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Ingénieur Agronome, Institut National Agronomique Paris- Grignon (1975),
Doctorat d'Etat ès Sciences Physiques Paris VI (1984).

His research activities in the area of biopolymers aimed at understanding the mechanisms that drives the biosynthesis and the functional properties both in foods and green chemistry applications .

126 publications in journals, 26 review articles or chapters, 5 coordination of books, 261 communications and posters in scientific symposia concerning starches and its derivatives.

Membership of editorial boards of *Journal of Cereal Science*, *Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture*, and *Industrial Crops and Products*

Former head of the two successive INRA divisions *Plant Products Transformations* and *Science and Process Engineering of Agricultural Products* (39 research units, 598 permanent scientists) from 2000 to 2008.

Expert for European Union, french national authorities (ANR, OSEO-ANVAR, ADEME) and foreign authorities (BBSRC (UK), US ARS and NSF (USA)).

Organization of 9 international workshops and congress, including the XIII IUFOST international congress (Food is Life) in Nantes, September 17-21 septembre 2006 (1070 participants from 72 countries).