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**Faculty position: Associate Professor of Marketing & Consumer Psychology**

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**Pablo de Diesbach** is Associate professor in Marketing & Psychology at ISG INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SCHOOL since 2012, and actively involved in research programs.

**His research focus on** Virtual agents and user interaction; quantitative methods; emotions and customer or user experience: facets of experience and effects on relationship, loyalty. He also works on QOL-quality of life in a cancer context (psychooncology).

**His Teaching focus on** Research Quantitative methods; Social media marketing; Luxury operations; Emotions & customer experience; Oral communication technique; and (New in 2020) Art & culture(s) in Africa  
Past teachings: Sales technique in Hospitality (B2C, MICE); International marketing; Cons. psychology  
He has also been a referee in Pedagogical Innovation on optimizing blended learning

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## Teaching Areas

Course 1: Quantitative research methods

Course 2: Social media marketing

Course 3: Art & Culture in Africa

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## Research Interests

Interest 1: Virtual agents and user interaction

Interest 2: emotions and customer or user experience in the luxury sector

Interest 3: emotions and quality of life in psychooncology

## **Education**

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### **2006**

Ph.D in Management Sciences, U. AIX-MARSEILLE, IAE of Aix-en-Provence, France,  
Effects of Embodied virtual agents on stickiness online, on a branding website (*Agents virtuels incarnés et pouvoir de rétention du site de marque*). Mention « *Très honorable avec les félicitations du jury à l'unanimité* » (*Summa Cum Laude*). Golden Cube European award for the best thesis in E Commerce-E Marketing 2007

Advisor: Pr. Jean-Louis Chandon

Committee: Pr. Dwight Merunka, IAE of Aix-en-Provence,

Emmanuelle Le Nagard-Assayag, ESSEC; David Midgley, INSEAD; Gilles Laurent, HEC Paris

### **1994**

MBA ESSEC (AACSB+EQUIS accredited). Major in Marketing & Sales

## **Teaching Experience**

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### **Since 2009**

Leadership in context of Terrorism, FOUNDATION RAFAEL DEL PINO, Madrid

Research methods and scale construction and validation for PhD students, U. of Salamanca, Spain

### **From 2001 to 2008, Polytechnic University, Barcelona & Castilla la Mancha**

Leadership-Conflict management

### **From 2001 to 2005; ESSEC Bachelor**

E Business and E marketing

## **Other Professional Experience**

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### **1996-2000**

Professional Education, Key Account Consultant, SYNTHESIS (FR). Specialization in Change management and High-potential leaders' evolution. Evaluating prospects and customer needs.

### **1996-1998**

International Sales Manager, DIDIER LAMARTHE (ANDRE Group, FR) luxury leather goods.

### **1994-1996**

Area Sales Manager, CELINE (LVMH Group, FR). Luxury leather goods & ready-to-wear.

## **Publications**

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### **Articles in refereed journals**

Ahuvia A., Garg N., Batra R., McFerran B., Diesbach P. (2018), *Journal of the Association for Consumer Research*, Pride of Ownership: An Identity Based Model, 3, 2, 28 pp.

Cornide M., Diesbach P., Clayton M., Esteban B. (2018), *Journal of Cancer Prevention & Current Research*, Assessing quality-of-life of cancer caregivers in Spain: Validation of CQOLC-Spain scale and elements of a cross-cultural analysis, 22 pp.

- Diesbach P. (2012), *Tourism and Hospitality Management*, Touristic destination ambassadors: case analysis and reconceptualization. How to better use brand ambassadors in cognitive, affective and experiential approaches. 18, 2, 30 pp.
- Diesbach P. (2011), Les ambassadeurs de la marque dans le secteur horloger: concepts et implications de l'approche affective et symbolique, in *L'Horlogerie et ses Ambassadeurs*, LEP, Lausanne, Ed. Zorik K. & Courvoisier F., pp. 173-214 (+ publication in 14<sup>ème</sup> Journée de Recherche en Marketing Horloger)
- Diesbach P. (2010), *Persuasive Technology*, Embodied Agents, E-Service Quality and Stickiness: Improving existing models, Ed. Springer LNCS, pp. 150-163 (Best Paper Award nomination)
- Diesbach P. (2010), L'image et le renforcement de la relation avec le consommateur: Etude sur la communication de quelques marques horlogères de luxe, in *L'utilisateur horloger dans un monde en mutation*, LEP, Lausanne, Ed. Zorik K. & Courvoisier F., 22 pp. (+ publication in 13<sup>ème</sup> JRMH)
- Diesbach P., Midgley D. (2008), *Advances in Consumer Research*, Embodied agents on a branding website: Modeling effects through an affective persuasion route, pp. 22-29
- Midgley D., de Diesbach P. (2008), *Persuasive Technology*, Embodied Agents on Commercial Websites: Modeling their effects through an Affective Persuasion Route, Ed. Springer LNCS 5033, pp. 283-296
- Lambert de Diesbach P., Midgley D. (2007), Embodied virtual agents: an affective and attitudinal approach of the effects on man-machine stickiness in a product/service discovery, *Human Computer Interaction*, Jul., 10pp.
- Diesbach P., Midgley D. (2007), *Persuasive Technology*, Embodied agents on a website: Modeling an attitudinal route of influence, Ed. Springer LNCS 4744, pp. 223-230
- Diesbach P., Jeandrain A.C. (2004), *Advances in Consumer Research*, Online immersion and emotional reactions online: proposal of an integrative model, pp. 1-8.

### ***Conference Presentations***

- Cornide M., Diesbach P., Abad D., Martin M., Martin T., Garcia L., Gallegos I., Arranz F., Vidal R., Cruz J.J., Assessing QOL for cancer long-survivors: Ferrell scale validation in Spain and validity study against other QOL scales. SEOM/ Spanish Oncological Society conference, Oct. 2017;
- Diesbach P., Collado J., Czierliska E., Manzano D., Anaza S., Metaanalisis de las escalas de medicion emocionales del cuidador en cancer, Conferencia annual de Oncologia de Castilly y Leaon (ACLO), May 2016;
- Diesbach P. (2011), 4th Advances in Tourism Marketing, Touristic Destination Ambassadors, conceptualization and reflections: from a cognitive to an experiential persuasion approach, 30 pp, (Best Paper Award);
- Diesbach P. (2010), LeBel J., 15<sup>ème</sup> Journée de Recherche en Marketing de Bourgogne (JRMB), Accounting for pleasure: An attempt to improve experiential consumption modeling, Ed. Filser M., 16 pp.
- Moinat V., de Diesbach P. (2009), 3rd Advances in Tourism Marketing, Rejuvenating touristic consumption: From a cognitive approach to a symbolic intent of modelization, Ed. Sibila S., 20pp.
- Diesbach P., Chandon J.L., Midgley D. (2008), 8<sup>ème</sup> Journée de Recherche sur le E Marketing, Embodied agents on a branding website: Deepening on website stickiness through an attitudinal route, Ed. Lemoine J.F., 17 pp.
- Diesbach P., Midgley D. (2008), 37<sup>ème</sup> Conférence European Marketing Academy, Embodied agents on a branding website: Deepening website stickiness through an attitudinal persuasion route, 10pp.
- Diesbach P., Jeandrain A.C. (2008), 37<sup>ème</sup> Conférence European Marketing Academy, Immersion in an online merchant environment: Are consumers ready to feel their presence in such Environment? 10pp.
- Diesbach P., Galan J.P., Chandon J.L. (2007), 13<sup>ème</sup> Conférence Annuelle de l'AFM, Aix-les-Bains, Effets de la présence et la congruence d'un agent sur le pouvoir de rétention du site, 27 pp.

- Diesbach P., Galan J.P., Chandon J.L. (2006), 11ème JRMB, Impact de la présence d'un agent virtuel incarné sur le pouvoir de rétention du site web : une analyse comportementale par les fichiers log, Ed. Filsen M., 17 pp.
- Diesbach P., Galan J.P. (2006), 6ème Journée de Recherche sur le E Marketing, L'agent virtuel incarné dans la distribution en ligne : cadre théorique et revue de littérature, Ed. Lemoine J.F., 24 pp.
- Diesbach P. (2003), Virtual agents & stickiness online, an integrative model, ACM 8th International Web 3-D Technology Conference, ISBN: 1-58113-644-7, Ed. Beitler M., U. Pennsylvania, 20 pp.
- Lambert de Diesbach P. (2002), International Symposium on Atmospherics, AFM-CERAM, Ambiance factors, emotions, web user behaviour: a model integrating affective symbolical approach, Ed. Gallopel K. Rieunier S., 19 pp.
- Lambert de Diesbach P. (2001), 1st Experiential E-commerce Conference, Ambiance factors and approach behavior in the e-commerce: a theoretical framework, Ed. Edwards St., Michigan State U., 14pp.
- Lambert de Diesbach P. (2001), 13th ISPIM, Impact of ambiance factors on web users stickiness & purchase behavior: mediation of emotional factors and perceived time, Ed. Yanagashita K., Nihon Un., ISBN 951-764-558-9, 25 pp..

## **Reviewing Activity**

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QUALITY OF LIFE RESEARCH,  
INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF QUALITY IN HEALTHCARE,  
ACR,  
AFM/ASSOCIATION FRANÇAISE DU MARKETING,  
ADVANCES IN TOURISM MARKETING,  
EMAC,  
PERSUASIVE TECHNOLOGY,  
DECISIONS MARKETING