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Education

- 2019 **PhD in Human Geography**
University of Lausanne, Switzerland
Thesis entitled "Beneath the Latrines of Mandalay: Sanitation Government and Urban Political Ecological Change in Myanmar"
- 2014 **MSc in Geography & Development Studies**
University of Lausanne, Switzerland
Thesis entitled "Small Cities, Urban Environment and the Poor: A Study in Amreli, Gujarat"
- 2012 **BSc in Geography & Urban Planning**
3rd year: *Licence 3*, Lyon Institute of Urban Planning, France
2nd year: *Khâgne Lyon Histoire/Géographie*, Lycée Edouard Herriot, France
1st year: *Hypokhâgne A/L*, Lycée Edouard Herriot, France

Awards

- 2014 Faculty Award for the MSc Thesis (*Summa Cum Laude*)

Appointments

- 2020 **Lecturer in Human Geography & Development Studies**
University of Lausanne, Switzerland
- 2017-2018 **Scientific Advisor**
GRET, Mandalay/Magway, Myanmar
Capacity building project "ROSAMUR: strengthening operators for improved basic urban services in Myanmar cities"
- 2015-2019 **Teaching & Research Assistant in Human Geography**
University of Lausanne, Switzerland
- 2014 **Scientific Collaborator**
University of Lausanne, Switzerland
Research project "Small cities, urban environment and governance in India"
- 2013-2014 **Student Assistant**
University of Lausanne, Switzerland

Services to the profession

2020	Swiss Federal Agency of Accreditation and Quality Assurance External Expert in the Accreditation Procedure of the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva
2015-2020	Junior Staff Association, Faculty of Geosciences and the Environment, UNIL President (2017 – 2020)
2011-2012	Student Association, Lyon Institute of Urban Planning Committee Member
2009-2011	Student Association, Lycée Edouard Herriot Vice-President (2009 – 2010), President (2010 – 2011)

Teaching

Course	Timeframe	Level, Institution	Role
Land Resources, Conflict Transformation, Urban and Environmental Governance	Cancelled due to COVID-19	PhD, IGS North-South (Dawei)	Co-teaching
Doctoral Seminar in Urban Political Ecology	Cancelled due to COVID-19	PhD, IGS North-South (Lausanne)	Co-teaching
Development Theories and History - Seminar	2020	Postgraduate, UNIL	Teaching
Development Theories and History - Course	2019	Postgraduate, UNIL	Support
Social Geography (Tutorships)	2019-2020	Undergraduate, UNIL	Teaching
Field Research – Fieldwork Camp in Madagascar	2018	Postgraduate, UNIL	Co-teaching
Research Methods in Human Geography	2017-2018	Faculty, University of Mandalay	Teaching
Building Soft Skills in Development Studies - Portfolio	2015-2020	Postgraduate, UNIL	Teaching
Urban Environments: Politics, Governance, Infrastructures	2015-2020	Postgraduate, UNIL	Co-teaching & Support

Introduction to Practices in International Cooperation	2015-2018	Postgraduate, UNIL	Support
Qualitative Research Methods	2015-2018	Undergraduate, UNIL	Co-teaching & Support
Preparatory Course for the Bachelor Thesis	2015-2016	Undergraduate, UNIL	Support
Milieu, Space, Territory (Tutorships)	2016	Undergraduate, UNIL	Support
Cities, Urbanization, Development	2014	Postgraduate, UNIL	Support
Urban Metabolism	2014	Postgraduate, UNIL	Support
Territorial Systems	2014	Undergraduate, UNIL	Support

Teaching Tools Proficiencies: Moodle, Mahara, Prezi, PowerPoint, Field Trips, World Café, Roleplay, Participatory Methods, Flipped Classroom.

Supervision

- 2020 **Manon Mariller**, MSc Thesis: Women's representation and actions in civil society through feminist associations in Yangon since 2011
Co-supervision with Prof. René Véron
- 2018 **Maël Joly**, MSc Thesis: Solid Waste Management, Gender, and Class: the case of Decentralized Composting Waste Governance in Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala
Co-supervision with Prof. René Véron
- 2016 **Charlotte Parisod**, MSc Thesis: Gestion des Déchets et Classes Sociales: Cas d'Étude d'Alappuzha (Solid Waste Management and Social Classes : Alappuzha Case Study)
Co-supervision with Prof. René Véron
- 2016 **Alexandra Reist**, BSc Thesis: La Perception de la Vidéosurveillance dans l'Espace Public : Étude sur la Place du Flon à Lausanne (The Perception of CCTV Surveillance in Public Spaces: Study on the Place du Flon in Lausanne)

Publications

Sanchez, J., Myat, S. S., Le Loc'h, T., & Lejeune, T. (in preparation). Towards a comprehensive methodology for the assessment of urban sanitation challenges: taking Shit Flow Diagrams one step further. *Water Alternatives*.

Sanchez, J., & Myat, S. S. (accepted, 2nd review). Expanding the southern urban critique: elite politics, popular politics, and self-governance in the wards of Mandalay. *Environment and Planning C: Politics and Space*.

Sanchez, J. (accepted, 2nd review). Blinded like a State? Urban sanitation, improvement and high modernism in contemporary Myanmar. *Political Geography*.

Sanchez, J. (2019, December). PhD Thesis: Beneath the Latrines of Mandalay: Sanitation Government and Urban Political Ecological Change in Myanmar. University of Lausanne. Dir. Prof. René Véron.

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Sanchez, J. (2019, November). Book Review: City Water Matters: Cultures, Practices and Entanglements of Urban Water. *Social and Cultural Geography*, 21(3), 446-447.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/14649365.2019.1691288>

Sanchez, J. (2019, October). Urbanization, urban governance, and the challenges of contemporary Myanmar. *GeoAgenda*, 4, 4-7.

<https://naturalsciences.ch/service/series/64095-geoagenda>

Sanchez, J. (2019, July). Urban development falling into the gutter: Sanitation planning and 'anti-politics' in Myanmar. *Third World Quarterly*, 40(12), 2228-2245.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/01436597.2019.1636641>

Sanchez, J., Myat, S. S., & Kyaw, P. P. (2019, March). Shit Flow Diagram Report: Mandalay, Myanmar. Mandalay/Lausanne: Sustainable Sanitation Alliance/SFD Promotion Initiative.

<https://www.susana.org/en/knowledge-hub/resources-and-publications/library/details/3590>

Sanchez, J. (2016). Book Review: Understanding Reform in Myanmar: People and Society in the Wake of Military Rule. *Singapore Journal of Tropical Geography*, 37(3), 441-443.

<https://doi.org/10.1111/sjtg.12169>

Sanchez, J. (2014). MSc Thesis: Small cities, urban environments and the poor. A study in Amreli, Gujarat. University of Lausanne. Dir. Prof. René Véron.

<https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.30546.30401>

Talks

Sanchez, J. (2020, June). Charting the Urban Political Ecologies of water: what, where, and who. Presented at POLLEN 2020, Brighton. *Cancelled due to COVID-19*

Sanchez, J. (2019, November). Mapping the Urban Political Ecologies of water: concepts, objects and geographies. Presented at the 17th Swiss Geoscience Meeting, Fribourg.

Sanchez, J. (2019, September). La gouvernance de l'assainissement urbain au-delà des enjeux techniques au Myanmar. Conference for the *Development Partnerships Day organized for the 30th anniversary of the Fédération Vaudoise de Coopération*, Lausanne.

Sanchez, J. (2019, July). Urban development falling into the gutter: Sanitation planning and 'anti-politics' in Myanmar. Presented at the 11th International Conference of Asia Scholars, Leiden.

Sanchez, J. (2019, May). Dans les égouts de Mandalay. Les défis de l'urbanisation au Myanmar au prisme de l'assainissement. Guest lecture at the University of Neuchâtel.

Sanchez, J. (2019, March). Blinded like a State: urban sanitation, improvement and high modernism in contemporary Myanmar. Presented at the Myanmar Update 2019, Canberra.

Sanchez, J. (2018, December). Assessing Urban Sanitation Challenges. Presented at the Sanitation in Myanmar Cities Seminar, Mandalay.

Sanchez, J. (2018, November). Urban development gone to shit? Sanitation Planning and Anti-Politics in Myanmar. Presented at the 16th Swiss Geoscience Meeting, Bern.

Sanchez, J., & Myat, S. S. (2018, August). In the Wards of Mandalay: Everyday Urban Governance and Political Society in Contemporary Myanmar. Presented at the 13th International Burma Studies Conference, Bangkok.

Sanchez, J. (2018, January). Urban Sanitation in Mandalay. Governance, Planning and Democracy. Public lecture at Yone Kyi Yar (NGO), Mandalay.

Sanchez, J. (2017, September). The power of knowledge and its role in urban sanitation governance. Presented at the 2nd Regional Knowledge Conference, University of Mandalay.

Ancillary activities

Since 2018 [Réseau Bénévolat Netzwerk](#)
Committee Member (since 2019)

Since 2018 **Environmental INGO, Fribourg**
Scientific Advisor

Since 2018 [Myanmar Researchers Network](#)
Founder and Manager

Hobbies Miniature painting, tabletop gaming, running, pop and medieval-fantasy culture.

Language proficiency

French	English	Spanish	German	Burmese
Native	Fluent (C2)	Proficient (C1)	Intermediate (B2)	Basic Skills

Roads not Taken

Appointments

- 2020 Post-Doctoral Fellow in Human Geography, Dartmouth College
Hiring procedure cancelled due to COVID-19
- Postdoc in Human Geography, University of Bern
Invited to interview, not selected
- 2019 Fellow in Human Geography, London School of Economics
Invited to interview, not selected

Publications

- 2019 Article rejected from *Environment and Planning D*
(editor)
Article withdrawn from *Urban Affairs Reviews*
(after 7 months of waiting for an initial editorial decision)
Article rejected from *Journal of Water, Sanitation and Hygiene for Development*
(2 reviewers)
- 2018 Article rejected from *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*
(editor)
Article rejected from *World Development*
(editor)