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Bernard TERRIER is graduate both from Paris Institute of Political Studies (Sciences Po), and Paris 2 Law university.

He started his career in Paris in a public agency in charge of helping farmers to set up legal entities.

In 1972, he joined the Merlin Gerin group, now known as Schneider Electric, which is a large multinational group (2013 sales, 24 billions €). During more than 30 years he held various positions up to senior responsibilities in management control and finance areas.

In 2003, he started a consultancy business providing controllership service. In 2005 he joined the Faculty of Economics of Grenoble as a full time associate teacher, fulfilling broad responsibilities, not only in teaching activities, but in coaching, academic works and business administration.

Since 2011, he works as a controller for a body in charge of monitoring the french NGO's.

Date of birth : 28/04/1948; married, 2 children

Curriculum Vitae of Bernard TERRIER

Education

- ✓ 1971 Master in Economics & Finance, Paris Institute of Political Studies (Sciences Po)
- ✓ 1971 Professionnal Lawyer's Certificate, Paris 2 University
- ✓ 1970 Institute of commercial law, Paris 2 University
- ✓ 1970 Master in Public Law, Paris 2 University

Languages

Bernard Terrier is a native speaker of French and works both in French and English. He has some fluency in Spanish and Portuguese, and has started to learn Chinese at the Paris 7 University and Confucius Institute.

Working experience

- ✓ 2007 – present : is a controller for a french charity in charge of monitoring the main french NGO's (governance, management control, transparency).
- ✓ 2005 – 2011 : was a full time Associate professor at the Grenoble faculty of Economics, teaching corporate finance in several masters (Ingénierie Economique, Diagnostic d'entreprises, Institut d'Etudes Politiques).
 - Teaching : thanks to his business experience, financial basics and interactive pedagogy, got an average rating of 90% (students satisfied or very satisfied).
 - Coaching : helped more than 100 students to find a job or a trainee job for last master year purpose.
 - Academic works :
 - is the co-author of a book on “Méthodologie du diagnostic d'entreprise”
 - in 2008 october, initiated a conference held in Grenoble on financial crisis
 - associated to relationships with ukrainian universities
 - Administration : member of the council of the faculty of Economics, was in charge of improving its attractiveness and relationships with companies
- ✓ 2003 – 2005, worked as a consultant
 - consultancy works for small public associations
 - master courses to several business schools (Paris, Marseille, Grenoble)
- ✓ 1972 – 2003, worked many years for the Merlin Gerin group, then Schneider Electric group, where he held various positions in management control and finance
 - Panel boards business unit chief financial officer
 - Corporate director for group accounting principles and organization
 - IT business unit group controller (mergers & acquisitions, USA operations, strategic negotiations with competitors)
 - Turn key contracts controller (projects control, tax optimization), mainly in Middle East and Far East areas (Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Iraq, Malaysia, Singapore...)
 - International controller (subsidiaries set up, reporting, internal audit, acquisitions), in many countries (Brazil, Columbia, RSA, Canada, Singapore, UK...)
 - Strategic planning head, reporting to the CEO; organized and analyzed corporate long range plans, carried out competitors surveys
 - Medium voltage department controller
- ✓ 1970 – 1972, worked as a lawyer in a state association in charge of helping farmers to set up legal entities (to share land cost and manage farms in common); wrote brochures explaining the laws; gave legal advice and consultancy works to farmers.