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Positions held:

- Pr. of Private Law, University of Luxembourg, since 1st September 2024
- Pr. Head of Department Law and Economics Sorbonne Abu Dhabi University, 1st September 2020-31 August 2024
- Professor at *Université de Paris (Paris Descartes)* 1st September 2005
- Professor at *Université de La Rochelle* 1999-2005
- Dean of the Faculty of Law, *Université de La Rochelle* 2000-2005

University Appointments:

- University Professor (*Professeur des Universités*) from 1st September 1999 to present, “*Agrégation de droit privé et de sciences criminelles 1999*” (Selective exam in French private law and criminal law),
- Doctoral degree in law (“The contingent contract; Adaptation of the contract by the judge upon authorization of the legislator”), with highest level of distinction (“*mention très honorable et félicitations du jury*”) Viva at *Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris II)* in January 1998, awarded the *Prix Capitaine* award and a grant from the French Ministry of Research

Academic activity (2010-2024)

Publications:

- « Digital activities Law », published by Précis Dalloz, 2nd ed. 2024, with C. le Goffic Pr. L. Pailler
- Academic leadership of the “*Assurances*” insurance compendium (1,200 pages, eight research professors and experts, 10th ed. Argus 2024
- UAE Contract Law, 2025 current, Lexis-Nexis Middle East, Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi

Articles :

- “IA Act”, a regulation for protection purpose and support to innovation, Rev. Semaine juridique Ed. Générale 2024, n°38, p. 1524

- The future “AI legislation” analysed through civil liability scheme, Rev. Semaine Juridique Ed. Générale, 2023, p. 1349
- “Medical liability and insurance : the legal approach”, Rev. Responsabilité civile et assurance, 2023, n° 4, p. 27
- “The gender of words in common contract law: the feminine as a sign of abstraction”, in Mélanges Isabelle Parléani, Dalloz 2023
- “Proust and the hierarchy of norms: a circular system” in Droit Littérature 2022, p. 279
- contributor to the *Revue Lamy droit de l’immatériel* periodical on immaterial law, from January 2007 to present,
- permanent contributor to the *Argus* journal (Insurance periodical),
- 30 year of the so-called “Evin” Lax, Alcohol, Tobacco, social network and the Internets, JDASM (Journal of Law and Medicine), n° 28, 2021
- “Artificial Intelligence and Insurance,” Revue Lamy Droit des affaires 2019, n° 151, p. 28
- “Implementation of General Data Protection Regulation, in French Law and Insurance Data Portability” JDASM 2018, n° 20, p. 63
- “Insurance and Blockchain” Rev. Lamy Droit des affaires 2017, n° 129, p. 54
- “Law "for a digital republic". Opening of data and new constraints », JCP G 2016, p. 1956
- “The French Civil Code Reform on Contract Law”, Middle East North Africa Business Law Review, LexisNexis, 2016, p. 63
- “Reform of contract law: synthesis of French law and convergences with European law”, Rev. Lamy Droit de l’immatériel, 2016, n. 124, p. 37 ; 3946
- “Loyalty of platforms: a scope to be redefined within the limits of European law”, JCP G 2016, p. 778
- ”The pirate bay” judgment: towards cooperation Internet Service Providers - rights holders”, Rev. Lamy Dt. de l’immatériel , févr. 2015, p. 26,n° 3671
- “The Opinion of a French Academic on the Proposal for a regulation on Common European Sales Law”, revue “Contratto e impresa/Europa”, “Numero speciale Trenta giuristi europei, sull’idea di codice europeo dei contratti”, Turin, 2012, p. 343 ;
- “Internet and advertising”, Rev. Lamy droit de la concurrence (competition law journal), 2012, n° 31 p. 146 ;
- “The responsibility of telemedicine actors”, Revue de droit sanitaire et social (Journal of Health and Social Law) 2011, p. 996;
- “Refusal to qualify eBay as a voluntary sales company: pending the transposition of the Services Directive”, Rev. Lamy Droit de l’immatériel 2010, n° 66, p. 36 ;
- “Commentary on the Online Gambling and Betting Act », Rev. Lamy Dt. de l’immatériel, juin 2010, p. 65 ;

Case Law comments:

- Under Court of Cassation 2nd civil chamb., 13 june 2020, Insurance of administrative pecuniary penalties and defense costs: a didactic judgement, silent on insurability, Rev. Des Sociétés 2020, p. 103 ;
- under Court of cassation 1st civil chamb. 11 July 2018, pourvoi n° 17-20.154 “Professional property and liability for the actions of things: clarification of the scope of liability for defective products”; JCP E 2018,n° 47 p. 31

- under Court of cassation 1st civil chamb., 15 June 2016, “Temporal application of the 1985 Directive on liability for defective products and limitation periods”, JCP G 2016, p. 1631
- under Court of cassation 2nd civil chamb, 26 March 2015, « Claim basis: the key claim of the warranty trigger » ; Journal du droit de la Santé et de l’Assurance maladie, sept. 2015, p. 63
- under CJEU, 5 mars 2015, nos C-503/13 et 504/13, Boston Scientific Medizintechnik; “Clarification of the notion of defect and damage in the presence of a "potential failure" of a medical device” ; JCP G, 4 mai 2015, p. 892
- under CJEU, 20 nov. 2014, Novo Nordisk, C-310, 13, “product liability and doctor's liability”, JCP G 2015, 67
- under Court of cassation 1st civil chamb., 17 janv. 2013, “Distance insurance: limited exceptions to the opt-out option” ; JCP G 2013, 261
- under Court of cassation com. Chamb., 4 dec. 2012, “False price comparison platform qualified as an unfair commercial practice: a reversal of case law”, Rev. Lamy Droit de l’Immatériel 2013, n° 89, p. 27
- under Council of State, 30 dec. 2011, “The balance of the provisions on betting and gambling confirmed by the Council of State”, Rev. Lamy Droit de l’Immatériel 2012, n° 81, p. 34
- under CJEU, 30 juin 2011, aff. C-212/08, “PMU's monopoly on horseracing outside the Internet subject to conditions laid down by the Court of Justice”, Rev. Lamy Droit de l’Immatériel 2011, n° 77, p. 46
- under Court of cassation 1st chamb., 17 febr. 2011 ; “Dailymotion: Unearned immunity”, D. 2011, p. 1113
- under CJEU, 12 July 2011, C-324/09, L'Oréal/ eBay International AG, “eBay: to be or not to be a host according to the CJEU”, Rev. Lamy droit de l’immatériel 2011, n° 74, p. 61
- under Court of cassation 1st chamb., 30 sept. 2010, “The law of electronic writing: a hindrance to online commerce (an e-mail is not an electronic writing within the meaning of the Civil Code, according to the Court of Cassation)”, Rev. Lamy Droit de l’immatériel 2011, n° 67, p. 33
- CJEU, 23 mars 2010, C-236/08 to C-238/08, Google France SARL/ Louis Vuitton Malletier ; “Google Adwords: the Internet host, a necessarily passive service provider”, Rev. Lamy droit de l’immatériel 2010, n° 60, p. 38

Involvement at research institutes and within research group, expertise:

- Member of the Health Law Institute at Université *Paris Cité*
- Member of the Trans Europe Expert Network since foundation in 2009
- Contribution to the response of the Paris Descartes CEDAG research centre to the Chancellery's call for proposals on contract law reform; Feb. 2016
- Expert before the English courts in liability and insurance law,
- Director of the financial services division of Trans Europe Experts (management of a team of experts in French and European financial market, banking and insurance law);
- April 2010 to April 2011, European Commission, French representative sitting on the “Expert Group on a Common Frame of Reference in the Area of European Contract Law”, 12 lectures in English including *travaux préparatoires*, culminating in the proposal of European regulation on “Common European Sales Law”; published 11th October 2011; COM(2011) 635 final

Contributions to Collective Works

- « Electronic writing in the civil code », In Juris-Classeur civil ; sept. 2019
- « Consumer code to withstand digital content », in « 20 years of the Consumer Code, New challenges » 2013 ;
- European Consumer law and its consolidation”, in “The Making of European Private law : Why, How, What, Who”, L. Moccia Roma Tre, éd. Sellier 2013;
- « Performance and Remedies », in Towards a European Contract Law, dir. R. Schulze, J. Stuyck, Ed. Sellier, Munich, 2011
- Chapter on « Liability for the actions of things » : Répertoire Dalloz de droit civil, j2011
- « Distance financial services by electronic means », in Contract by electronic means, Economica 2010 ;
- Performance and remedies” in “Towards a European Contract Law”, Dir. R. Schulze, J. Stuyck, Editions Sellier, 2011
- “Chapter on Evidence”, *Répertoire Dalloz (commercial law)*, 2010
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Phd Thesis supervisor

Under supervision

- K. Alhosani, E-commerce Law in the Gulf Cooperation Council Countries a comparison between the Gulf Cooperation Council Countries and European regulation, 3rd year, l'Ecole doctorale 262, Université Paris Cité
- R. Alnooryani, The Civil liability of the physician for his professional errors, a comparison between the Gulf Cooperation Council Countries and the French law, 2nd year, Ecole doctorale 262, Université Paris Cité
- C. Crichton, Loyalty in artificial intelligence, Dalloz- Ecole doctorale 262, Université Paris Cité

Supervised 2016-2024

- T. James, Compensation for damages due to IA, Scholarship école des Hautes Etudes en Santé publique, Ecole doctorale 262, Université Paris Cité, nov. 24,
- S. Renondin de Hauteclocque, Legal, ethical and governance issues surrounding artificial intelligence, Orange, Ecole doctorale 262, Université Paris Cité, may 24,
- G. Tredez, Statutory liability: the new liability law for the intellectual professions: proposal for a new special civil liability regime, 2019
- Y. Basséné, Consumer protection through group action in competition law, 2018
- P. Kamocki, E-University: building a right to the knowledge commons, 2017
- B. Allard, Group action: Franco-American study of collective actions in defense of the individual interests, 2016

Teachings

Luxembourg University since 1st September 2024

- Insurance Law
- Data Protection
- Family Law

Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi:

- Insurance Law (Master 2, since 2021)
- Commercial contracts (L3 since 2019)
- Contract Law, (M1, since 2015)
- Civil Liability Course (L2, since 2007)

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- Civil Liability Course (L2, since 2007)
- contract law (L2, from 2011-2013)
- comparative law, European contract law (M1, since 2013)
- contract law (Master 2, 2006-2011)
- insurance, liability and health (Master2, since 2006)
- general e-commerce law (Master2, since 2006)
- Life and health insurance law (Master2, since 2010)