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Post-doctoral researcher

Resident scholar at the Institute for Strategic Research (IRSEM),
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(CESSMA), University Paris Diderot
Research interests in urban geography and history, critical security studies and
environmental change.

Adjunct professor

Institut National des Langues et Civilisations Orientales.

Consultant in urban projects

Working with Alto-STEP, Bordeaux.



Degrees

- Ph.D** Geography, under the co-supervision of Pr. Vinay Gidwani and Dr. Véronique Dupont,
University of Minnesota, USA and **Université Paris Diderot, France**
Dissertation: *Filtering Class through Space, Security guards and Urban Territories in Delhi, India*
- MSc** Geography, Urban Studies, Merits. **University College of London, UK**
Thesis: *Right to the City in the Noir NCR.*
- MA2** Urban Geography, University **Rennes 2**, France. 2008-2009.
- MA1** « Maîtrises » of History and of Geography. **University Rennes 2**. 2007-2008
Thesis: *Proposal for an urban history, Delhi identity and daily life (1931-1951)* (in French).
- BA** History, Merits. 2004-2007. **University Rennes 2**.
Modern Literature, (correspondence courses). 2004-2007. **University Rennes 2**.
Philosophy, (correspondence courses). 2009-2012. **University Paris X Nanterre**.

Languages

French, native.
English, near native fluency.
German, level C1.
Urdu, advanced.
Hindi, advanced.
Central Hindi Directorate degree.
Certificate of proficiency (UMN).
Kannada, notions

Grants and awards

University of Minnesota grants,
American Institute of Indian Studies Junior Fellowship,
Global Spotlight Grant,
Contrat doctoral,
Geography Department Summer Grant...

Informatics

Moodle, Zoom, Word, Libre Office,
Gimp, Notions de ArcGIS, Linux,
(Ubuntu) languages HTML, CSS,
PHP, SQL, Python (notions).

About me...

Cycling, altitude trekking, trails,
dance. Spice Girls World Tour in
Edinburgh, 2019.

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Professional experience

Research and Academic

- 2019-2020 Post-doctoral researcher resident, IRSEM and CESSMA.
2014-2015 Advisor to the **Board Of Regents, University of Minnesota**, United State
2009-2010 Visiting Scholar, GSAPP (Architecture and Planning), **Columbia University**,
sponsored by Sustainable Urbanism International (NGO).
2006-2007 Elected Member, **Administrative Council** (Board), **University Rennes 2**.

Teaching

Lecturer.

- Spring 2019 "Introduction to Economy of India" (in French), **INALCO**, Paris, France.
Fall 2015 "Cinema and Critical Thinking". **Ashoka University**, India.

Teaching Assistant, Geography Department, at University of Minnesota.

- Spring 2015 Cities Citizenship and Communities.
Fall 2014 Mapping our World.
Spring 2014 The City in Films.
Fall 2013 Economic Geography.
Spring 2013 The City in Films.
Fall 2012 Biogeography of the global garden.
Spring 2012 Environment and Development in the third World.

Hindi tutor, University Of Minnesota.

Fall 2013 and Spring 2014.

Guest lectures, Master of Urban Studies, University Rennes 2.

- Spring 2013 "New York".
Spring 2012 "Postcolonial Urbanism".

Consulting

- 2016 onwards, entrepreneur, consultant for **ALTO-STEP**, (urban design), Bordeaux.
2016 onwards, **advisory board, Acorn Company**, (educational exchanges), London.

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PUBLICATIONS

In academic journals

Forthcoming:

Carrière, D, "Caste up, cast out: l'énigme de la caste des gardes de sécurité à Delhi", *L'Information Géographique*, Paris, September 2020.

Carrière, D, "Regulating the urban private security market", *Economic and Political Weekly*, Review of Urban Affairs, Mumbai, India, spring 2021.

Under review:

Tripathy, T, Carrière, D, "Filtering Densities: Doing the Maintenance Work », *Urban Geography*, special issue, Taylor and Francis, United-States.

In preparation:

Carrière, D, "Labor time, city work", *Antipode*, Wiley Blackwell, United-States.

Non-peer reviewed

Carrière, D, *GIS-Asie, article du mois*, "Les Adivasis en Inde, violence et environnement", forthcoming, June 2020.

Carrière, D, *IRSEM, Brève Stratégique n.6*, "COVID-19 en Inde : de la crise au renforcement du pouvoir central", May 2020.

Carrière, D, Podcast presentation: Dans le bunker #19 : *Ni Le Ciel ni la Terre* de Clément Cogitore (2015), April 2020.

Carrière, D, *Les Carnets du Temps*, "Crise environnementale en India", April 2020.

Carrière, D, *Note de recherche de l'IRSEM*, 94, "Les forces de police armées en India", April 2020.

Carrière, D, *Utopie Critique*, 40, Paris, "Ça vous apprendra à manifester", 2007.

As a translator

English to French:

Ordinary Cities, introduction, J.Robinson, London, Routledge, 2004, in Giroud and Gintrac (ed), *Villes contestées*, Prairies Ordinaires, Paris, 2014

Without Borders, Commissioned by USAID, Nazia Parvez, « Brightstar Media », 2011.

Hindi to French:

Krishna Baldev Vaid, एक नौकरानी की दयरी, (Diary of a maidservant), 2002. Projected 2021.

Photographs

20 pictures in: Elisa Angelini and Marco Chitti, *Delhi, la trama, l'ordito*, Ferrara, Italy, 2008.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES and PRESENTATIONS

As organiser

Forthcoming 2020, Workshop on Security provision in South Asia, IRSEM, Paris.

Postponed 2020, **Principal organiser**, Workshop on density in Asian cities, CESSMA, Paris.

Oct. 2017 **Panel organiser**, South Asia Conference, Madison, USA.

As Panelist

June 2020 European Initiative for Security Studies, Lisbon, Portugal (postponed).

Fev 2020 Seminar presentation, *Varia*, IRSEM, Paris (in French).

Oct 2019 Workshop, *Rethinking Density*, University of Durham, UK.

April 2019 Seminar presentation, *Travail et travailleurs en Asie*, CESSMA, Paris (in French).

Jan 2018 Workshop, Network of Researcher in International Affairs (NORIA), INALCO, Paris.

Sept 2017 **Summer school participant and panelist, RC21, Leeds, UK.**

Jan 2017 Workshop, American Institute of Indian Studies, Gurgaon, India.

Jan 2016 Panelist, *Institut Français de Géographie*, Paris (in French).

Oct 2012 Panelist, South Asia Conference, Madison, USA.

April 2012 Panelist, BASAS, School of Oriental and African Studies, London, UK.

Aug 2011 Panelist, ICCG, Frankfurt, Germany.