

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Current position

Researcher at the National Center for Scientific Research (CNRS)
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Education

- 2002 - Post – doctorate
Saint Joseph University, Department of Geography, Beirut, Lebanon.
- 2001 – PH.D in Geography
River basin management and contemporary dynamics of territorial planning.
Comparative approach between Ardèche and the Alpes. Gumuchian (H.) (Dir.),
Université Joseph Fourier (Grenoble I).

Teaching experience

- 2001-2002, University Pierre Mendès-France, Grenoble II. (half-time).
- 2000-2001, University Joseph Fourier, Grenoble I. (half-time).
- 1998-2000, Institut de Géographie Alpine, University Joseph Fourier, Grenoble I.
These teaching positions amounted to 326 hours
- 2004- to date, CNEARC (Centre National des Etudes Agronomiques sur les Régions Chaudes) – Montpellier. One module in the Master "Social Management of water"
- ENGREF Clermont-Ferrand, Module « Territorial management of water"
- 2007-to date, Master (2nd year option): "Water Management, Institutions and Territories", within the Master Program: "Innovations and Development of rural territories". University of Montpellier. Starting September 2007.

Expertise

- *Rhône Méditerranée Corse Water Agencie* (Agence de l'eau Rhône Méditerranée Corse).
<http://www.eaurmc.fr/>

Water management and land planning. Which articulation?
Technical Guide n°8

- *Water management and land planning in regional development. Rhône Méditerranée Corse Water Agencie, Regional direction of environment.* <http://www.languedoc-roussillon.ecologie.gouv.fr/loadPge.php?file=eau/amenagement.file>

- *Collective expertise with FRENCH NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH (NIAR) : Dryness and agriculture.*

http://www.inra.fr/toute_l_actu/gauche/reduire_la_vulnerabilite_de_l_agriculture_a_un_risque_accru_de_manque_d_eau
Rapport rendu le 19 octobre 2006.

Key qualifications

Stéphane Ghiotti is a geographer and focuses his research on issues of water management in the Mediterranean region. The wider framework of his research is the dynamics of the relationships between water, societies and territories. He is involved in several case studies at different scales and in different countries of the region which document the historical evolution, and reflect on the future, of these relationships. His approach is markedly broad, with insights from history, geography, economy and socio-cultural perspectives.

His work includes theoretical work on the "river basin" as a geographical object and on territorial governance. His comparative approach across several countries explores three dimensions: water policies and water reforms, their formation and implementation at different scales (national or distribution system level); linkages between local water management and processes of politico-administrative decentralization; the construction of water territories and their articulation with other management units.

His main field work has taken place in France, Lebanon and Morocco, and his interest is centered on the Mediterranean region, especially mountain environments and rural or peri-urban territories.

Publications

Articles

2006 – *Territorial reforms and water policy in Lebanon: Natural logics helping modernization?* (Réforme territoriale de la politique de l'eau au Liban : les logiques naturelles au secours de la modernisation ?), In *Territoires institutionnels, territoires fonctionnels*, Bleton-Ruget, A., Commerçon, N., Gonod, P. (dir.), Mâcon, Institut de recherche du val de Saône-Mâconnais, pp. 507-519. <http://www.recherche-maconnais.org/travaux.htm>

2006 – *The plurality of water territories in France: the governance of river basins and its limits* (Du ou des Territoires de l'eau en France ? La gouvernance de bassin versant ou les limites d'une évidence), In Les territoires de l'eau, Revue Développement Durable et Territoires, dossier n°6, 24 p. (mis en ligne le 10 février 2006). <http://developpementdurable.revues.org/>

2006 – *Strategic masterplan for water resource development and management in the Ardeche region: towards a new sharing of land and water* (Le schéma d'aménagement et de gestion des eaux de l'Ardèche. Vers un nouveau partage de l'eau et des territoires), in L'eau en Ardèche, ses usages, ses enjeux, ses contraintes, Mémoire d'Ardèche et Temps Présent, n°90, pp. 57-63. <http://www.memoire-ardeche.com/>

2005 – *Climate change and territorial policies* (Changement climatique et politiques territoriales), in Eau pour tous : l'état d'urgence, Pour, n°185, pp. 74-81. (with Brun. A), <http://www.grep.fr/pour/numeros/pour185.htm>

2005 – *Who benefits from 'participation'? Water reform in Lebanon.* (A qui profite la participation ? la réforme de la politique de l'eau au Liban), in Sciences de la Société, n°64, pp. 195-212. <http://w3.univ-tlse2.fr/scsoc/>

2004 – *River basin and decentralisation: an instrumentalization?* (Bassin versant et décentralisation : une instrumentalisation ?) Cybérgeo, (with Haghe, J-P.) <http://193.55.107.45/eurogeo2.htm>

Research reports

2004. *Water policy reforms in Lebanon. Territorial aspects of Institutional change* (La réforme de la politique de l'eau au Liban. Les enjeux territoriaux de la réorganisation institutionnelle). Rapport de Post-Doctorat, programme CEDRE, Région Rhône-Alpes, 56 p.

Book and book chapters

2007 – *Development and management of water territories in France* (Les territoires de l'eau. Gestion et développement en France), Paris, CNRS Editions, coll. Espaces et milieux, 264 p. (www.cnrseditions.fr)

2006 – *Territorialization and fragmentation in Lebanon water policy reform* (Quand territorialisation rime avec fragmentation. Les enjeux territoriaux autour de la réforme de la politique de l'eau au Liban), in Politiques de l'eau. Grands principes et réalités locales, Brun, A. et Lasserre, F. (dir.), Québec, PUQ, pp. 189-222. (with Barakat. L) http://www.puq.ca/fr/repertoire_fiche.asp?titre=titres&noProduit=G1457

2005 – *River basin management: the limits of the French model and its application to Lebanon* (Le bassin versant en question. Le modèle français de gestion de l'eau et les limites de son application au Liban), in Le territoire est mort, vive les territoires, Antheaume (B.) & Giraut (F.) (Dirs.), Paris : IRD éditions, pp. 247-267. <http://www.ird.fr/editions/catalogue/ouvrage.php?livre=335>