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Education:

PhD in Economics (University Paris 1 Sorbonne) - 2002:

Title: *Contractual Choices and Performances – The Case of the British Rail Industry*.
Supervisor: Claude MENARD. Defended in December 2002 and obtained with special honours.

Jury: Alain BONNAFOUS (Referee), Jean-Marie CHEVALIER (Referee), Claude Ménard (Supervisor), Xavier Greffe (Chair), George Yarrow.

Master in Economics (University Paris 1 Sorbonne) - 1998:

Fields: Econometrics and Industrial Organization

Current Positions:

- Scientific Advisor for the Prime Minister at the French Council of Economic Analysis (<http://www.cae.gouv.fr/>)
- Associate Professor of Economics at the University Paris I Sorbonne (<http://atom.univ-paris1.fr/yvrande>)
- Member of the European Society for New Institutional Economics (ESNIE: <http://www.esnie.org>).

Academic Grants and Awards:

- Michael Beesley Award for Excellence in Research 2005.
- University Paris 1 Sorbonne Ph.D. Program Fellowship (1998-2003)
- Lavoisier Grant from the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Oxford University Scholarship Program 2000-2001)
- Best paper, DRUID Conference, Copenhagen (Denmark), January 2000
- Interuniversity Program Grant (University Paris 1 Sorbonne / Brown University), 1998.

Research Interests:

- Economics of Contracts and Organization (Theory and Econometrics)
- Public Economics and Public-Private Partnerships
- Economics of Regulation

Publications:

A. Peer-Reviewed Journals

1. (With S. SAUSSIÉ and C. STAROPOLI) “Public-Private Partnerships, Institutions and Competition – An Introduction”, *Review of Industrial Organization*, Special Issue on Public-Private Partnerships (Saussier S., Staropoli C. and Yvrande-Billon Eds.), forthcoming, 2009.
2. “Competitive Tendering and Incumbents’ Advantages, An Empirical Study of the French Urban Public Transport Sector” (in French), *Revue d’Economie Industrielle*, forthcoming, 2009.
3. (With S. SAUSSIÉ and M. AMARAL) “Auction Procedures and Competition in Public Services: The Case of Urban Public Transport in France and London”, *Utilities Policy*, 17, 166-175, 2009.
4. (With C. STAROPOLI) “Massive Unbundling, Fast Reintegration: Lessons from the British Electricity and Railway Industries Reforms” (in French), *Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics*, 80(1), 89-117, 2009.
5. “Competitive Tendering in Utilities. Some Lessons from Transaction Cost Economics” (in French), *Revue Française d’Economie*, 22(3), 97-131, 2008.
6. (With W. ROY) “Ownership, Contractual Practices and Technical Efficiency: The Case of Urban Public Transport in France”, *Journal of Transport Economics and Policy*, 41(2), 257-282, 2007.
7. “The Attribution Process of Delegation Contracts in the French Urban Public Transport Sector: Why Competitive Tendering is a Myth”, *Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics*, Special Issue on Auctions and Public Procurement (C. Staropoli and A. Yvrande-Billon Eds.), 77(4), 453-478, 2006.
Reprinted in R. Macario, Vegas J. and Hensher D. (Eds) *Competition and Ownership in Land Passenger Transport*, Elsevier, Oxford, Chap. 27, 501-516, 2006.
8. (With C. MENARD) “Institutional Constraints and Organizational Changes: The Case of the British Rail Reform”, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 56(4), 675-699, 2005.
9. “The Determinants of Contract Duration in the New British rail Governance Structure” (in French), *Cahiers Scientifiques du Transport*, 43, 147-163.

B. Publications in Books

10. (With S. SAUSSIÉ) “Do Organizational Choices Matter? Assessing the Importance of Governance through Performance Comparisons”, in *New Ideas in Contracting and Organizational Economics Research*, Harvey S. James Jr (Ed.), Norwell MA: Kluwer Academic Publishers, 71-89, 2005.
11. “Franchising Public Services: An Analysis of the Duration of Passenger Rail Franchises in Great Britain”, in *Economics and Management of Networks*, G. Cliquet, G. Hendrikse, M. Tuunanen and J. Windsperger (Eds.), Springer, 174-191, 2004

C. Books

12. (With S. SAUSSIÉ) *Transaction Cost Economics : Theory and Applications* (in French), La Découverte, Collection Repères, n°407, 124 pages, 2007

D. Others

13. “Competitive Tendering and Transparency” (in French), *Transport, Environnement, Circulation*, forthcoming, 2009.
14. “Combining Competitive Tendering with Formal and Informal *Ex Post* Mechanisms: Evidence from the French Urban Transport Sector”, *Transport Reviews*, Vol. 27(4), pp. 420-422, 2007.
15. (With C. STAROPOLI) “Auctions and Public Procurement – An Introduction”, *Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics*, Vol. 77(4), Special Issue (C. Staropoli and A. Yvrande-Billon (Eds)), pp. 395-399, 2007.

16. (With S. SAUSSIÉ and B. DEFFAINS) *Operators' Strategies in Public Contracts* (in French), Report to the French Ministry of Justice, 2007.
17. (With L. BAUMSTARK, C. MENARD and W. ROY) *Allotment of Urban Public Transport Networks: What is at Stake?* (in French), Report to the French Ministry of Transport and Environment, 2007.
18. "The Variety of Organizational Modes in the French Urban Public Transport Sector" (in French), *Revue de l'Association Québécoise du Transport et des Routes*, Janvier 2005.
19. (With L. BAUMSTARK, C. MENARD and W. ROY) *Organizational Modes and Efficiency in the French Urban Public Transport Sector*, Report to the French Ministry of Transport and Environment, 2005.
20. (With S. SAUSSIÉ) *Competition and Concessions in Utilities – Lessons from Transaction Costs Economics and Application to Gaz Distribution* (in French), Report to Gaz De France (GDF), 2005.
21. "Contractual Difficulties in Utilities (in French), *Ecoflash*, 189, 2004.
22. *Regulatory Reforms of Network Industries: How to Deal with Crises* (in French), Report to the French Council of Analysis and Strategy (CGP), 2004.
23. "Towards European Networks" (in French), *Ecoflash*, 178, 2003.
24. (With D. BAUDRU and J.-M. GLACHANT) *Industrial Structures and Firms Strategies in the European Electricity and Railways Sectors* (in French), Report to the French Council of Analysis and Strategy (CGP), 2001.

E. On-Going Research Papers

25. (With E. CHONG and C. STAROPOLI) "Auctions versus Negotiations in Public Procurement – Looking for New Empirical Evidence", *Working Paper Univ. Paris I Sorbonne*, 2009, on going.
26. (With M. AMARAL) "Make or Buy Urban Public Transport Services: A Rational Choice?", *Working Paper Univ. Paris I Sorbonne*, 2009, submitted.
27. (With A. GAUTIER) "Contract Renewal as an Incentive Device: An Application to the French Urban Public Transport Sector", *Working Paper CORE n°2008/68*, 2008, submitted.
28. (With M. AMARAL and S. SAUSSIÉ) "Does Competition for the Field Improve Cost Efficiency? Evidence from the London Bus Tendering Model", *Working Paper CNI 2006-14*, 2007, on going.

Communications in Conference and Regular Seminars:

International Conference on Public Procurement, Seoul, 26-28 August 2010.
European Association of Evolutionary Political Economy, Amsterdam, 6-8 November 2009.
European Association of Law and Economics, Roma, 17-19 September 2009.
International Society for New Institutional Economics, Berkeley, 18-20 June 2009.
ESNIE Workshop "Manufacturing Markets", Firenze, 11-14 June 2009.
European Network on Industrial Policy (EUNIP), San Sebastian, 10-12 September 2008.
European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Toulouse, 4-6 September 2008.
Workshop on Competition and Regulatory Policy, London, 10-11 July 2008.
International Conference on Funding Transport Infrastructure, Paris, 19-20 June 2008.
International Industrial Organization Conference, Savannah, 14-15 April 2007.
CEPR "Partnerships between Governments and the Private Sector", London, 22-23 February 2007.
5th Conference on Applied Infrastructure Research, Berlin, 6-7 October 2006.
Conference on Public Services and Management, Toulouse, 12-14 January 2006.
International Society for New Institutional Economics (ISNIE), Barcelona, 22-24 September 2005.
Conference on Competition and Ownership of Land Passenger Transport, Lisboa, 5-9 Sept. 2005.
Journées de Microéconomie Appliquée, Hammamet, 26-27 May 2005.
European Workshop on Auctions and Public Service Procurement, Paris, 15-16 April 2005.
European Association for Evolutionary Political Economy, Rethymno, 28-31 October 2004.
Conference on Accounting, Auditing and Management in Public Sector Reforms, Oslo, 7-9 Oct. 2004
Association Française de Sciences Economiques, Paris, 16-17 September 2004.
European Economic Association Annual Congress, Madrid, 20-24 August 2004.
Workshop on Applied Infrastructure Research, Berlin, 11 October 2003.
European Association of Law and Economics, Nancy, 18-20 September 2003

Conference on Economics and Management of Networks, Vienna, 26-28 June 2003.
International Society for New Institutional Economics, Budapest, 11-13 September 2003.
Conférence du Programme Pluri-Formation “La transition”, Paris, 27 May 2003.
Ateliers de la Maison des Sciences Economiques, Paris, 21 March 2002.
International Society for New Institutional Economic, Berkeley, 13-15 September 2001.
European Network on Industrial Policy (EUNIP), Tilburg, 7-9 December 2000.
International Society for New Institutional Economics, Tuebingen, 22-24 September 2000.
Association Française de Sciences Economiques, Paris, 21-22 September 2000.
European Association for Research in Industrial Economics, Lausanne, 7-10 September 2000.
Society for Economic Design, Istanbul, 22-27 June 2000.
Concurrences Européennes et Redéfinitions des Politiques Publiques, Sceaux, 13-14 Jan. 2000.
Conference DRUID (Danish Research Unit on Industrial Dynamics), Copenhague, 6-8 Jan 2000.
European Association for Research in Industrial Economics, Turin, 4-7 September 1999.
Colloque International d’Economie Publique, Brest, 10-11 June 1999.

Organizational Activities

- 2007** (With C. STAROPOLI and S. SAUSSIÉ) Organization of a workshop on “Public Private Partnerships, Competition and Institutions”. Paris, Univ. Paris I Sorbonne, 7-8 December. Co-Editor of a Special Issue in the *Review of Industrial Organization*, 2009, forthcoming.
- 2005** (With C. STAROPOLI) Organization of a workshop on “Auctions and Public Services Procurement”, Paris, Univ. Paris I Sorbonne, 15-16 April. Co-Editor of a Special Issue in *Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics*, 2006.

Editorial Activities

Member of the Editorial Board of the *Revue d’Economie Industrielle* (since October 2008).

Referee for *Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics*, *Economic Journal*, *Economie Rurale*, *Journal of Economic Behaviour and Organization*, *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, *Journal of Transport Economics and Policy*, *Recherches Economiques de Louvain*, *Revue Economique*, *Revue d’Economie Industrielle*, *Transport Reviews*.

Teaching Experience:

2003-2008

Post-Graduate Level

- Regulation: Theories and Practices
- Transport Economics
- Theories of the Firm
- Public Economics

Languages:

	<i>Speaking</i>	<i>Reading</i>	<i>Writing</i>
French	-----	Mother Tongue	-----
English	-----	Fluent	-----