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Publications

"When does a prediction become patentable?", Newsletter GGData, Vol. 3, No. 3, July 2003

Education

- Ph.D. Physics, *Université de Montréal*, 2000
- Advanced Study Diploma (equivalent Master): Microstructure, mechanics and microscopic properties of matter and materials, *École Nationale Supérieure des Mines de Paris*, Sophia-Antipolis, 1994
- Advanced Study Diploma, *Institut National des Sciences Appliquées de Lyon*, 1993
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Boards and Professional Affiliations

- Fédération des Ingénieurs INSA
- Intellectual Property Institute of Canada (IPIC)
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