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 **Employment History**

**2015-Present Research Assistant, EPR Lab, Université Paris XI, Orsay, France**

Responsible for the EPR lab, my current interest involves the coupling of different techniques such as electrochemistry or visible light illumination for the in situ generation and detection of reaction intermediates.

**2013-2015 Postdoctoral researcher, Université Paris XI, Orsay, France**

My project involved the synthesis and study of iron-based catalyst complexes to be used for electrochemical and light-driven oxidation reactions. Working with different ligand structures, we design catalysts to be active in solution, electrodes, protein scaffolds or semiconducting surfaces. The use of different techniques including electrochemistry, flash photolysis, and EPR allow us to understand the reaction mechanisms of the cataysts.

**2008- 2013** **Postdoctoral researcher, CEA-Saclay,** **Gif sur Yvette, France**

As a research associate I worked on the synthesis and study of homogeneous and heterogeneous light driven catalysts designed to perform the oxidation of water, organic substrates as well as the reduction of carbon dioxide in order to obtain clean renewable fuels. I have also been involved in the incorporation of molecular catalysts on semiconducting surfaces as a way to construct reaction half cells that can be used as fuel-producing solar panels.

During the last five years I have been responsible for the operation of an organic chemistry lab and involved in the preparation of grants from European and French funding agencies.

I have also been responsible for the guidance and supervision of several Master’s and PhD students, and teaching of an international master’s course at Université Paris XI.

During this time I was responsible for the maintenance and running of a chemistry laboratory.

**2005-2007 PhD student, Université Paris XI, Orsay, France**

As recipient of the Blaise Pascal Scholarship I completed my PhD studies at Université Paris XI where I conducted research in the synthesis and study of ruthenium based molecules covalently linked to

manganese catalysts designed for the oxidation of water. As a result of the work carried out in both Université Paris XI and Arizona State University I was awarded a PhD for the thesis entitled “Modelisation de processus photo induits de Photosystem II” (Modelling of photo-induced processes in Photosystem II) which was awarded mention *très honorable*.

**2001-2004 PhD student, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, USA**

As a recipient of a IGERT fellowship from the National Science Foundation my graduate work involved the synthesis of artificial photosynthetic antennas, molecular wires, conducting polymers and sensitizing molecules for the study of electron and energy transfer processes and their use in solar powered devices. Most of these constructs were composed of carotenoids, phthalocyanins, and organic polymers.

As a teaching assistant I was in charge of two organic chemistry laboratory sections per semester which involved the design and supervision of lectures, practical sessions and tutorials. I was also responsible for the maintenance of a teaching NMR facility.

**1998–2001 Master’s student, Florida International University, Miami, Florida, USA**

Covered coursework on Mass Spectrometry, Structure Elucidation and Organic Synthesis. During my research I successfully designed a method for the, synthesis, isolation and identification of lutein metabolites present in human serum and retinas using HPLC, NMR, LC-MS and IR techniques. As a result of this work I was awarded the noteworthy scientific mention at the Gordon Conference in Carotenoids held in Ventura Beach, California.

As a teaching assistant I was responsible for the supervision of two organic/general chemistry laboratory sections per semester, including practical sessions and tutorials. I was presented with a 'Merit Recognition for Excellence in Teaching Award’ by Florida International University and a ‘Excellence as a Teaching Assistant in Organic Chemistry’ award by the South Florida Section of the American Chemical Society.

**EDUCATION**

**2005-2007 Université Paris XI, Orsay, France**

PhD Chemistry

**2002-2004 Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, USA**

 PhD Chemistry

**1999-2001 Florida International University, Miami, Florida, USA**

 MSc Chemistry

**1994-1998** **Florida International University**, **Miami, Florida, USA**

BS Chemistry

**PUBLICATIONS (46 publications, 1232 citations, h-factor=18)**

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Christian Herrero. CHARMAT Meeting, **Study of the Successive One-Electron Photochemical Events in a Chromophore-Catalyst Molecular Assembly**. Gif sur Yvette, France, April 28, 2014.

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Christian Herrero, Richard Bone, John Landrum. **Lutein Metabolism in Human Serum and Retina**. Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology (FASEB), San Diego, Ca, April 15-17, 2000.

**Awards**

* 2001 IGERT Scholarship ‘Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship’ funded by the National Science Foundation, 2001
* 2001 Excellence in Teaching. Merit Recognition Award by Florida International University, 2001
* 2001 Excellence as a Teaching Assistant in Organic Chemistry by the South Florida Section of the

 American Chemical Society, 2001

* 2001 Noteworthy Scientific Mention at the Gordon Conference in Carotenoids, 2001

**Teaching Experience**

* **Université Paris Sud, Orsay, France (2010-2012)**

Master International Erasmus Mundus SERP Chem.

* **Ecole thématique CNRS. Mécanismes Moléculaires fondamentaux en biologie (2008)**

Course on artificial photosynthesis, covering the basic aspects of natural photosynthesis, energy and electron transfer and catalysis.

* **Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, USA (2002-2004)**

Organic Chemistry I and II, Nuclear Magnetic Resonance.

* **Florida International University**, **Miami, Florida, USA (1998-2001)**

General Chemistry I and II, Organic Chemistry I and II.