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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

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| • B.Sc. (Bachelor of Science) | Nutrition | Université de Montréal | 1972 |
| • M.Ed. (Master of Education) | Counselling | University of Ottawa | 1979 |
| • Ed.D. (Doctor of Education) | Adult Education | University of British Columbia | 1988 |
| • Post-Doctoral Studies | Nutrition Education | Penn State University | 1988-89 |
| • Post-Doctoral Studies | Preventive Medicine | Université de Montréal | 1989-90 |

Academic Appointments (last 5 years)

2004/present Full Professor
Département de nutrition, Faculté de médecine, Université de Montréal
1996-2004 Associate Professor
Département de nutrition, Faculté de médecine, Université de Montréal

Committees

2002-2006 Committee member, CIHR, Operating Grants, Institute of Gender and Health.
2000-2005 Committee member, Comité d'éthique centrale, Ministère de la santé et des Services sociaux, under the auspices of the FRSQ.
2000-2002 Committee member, FRSQ: Comité d'évaluation des demandes de bourses de formation en recherche pour les détenteurs d'un diplôme professionnel en santé (MSc., PhD, Post-Doctoraux).
1997-2002 Scientific Council member, Danone Institute of Canada. Evaluation of research grants and awards.
1996 Committee president, FRSQ: Programme conjoint FRSQ-Santé Québec pour l'analyse, la validation de données d'enquêtes.
1990/present Surveyor for Dietitians of Canada, Accreditation Program, University Nutrition Programs.

Honours and Awards

- Chercheur-boursier Junior 1, FRSQ, 1994-1996.
- Award for excellence in nutrition education, Canadian Dietetic Association, 1990.
- Award for excellence in scientific writing' Canadian Dietetic Association, 1991.
- Recipient of Dietitians of Canada Volunteer Recognition Program, 2004.

Societies memberships

- Ordre professionnel des diététistes du Québec
- Dietitians of Canada
- Canadian Public Health Association
- Canadian Diabetes Association
- Quebec Diabetes Association

Grant Support

- 2003-2009. CIHR, New Emerging Team (\$ 1.5 million). The study of obesity during menopause. (PI: Prud'homme and Rabasa-Lhoret)
- 2007-2010. CIHR, Operating Grant (\$ 530,010). Depression and disability in diabetes: A longitudinal community-based study. (PI: Schmitz).