

CURRENT POSITION AND STATUS

- INRA Research scientist.
- Editor at Research in Microbiology (Elsevier).

EDUCATION

- 2015: "Habilitation à diriger des recherches" (HDR), Paris-Saclay University, France.
- 1996: PhD in Microbiology and Microbial Ecology, University of Bourgogne, France.
- 1993: Master degree in Microbiology and Microbial Ecology, University of Lyon I, France.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Since 2005: Research Scientist, P. Serror's team, Micalis Institute, INRA, Jouy en Josas, France.
Enterococcus faecalis determinants of intestinal adaptation and anti-enterococcal strategies.
- 1999-2004: Research Scientist, J. Doré's team, INRA, Jouy en Josas, France.
Diversity of the gut microbiota in relation with nutrition and health.
- 1998-1999: Research Scientist, M. Lange's lab and A. Mercenier's Dept, Institut Pasteur Lille, France.
Development of molecular strategies applied to microbiological control and food safety.
- 1997-1998: Post-doctorate, M. Salkinoja-Salonen's Dept, University of Helsinki, Finland (9 months) and JPW Young's Dept, University of York, United Kingdom (6 months).
Detection and characterisation of micro-organisms in environmental samples (Helsinki) and how to define species in bacteria (York)?
- 1993-1996: PhD, N. Amarger's unit, INRA, Dijon, France.
Acquisition by a strain of *Rhizobium leguminosarum* introduced in a soil of mobile genetic elements from the indigenous population.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- *Enterococcus* (Gram-positive cocci).
- Cell wall rhamnopolysaccharide.
- Intestinal pathobionts and interaction with the microbiota and the host.
- Preventive anti-enterococcal strategies.