Yuki Kijima (M1, 2024-2025, Mention « Sociologie ») : “ Psychosociological analysis of capitalist societies and models of transition to the frugal abundance society based on the emotional dimension ”
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