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Professional Activities

<i>Currently</i>	Research Director in Sociology at CNRS, the French National Center for Scientific Research (Sociology and Law) Sociology Professor at EHESS, The School for the Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences (Paris) Member of the Research Center on China, Korea and Japan (EHESS/CNRS; Paris)
<i>2010-2013</i>	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> at Peking University (Department of Sociology)
<i>2006-2008</i>	Director of the Research Center on China, Korea, and Japan 'EHESS/CNRS; Paris)
<i>2003-2008</i>	Director with Christian Lamouroux of the Research Center on Modern and Contemporary China (EHESS/CNRS; Paris).
<i>Since 2006</i>	Appointed Sociology Professor at EHESS
<i>Since 2002</i>	Appointed Research Director at CNRS
<i>1993-1995</i>	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Department of Sociology
<i>1995-1999</i>	Associated Professor, Department of Sociology, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.
<i>1986-2002</i>	Research Fellow at CNRS, member of the CECMC (EHESS/CNRS; Paris)
<i>1984</i>	PhD at INALCO, the National Institute for Oriental Languages and Civilizations (Paris)

Awards

<i>2010</i>	Le Dissez de Penanrum Award of the French Academy of Moral and Political Sciences for the book written with Hua Linshan and entitled <i>The Artifice of Democracy</i> , Paris: Le Seuil.
<i>1997</i>	Drouin de Lhuys Award of the French Academy of Moral and Political Sciences for the book written with Hua Linshan and entitled <i>A Sociological Inquiry on China, 1911-1949</i> , Paris: French University Press.
<i>1993</i>	Bronze Medal of French National Centre for Scientific Research

Principal Investigator for International programs

<i>2017-2023</i>	ANR (The French National Agency for Research) « The Formation of an Architectural Heritage in China. The 'Tianjin Model' »
<i>2009-2012</i>	ANR « Lianmin Village/ Zhang Letian Digital Database (1949-1999) »
<i>2006-2008</i>	ANR « New Patterns of Association in Urban and Rural China »
<i>1999-2000</i>	Procore - CNRS and UGTC- Hong Kong (CUHK, History Department), "Kinship Ties and Professional Mobility in the Pearl River Delta".
<i>1994-1997</i>	Joint collaboration between The Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (Institute of Sociology) and the CNRS, « New Forms of Legitimacy and Equity in China ».

Editorial Responsibilities

- Member of 5 editorial and reading boards for academic journals.
Editorial Board: *L'Homme* (France) ; *Les Futurs Passés* (France, Spain, Argentina) ; *The China Journal* (Australia).
Reading Board: *Études Chinoises* (France); *Journal of China in Comparative Perspective* (Germany)
- Evaluation of manuscripts and articles for Brill, EHESS, *Annales*, ...

Scientific and Administrative Functions

- Director of the Center for Center for Studies on Modern and Contemporary China (CECMC) and the Research Center on China, Korea, Japan/ UMR 8173 (2003-2008); Member of the Scientific Committee of the EHESS (2020-2021) ; Member of the Teaching Committee in Sociology at EHESS(from 2006 until today); Member of the Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences at the French National center for Scientific Research (from 2023)

Publications

Books and Special Issues (12) among which:

Isabelle Thireau, *Des lieux en commun. Une ethnographie des rassemblements publics en Chine contemporaine [Spaces in common: An Ethnography of public gatherings in Contemporary China]*, Paris, Éditions de l'EHESS, 2021.

Isabelle Thireau (with Hua Linshan), *Enquête sociologique sur la Chine. 1911-1949 [A Sociological Inquiry in China, 1911-1949]* (with Hua Linshan), Paris, PUF, 1996.

Isabelle Thireau (ed.), *De proche en proche. Ethnographie des formes d'association en Chine contemporaine [From Next to Next: Ethnography of Forms of Association in Contemporary China]*, Peter Lang, 2013.

Isabelle Thireau (with Olivier Remaud et Jean-Frédéric Schaub), *Faire des Sciences sociales. Comparer [Doing Social Sciences. Comparing]*, Paris, Éditions de l'EHESS, 2012.

Isabelle Thireau and Wang Hanshen (eds.), *Disputes au village chinois. Formes du juste et recompositions locales des espaces normatifs [Disputes in Chinese Villages. Patterns of Fairness and Local Configuration of Normative Spaces]*, Paris, Éditions de la Maison des Sciences de l'Homme, 2001.

Coordination of 6 Special issues for Academic Journal: *Études Rurales, Études chinoises*.

Database and web platforms: 2

Lianmin Village, Zhang Letian Digital Database (1949-1999).

Oronce Fine Tianjin websemantic platform.

Articles in Academic Journals: 41

Contribution to Collective Books: 24

Academic Conferences

Keynote speeches and conferences in France (ISA World Congress, Collège de France, Sciences-Po, FMSH, EHESS, École Française d'Extrême-Orient...) but also in various universities abroad such as Berkeley, Princeton, Columbia, Tokyo, Turin, Liège, Bruxelles, Melbourne, Beijing, Hong Kong, Shanghai

Teaching at EHESS for graduate students:

- “The Sociology of Institutions”; “The History of Sociology in China”; “Recent Debates on Pragmatism in the French Sociology”; “The Ethnographic Methodology”; “Sense of Reality, Sense of Justice”; “Norms and Legitimacy in Contemporary China” (with a focus on a different topic each year).
- Organization of two Summer Schools in Sociology; Peking University (Department of Sociology) and EHESS; in Beijing (2013) and Paris (2014).
- Supervision of Phd students (19) and Master students (15); participation to 23 PhD thesis viva.

