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CV (short version)



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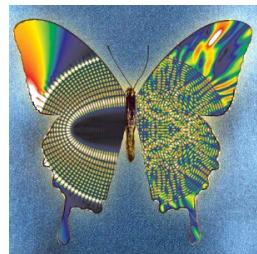
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Upon the wings of a butterfly,  
Chaos and Order will forever lie.

— Québec / Freiburg, 2022 —

## I. CURRICULUM VITAE

Born : yes

Place of birth : Québec, Canada

Nationality : Canadian

### I.A University Degrees

PERIOD	DEGREE	UNIVERSITY	SUBJECT
1970-1973	<b>B.Sc.</b>	<b>Université Laval</b> May 1973 (Québec, Canada)	Physics
1973-1974	<b>M.S.</b>	<b>Yale University</b> May 1974 (Connecticut, USA)	Theoretical Atomic Physics
1974-1978	<b>Ph.D.</b>	<b>Yale University</b> May 1978 (Connecticut, USA)	Theoretical Atomic Physics <sup>1</sup>
1979-1986	<b>Dr.rer.nat.habil. <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>Universität Freiburg</b> May 1986 (Freiburg, Germany)	Theoretical Physics

1 : Title of thesis : *Theory of Electron Molecule Interactions : Case Studies* under the supervision of Prof. ARVID HERZENBERG

2 : Exceptionally, the German doctorate (Dr.rer.nat.) was awarded together with the Habilitation (habil.), an academic degree beyond the Ph.D. that certifies excellence in teaching **and** research.

### I.B Scientific Career

PERIOD	POSITION	UNIVERSITY
May 1974 - Feb. 1978	<b>Research Assistant</b>	<b>Yale University</b> Department of Applied Science
March 1978 - Aug. 1979	<b>Research Associate</b>	<b>Oxford University</b> Theoretical Chemistry Department <b>Atomic Energy Establishment Harwell</b> Theoretical Physics Division
Sept. 1979 - Sept. 1983	<b>Wissenschaftlicher Angestellter</b>	<b>Universität Freiburg</b> Fakultät für Physik
Oct. 1983 - May 1986	<b>Hochschulassistent</b>	<b>Universität Freiburg</b> Fakultät für Physik

## I.B Scientific Career (cont'd)

PERIOD	POSITION	UNIVERSITY
March 1986 - April 1986	<b>Professeur Associé</b>	<b>Université de Bordeaux I</b> Laboratoire des Collisions Atomiques
<b>June 1986 - May 1990</b>	<b>Professeur Agrégé</b>	<b>Université Laval</b> Département de Physique
<b>Oct. 1992 - Sept. 1993</b>	<b>Professeur des Universités (titulaire, 2ème classe)</b>	<b>Université de Bordeaux I</b> Unité de Formation et de Recherche (UFR) de Physique
<b>Sept. 2001 - Aug. 2002</b>	<b>Professeur Associé (full time)</b>	<b>Université Pierre et Marie Curie</b> Unité de Formation et de Recherche (UFR) de Physique
<b>Sept. 2002 - Oct. 2008</b>	<b>Professeur des Universités (titulaire, 1ère classe)</b>	<b>Université Pierre et Marie Curie</b> Unité de Formation et de Recherche (UFR) de Physique
Sept. 2009 - Mai 2011 Sept. 2014 - Dec. 2014	<b>Directeur des programmes de 2ième-3ième cycles</b>	<b>Université Laval</b> <b>Faculté des sciences et de génie</b> Département de Physique, de Génie Physique, et d'Optique
<b>Juin 1990 - Août 2017</b>	<b>Professeur titulaire* / Full Professor</b>	<b>Université Laval</b> Département de Physique, de Génie Physique, et d'Optique
Sept. 2017 - April 2021	<b>Affiliated Professor</b>	<b>Université Laval</b> Département de Physique, de Génie Physique, et d'Optique

The periods in **blue** correspond to **permanent** appointments.

\* **Research Years** (U. Laval) : Sept. 1992 – Aug. 1993 ; Sept. 1999 – Aug. 2000 ;

Sept. 2008 – Aug. 2009 ; Sept. 2015 – Aug. 2016 ;

**Leave of Absence** (U. Laval) : Sept. 2001 – Aug. 2003 ;

**Active (!) Retirement** since Sept. 2017

## II. RESEARCH INTERESTS (*past* and present)

**1975-1981 Theory of electron-molecule collisions**

(shape and Feschbach resonances, vibrational and rotational excitation, e-polar molecules scattering)

**1980-2001 Theory of ion-atom collisions**

(perturbation series (Born and CDW), capture, excitation and ionisation, transport in solids)

**1997-now Complex Dynamical Systems**

(chaos characterisation and control, non-linear time series analysis, dynamical reconstruction, synchronization, dimensional reduction)

**2001-2006 Optical Orientation Dynamics in Nematic Liquid Crystals**

**2001-now Physics at the Service of Health**

(studies of dynamical diseases : Parkinson tremors, epilepsy, cardiac arrhythmia ; contact network epidemiology : propagation of infectious diseases, containment and intervention scenarios)

**2006-2015 Optical Cavity-based Photonics**

(chaos in optical systems, ray-wave dualism, micro-lasers and -sensors, e-m wave propagation and optimization in complex medium)

**2015-2021 Laser Plasma Physics**

(e-m wave propagation of femtosecond high-intensity laser pulses, laser induced periodic structures, laser plasma formation in dielectrics)

**2008-now Theory of Complex Networks**

(propagation dynamics on networks, adaptive networks, co-evolution of networks and dynamical processes, percolation on networks, network growth, communities detection, network synchronization)

More details of our present *Research Activities* and *Publications* can be found on the Web page of our research group **DYNAMICA** : [www.dynamica.phy.ulaval.ca](http://www.dynamica.phy.ulaval.ca)

## III. REPRESENTATIVE TEACHING

**undergraduate courses :**

Physique mathématique / MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS

Physique statistique / STATISTICAL PHYSICS

Dynamique nonlinéaire, chaos, et complexité / NONLINEAR DYNAMICS, CHAOS, AND COMPLEXITY

Physique numérique / COMPUTATIONAL PHYSICS

**graduate courses :**

Séminaire de dynamique moderne / MODERN DYNAMICS SEMINAR

Physique statistique avancée / ADVANCED STATISTICAL PHYSICS

Introduction à l'optique quantique / INTRODUCTION TO QUANTUM OPTICS

Processus stochastiques en sciences de la Nature / STOCHASTIC PROCESSES IN THE NATURAL SCIENCES

Théorie des systèmes complexes / THEORY OF COMPLEX SYSTEMS

## IV. ACADEMIC AND SCIENTIFIC LEADERSHIP / ACTIVITIES

### **Leadership**

- 1995-97 Chairman**, Division of Atomic and Molecular Physics (DAMP) of Canadian Association of Physicists (CAP)
- 1997-2002 Scientific Director**, Technologies *DYNAMICOS* Inc.
- 1997-2018 Founder and Director**, Research Group **DYNAMICA**
- 2009-11, 2014 Director** of Graduate Programs in Physics, Université Laval
- 2016-19 Co-Director**, Thematic Project 1 of **Sentinel North** Strategy (Canada First Research Excellence Fund and Fonds de recherche du Québec) : *Complex Systems : Structure, Function and Interrelationships in the North*<sup>3</sup>
- 2016-19 Co-Principal Investigator** : Sub-Project 1.2 of **Sentinel North** Strategy : *The resilience of complex networks : Identifying critical indicators for efficient targeted interventions*<sup>3</sup>
- 2016-19 Co-Investigator** : Sub-Project 1.1 of **Sentinel North** Strategy : *Network analysis of umbrella and indicator species : Assessing the integrity of northern ecosystems*<sup>3</sup>
- 2017– Founding Membre** : **Centre Interdisciplinaire de Modélisation Mathématique de l’Université Laval** (CIMMUL), research axis *Dynamics of Complex Systems and Complex Networks*

### **Activities**

<b>Research Director</b> (1984-2020)	<b>45</b>
	<i>32 M.Sc., 13 Ph.D.</i>
<b>Thesis Examiner</b> (1986-2015)	<b>33</b>
	<i>12 M.Sc., 21 Ph.D.</i>
 <b>Refereed Publications</b> (1975-2021)	 <b>103</b>
<b>Book Editor</b> (1995)	1
<b>Patent</b> (1997)	1
 <b>Conference/Workshop Contributions</b> (1975-2020)	 <b>143</b>
	<i>33 Oral Presentations, 92 Posters, 18 Articles</i>
<b>Conference/Workshop Participations</b> (1975-2019)	<b>87</b>
 <b>Invited Talks</b> (1978-2019)	 <b>98</b>
<b>Research Periods at Foreign International Institutes</b> (1981-2016)	18
	<i>Argentina (1), Belgium (1), France (6), Germany (9), Spain (1)</i>

3 : The titles of the research axes are those of the original proposals.