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Vector-borne and zoonotic viral diseases : what risks for humans and animals in the era of globalization ?

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CURRICULUM VITAE



Professor Rémi Charrel is a Medical Doctor with specialization in Virology, full professor at the **Medicine Faculty of Aix-Marseille University** and Head of the research group on Emergence and genomics of RNA viruses. He did his Post-doctoral fellowship at the WHO Reference Center for Tropical Diseases at the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston (Texas) where he worked from 1997 to 2000 with Profs Bob Tesh, Bob Shope, David Walker, Scott Weaver, Alan Barrett, and Chuck Fulhorst on Flaviviruses, Alphaviruses and Arenaviruses.

Then, he returned as Associate Professor at Aix-Marseille University where he created the **Unit of Emerging Viruses** together with Prof Xavier de Lamballerie. He has published more than 200 peer-reviewed articles and is involved in several NIH and European funded research grants. His main interests are the medical and epidemiological aspects of vector-borne viral diseases, specifically those transmitted by sandflies and ticks, with virus discovery programs leading to integrated and translational research projects with the **"One Health"** concept. In addition, he is also interested in medical aspects of mass gathering events and the possible consequences for disease transmission and contagion. Most recently, his research programs focused on the elucidation of the medical and veterinary importance of newly discovered arthropod borne viruses in the Middle East and the Balkan regions.

PROGRAM

- 3 pm** : Conference (Amphi C)
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