

Education/Training

Institution and Location	Degree	Year(s)	Field of study
Paris III University	Masters	1970-1974	Linguistics
Paris VIII University	PhD	1988	Linguistics
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge Mass	Post PhD	1987-88	Cognitive science

Research and professional experience

1974-1985, Assistant Scientist, Institut National de la Langue Française, CNRS, Nancy, France
 1985-90, Assistant Professor, Department of linguistics, Pennstate University, Pennsylvania.
 1990-93, Assistant Scientist, Department of linguistics, University of Quebec in Montréal.
 1994 - Assistant Scientist, UMR 7023 (Formal Structure of Language), CNRS, Paris.

Recent Scientific Activities and Honors

1980 Award of the Tietgen Science Foundation, Copenhagen.
 1984-85 Award of the Fyssen Science Foundation, Paris
 1987-1988 Award of the Sloan Foundation for Cognitive Science, Cambridge Mass
 1999-2004 Member of the editorial Board of *Lingua*
 1999- Associate Editor, *North Holland Linguistic Variation Series, Elsevier, London.*
 1999- Main Editor, *The Linguistic Variation Yearbook*, Benjamins, Amsterdam.
 2000- Associate member, *Brain and Cognitive Science*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge.
 2004 Award of the Discovery Prize, French Ministry of Research, Paris
 2008- Associate Editor of *Language Faculty and Beyond*, John Benjamins, Amsterdam.

Selected Publications (from over 50 publications)

Pica, P. (1984), "Subject, tense and Truth : Towards a modular approach to Binding", J Guéron, H Obenauer, & J-Y Pollock, eds Grammatical Representations, Foris, Dordrecht.
 Pica, P. (in collaboration with Mitsou Ronat) (1985), *Catégories vides et explication en syntaxe*, Modèles linguistiques, VII. 1, PUL, Lille.
 Pica, P. (1985), "De quelques implications théoriques de l'étude des relations à longue distance", M Ronat & D Couquaux eds. *La grammaire modulaire*, Minit, Paris, 187-207.
 Pica, P (1987), "On the reflexivization Cycle", J Mc Donough & B Plunkett eds *Proceedings of the 17th Annual Meeting of the North East Linguistic Society*, 483-500.
 Pica, P. (1988), "Sur le caractère inalienable de l'être" in T Papp & P Pica eds. *Transparence et Opacité*, Cerf, Paris, 176-207
 Pica, P. (1991), "On the interaction between binding and antecedent-Government : the case of long distance reflexivization", J Koster & E Reuland eds. *Issues of long Distance Anaphora*, Cambridge University Press, 119-135
 Pica, P. (in collaboration with J Bonneau) (1995), "On the theoretical Implications of the development of the complementation system in English and its correlation with switch reference", J Beckman ed *Proceedings of North Eastern Linguistic Society 25, GLSA, Amherst, vol II*, 135-150
 Pica, P. (1996), "Quelques éléments pour une typologie de l'accord verbal", *Faits de langue*, Ophrys, Paris, 89-102.

- Pica, P. (in collaboration with J Bonneau & T Nakajima), (1998), "A restrictive/non restrictive Distinction in possessive nominals" in S Blake, Eun Sook, B. & Shakin, eds. Proceedings of the 17th Annual of the West Coast
- Pica, P (2002) "Introduction" in The linguistic Variation Yearbook, 1, pp I-xii, Benjamins, Amsterdam.
- Pica, P (2004) (in collaboration with C Lemer, V Izard & S Dehaene), "Exact and Approximate Arithmetic in an Amazonian Indigene Group", Science 306, 499-503.
- Pica, P (en collaboration avec S Dehaene, V Izard & E Spelke) (2008), "Log or Linear Distinct Intuitions of the Number Scale in Western and Amazonian Cultures" Science n° 320 pp 1217-1220.