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## Education

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- 2006. « Habilitation à diriger des recherches » diploma<sup>1</sup>, University Lumière Lyon 2
  - 1995. Ph D, University Jean Monnet of Saint-Etienne. Topic : « L'habitat à Varsovie : un héritage et ses mutations [Housing in Warsaw: a changing legacy] ». *Summa cum laude*
  - 1988: Master's degree (second year) in Social Sciences. EHESS (École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales) & ENS (École Normale Supérieure), Paris. *Summa cum laude*.
  - 1987-88: Courses of Polish language and culture, INALCO, Paris.
  - 1987: Agrégation<sup>2</sup> in Geography.
  - 1985: Master's degree (first year) in Geography, University Sorbonne Paris 1.
  - 1984: Bachelor's degree in Geography, University Sorbonne Paris 1
  - 1984: Bachelor's degree in History, University Sorbonne Paris 1.
  - 1983-1987: École Normale Supérieure of Paris.

Grants : Grant for an intensive course of Polish (1988, funded by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs) ; grant for the Ph D (1988-89, funded by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 9 months) ; Junior Researcher grant (1989, funded by the Ministry of Research).

## Career

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2018, 2019: Invited Professor, University of Łódź (one month each year)  
Since 2008: **Full Professor, University Lumière Lyon 2**  
2003-10: Lectures in Sciences Po Paris - Dijon campus (focus on Central and Eastern Europe)  
1995: Associate Professor, University Lumière Lyon 2  
1993-95: Lecturer, University Lumière Lyon 2  
1989-1993: History and Geography Teacher in secondary schools in the Paris region (main occupation) and Teaching assistant in Geography (secondary occupation) in the University of Paris 10 Nanterre (1989-1991)

## Research experience

### Topics of research

- Cities of Central and Eastern Europe, Poland: housing issues, legacies of the socialist era, urban regeneration
- Europeanization of territories: EU as a « matrix » and its spatial effects in post-accession countries, metropolitan territories, economic change, urban and housing policies
- Regionalization of Central and Eastern Europe through cultural flows
- Housing policies in the Rhône-Alpes region

### Head of Research Projects

- 2020-23: [Privatization of social housing in the regions of Lyon and Grenoble](#). Funded by the Union Sociale de l'Habitat
- 2020-21: [Cultural flows and regionalization in Central and Eastern Europe](#). Funded by Univ Lyon 2
- 2016-2020: [Living together in the city of tomorrow](#), Scientific chair funded by six partners and supported by the labex IMU.
- 2015-16: *Cooperatives and Territorial Development in France and Croatia*. Funded by the Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs (PHC Cogito)
- 2010-12: *Geographical mobility and social inclusion: methodology for spatial support*. Funded by the Rhône-Alpes region.
- 2008-2011: [Urbanisation and urbanity in Europe: Germany outpost?](#) Funded by the CIERA.

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<sup>1</sup> The "Habilitation à Diriger des Recherches" diploma is a degree which is needed to supervise Ph D and to apply to a Professor job.

<sup>2</sup> "Agrégation" is the most competitive exam to become a secondary school teacher. It is a nationwide competition.

-2003-2007: *Metropolisation, margin spaces, territorial governance*. Funded by the Ministry of Research and region Rhône-Alpes. Leaders: Emmanuelle Bonerandi, Lydia Coudroy de Lille, Franck Scherrer, Martin Vanier.

### Participation in Research Projects (selection)

- 2019- : *Regionalisation, globalisation, circulations*. CIST CNRS
- 2012- : *Knowledge about Central and Eastern Europe*. GDR 3607 CNRS.
- 2012-17: *Challenges of European issues* (CIERA, Centre Marc Bloch, etc.)
- 2012-16: *Urban Spaces and Networks (Russia, Ukraine, Hungary, Germany, France)*. CNRS GDRI
- 2012-13: *Management of demolition waste: a territorial analysis* (GRAVATS), Labex IMU and IREX Recybeton
- 2010-13: *Housing in Western and Eastern Europe from 1947 to 1989*, CNRS CHS
- 2009-11: *Space, Labour, Globalisation*. CNRS, ISH Lyon
- 2008-12: *The poverty in Europe (MAILLE)*. ANR
- 2000-03: *Eastern Europe in the era of territorial authorities*. Region Rhône-Alpes ARASSHS
- 1999-03: *Re-reading the city of the Glorious Thirty. A history of large housing estates*. ACI

### Ph D and HDR supervision

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11 Ph D, among which 5 were international (« cotutelle »); 2 HDR diplomas.  
5 Ph D under supervision among which 1 is international (cotutelle)  
20 participations in PhD and HDR jurys

### Responsibilities

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#### Local: UMR 5600 Environnement Ville Société and labex IMU

- 2020-25: Associate director of the laboratory UMR CNRS 5600 EVS <https://umr5600.cnrs.fr>
- 2016-: Member of the Scientific Committee of the labex IMU
- 2015-2020: Member of the Steering Committee of the UMR EVS - Head of International relations; Direction of the working group “Faire territoire, faire société ” with Dr. Olivier Givre
- 2011-2014: Direction of the Working Group *Acreor* in the UMR EVS with E. Verdeil and L. Rocher
- 2007- 2011: Direction of the Working Group “Geophile” in the UMR EVS

#### Local: UFR (School of Environment and Society and Université Lumière Lyon 2

- 2020- : Elected member of the Research Committee (Université Lumière Lyon 2)
- 2019- : Member of the selection board for foreign students (Bachelor’s degree in Geography)
- 2012-2018: Elected at the board of the UFR « School of Environment and Society”
- 2008-2016: Responsible of the Master’s degree (1st year) of Geography
- 1997-2001: Elected at the board of the UFR « School of Environment and Society”
- 1997-2001: Responsible of the Bachelor’s degree in Geography
- Responsible of Erasmus agreements with the universities of Lodz (PL), Louvain (BE)

#### National and international

- 2019-21: Expert for the evaluation of the Czech Academy of Science and of Charles University (CZ)
- 2019-: Member of the Scientific Committee of the Doctoral School Anthropos, Polish Academy of Science (PL)
- 2016-20 : Member of the Scientific Committee MSH of Clermont-Ferrand (FR)
- 2013-2016: Appointed to the National Committee of the CNRS<sup>3</sup>, section “Space, Territory, Society”.
- 2009-2012: Member of the Scientific Committee of the CEFRES, Prague (CZ).
- 2007 and 2011: Elected to the National Committee of Universities (CNU)<sup>4</sup>, section Geography.-

Member of Jury for national competitive exams: Agrégation (2002-2005), Entry Exam to the École Normale Supérieure of Lyon (1999-2002)

- Member of the external editorial board of: *Belgeo* (BE), *Studia Mazowsze Studia Regionalne* (PL)
- Member of the editorial board of Presses Universitaires de Lyon, *Geocarrefour* (FR), *Espace Populations Sociétés* (FR)

### Publications: <https://cv.archives-ouvertes.fr/lydia-coudroy-de-lille>

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<sup>3</sup> The “Comité national de la recherche scientifique” is in charge of the recruitment and of the evaluation of CNRS researchers, of assessments of CNRS laboratories and of scientific journals, etc.

<sup>4</sup> The CNU provides national assessment for newly defended Ph D and Habilitations diplomas.