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Education:

- Ph. D. American History, " Labor Unions and Immigration, in the United States, 1880-1920", Université Paris VIII, 1985. supervisor : Pr. Marianne Debouzy.
- BA and MA degree in English Literature, Paris, Sorbonne, 1964-67;
-Agrégation d'anglais, 1969

-Career

- 2008- Professor Emerita, Université Paris-Diderot.
- 1998-2008: Professor of American history, Université Paris VII-Denis Diderot.
- 2001-2003: Two year position as researcher at the Centre National de la recherche Scientifique (CNRS)
- 1990-1998 : Professor American history and civilization : Université Paris XII. Créteil
- 1985-1989 : Associate professor : Université Paris XII, Créteil
- 1978-1985 : Teaching Assistant, Université Paris XII, Créteil
- 1969-1978 : English teacher, Lycées Paul Eluard Epinay /Seine et Joliot Curie, Nanterre.

International Awards and mobility:

- Organization of American Historians (OAH) 2017 : Willi Paul Adams Prize for "Best book on American history written in a foreign language" for *Résister au nazisme, Le Jewish Labor Committee, New York, 1934-1945*, CNRS Editions, 2016 .
- Organization of American Historians (OAH), 1998 : David Thelen Prize for the best article on American history written in a language other than English, see below in publications list.
- Spring 1993 Visiting Professor at University of Kansas, Lawrence, History and American Studies Departments. MA courses and seminars in American social history.
- Fulbright research grants : summer 1979 and summer 1986.

-Scientific Responsibilities

- 2006-2009, Member of the Board of the European Association of American Studies
- President of the French Association of American Studies (AFEA) 2003- 2006.
- Honorary Member of the Board of the French Association of American Studies, 2006- to the present.
- Member of the Editorial Board of *Labor History*
- Editorial board of *Revue Française d'Etudes Américaines* (1998—2002)

Research and Selected Publications

Books

-*Résister au nazisme : Le Jewish Labor Committee, New York, 1934-1945*, CNRS Editions, 2016, Paris. (OAH 2017 prize mentioned above)

- *An American in Hitler's Berlin : Abraham Plotkin's Diary, 1932-1933*, edited by Catherine Collomp and Bruno Groppo, Urbana and Chicago, University of Illinois Press, 2009 .

Exilés et réfugiés politiques aux Etats-unis 1789-2000, C.Collomp and M.Menédez, eds., Paris, CNRS Editions, 2003. (Political Refugees in the United States,1789-2000)

Entre Classe et nation, Mouvement ouvrier et immigration aux Etats-Unis, 1880-1920, Paris, Belin, 1998 (Between Class and Nation, The US Labor Movement and Immigrant Workers, 1880-1920), 352 p.

Amérique sans frontière, Les Etats-Unis dans l'espace nord-américain C.Collomp and M.Menédez, eds. Presses Université de Vincennes, 1995. (The United States in the North American continent)

Articles and book chapters

-« Léon Blum, le Jewish Labor Committee (New York) et l'Arbeter Ring (Paris), 1940-1950 », in Alain Bergougnoux, dir., *Léon Blum notre contemporain*, Paris, L 'Ours, 2015 p. 201-219

-Direction and introduction of issue on « Exile and Expatriation », *Transatlantica*, <http://transatlantica.revues.org/>: Octobre 2014, in collaboration with Isabelle Richet.

- « Relief is a Political Gesture : The Jewish Labor Committee's interventions in War-Torn Poland, 1939-1945 », *Transatlantica*, 2014, <http://transatlantica.revues.org/69421>,

« Terra di rifugio ? Gli Stati Uniti e l'accoglienza degli esuli europei » in *Max Ascoli, Antifascista, intellettuale giornalista*, a cura di Renato Camurri, Milano, Franco Angeli, 2012, p. 107-122.

“Jewish-American Labor” et “Jewish Labor Committee”, in Melvyn Dubofsky and Joseph MacCartin eds., *Oxford Encyclopedia of American Economic and Labor History*, Oxford University Press, 2012.

“Anti-Semitism among American Labor”: A study by the refugee scholars of the Frankfurt School of Sociology at the end of World War II”, *Labor History*, vol. 52, n°4, Nov. 2011, p. 417-441.

« Les Juifs aux Etats-Unis », in A.Germa, B.Lellouch, E.Patlagean, *Les Juifs dans l'histoire.*, Paris, Champs Vallon, 2011, p. 523-538.

-« La Scuola di Francoforte in esilio : storia di un'inchiesta sull'antisemitismo nella classe operaia americana », *Memoria e Ricerca*, 2009, p.121-141.

With B.Groppo, « The Jewish Labor Committee : An American Network of Transatlantic Solidarity during the Nazi Years » in *Transnational Networks in the 20th Century*, ed. by B. Unfried, J. Mittag und M. van der Linden, ITH Conference, 2007, Vienna, 293-319.

« Politiques d'immigration et citoyenneté aux Etats-Unis » in Denis Lacorne, *Les Etats Unis*, Paris, Fayard, 2006, p. 107-125.

Edition of special issue, « Beyond the New Deal, A New look at the1930 's » *Transatlantica*, N°5, online journal, 2006, <http://www.transatlantica.org/>.

« Abraham Plotkin, un syndicaliste américain à Berlin, 1932-1933 », in *Transatlantica*, <http://www.transatlantica.org/document254.html>

« The Jewish Labor Committee, American Labor and European Socialists » *International Labor and Working Class History*, Fall, 2005, p 112-134.

« 'I Nostri compagni d'America' : The Jewish Labor Committee and the Rescue of Italian Antifascists, 1934-41 » *Altreitalia*, spring 2004, p. 66-83.

"La porte étroite, politique d'immigration et le problème des réfugiés aux Etats-Unis, 1932-45" (Immigration policy and the refugee problem in the US, 1932-45) in Collomp et Menéndez, *Exilés et réfugiés politiques aux Etats-Unis*, Paris CNRS Editions, 2003, p.75-95.

Le Jewish labor Committee : deux générations de réfugiés politiques « " Two Generations of Political Refugees : The Jewish Labor Committee, 1934-45", in *Ibid.*, p.135-155 .

Matériaux pour l'histoire de notre temps, "Les Etats-Unis et les Réfugiés européens" Années 1930-50" (The US and European Refugees, 1933-1950), n° 60, Sept-Dec 2000. : edition of the whole issue with B.Groppo.

- "Labor Unions and the nationalization of immigration restriction in the United States 1880-1924" in Patrick Weil et Olivier Faron, *Migration Controls in XIXth Century Europe and America*, London, Berghahn Books, 2003, p.237-253.

"Immigrants, Labor Markets and the State, A Comparative Approach, France and the United States, 1880-1930", *Journal of American History*, June 1999, pp.41-66. This is a translation of my article "Regard sur les Politiques de l'immigration, Le marché du travail en France et aux Etats-Unis, 1880-1930", *Annales H.S.S.* n°5, Sept-Oct. 1996. p. 1107-1135, which received the OAH David Thelen prize, 1998.

- "Immigration and Unionization in the United States, 1880-1920", In C.Schindler, *Arbeiterbewegung und Migration, Labour Movement and Migration, 31st International Conference of Labour Historians*, 1996, Vienna, 1996, 120-149.

- "Histoire syndicale nord-américaine, Etats Unis-Canada, de l'intégration à la séparation" in C.Collomp et M.Menéndez, *Amérique sans frontière, Les Etats-Unis dans l'espace nord-américain*, Presses Universitaire de Vincennes, 1995, 115-135, (From integration to separation US and Canadian Labor movements).

-with Marianne Debouzy, "European Migrants and the US Labor Movement, 1880's-1920's in Dirk Hoerder, H.Rossler, dir., *Roots of the Transplanted, Plebeian Culture, Class and Politics in the Life of Labor Migrants*, East European Monographs, distributed by Columbia University Press, New York, 1994, 339-383.

- "L'Histoire du syndicalisme nord-américain (Etats-Unis/Canada) in *L'Histoire du syndicalisme dans le monde*, dir. Jean Sagnes, Privat, Toulouse, 1994, pp. 61-79, 159-179, 325-341, 512-519 ("History of US and Canadian Labor" in Jean Sagnes, ed., *World History of Labor*).

-, "L'Histoire ouvrière américaine" essai d'historiographie pour *Chantiers d'Histoire Américaine*, dir. J.Heffer et F.Weil, Paris, Belin, 1994, 375-407 (US Labor Historiography).

- "La Classe ouvrière des années 1920, quelques problématiques" in J. Rougé, *Les Années 20 aux Etats-Unis, continuités et ruptures*, Presses Univ. Paris Sorbonne, 1994, 47-65, (US Workers in the 1920's)

"Ethnic Identity, Americanization and Internationalism in the Jewish Labor Movement in the US", in W.Binder, dir. *Ethnic Cultures in the 1920's in North America*, Peter Lang, Berlin, 1993, 157-175.

- "Unions, Civics and National Identity, Organized Labor's Reaction to Immigration", *Labor History*, Fall 1988, vol. 29, n°4, pp. 450-475.

- "The Social Revolution in America ? European Reactions to the Great Upheaval and to the Haymarket Tragedy", en coll. avec M. Cordillot, M. Debouzy et H. Perrier, *International Labor and Working Class History*, n° 29, Spring 1986, pp. 38-55.