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Short Biography

Yves Tiberghien (Ph.D. Stanford University, 2002; Harvard Academy Scholar 2006; Fulbright Scholar 1996) is a Professor of Political Science, Konwakai Chair in Japanese Research, and Director of the Center for Japanese Research at the University of British Columbia (UBC) in Vancouver, Canada. In November 2017, he was made a *Chevalier de l'ordre national du mérite* by the French President.

Yves is a Distinguished Fellow at the Asia-Pacific Foundation of Canada and a Senior Fellow at the University of Alberta's China Institute. He is an International Steering Committee Member at Pacific Trade and Development Conference (PAFTAD) and a visiting professor at Tokyo University, The Taipei School of Economics, and Sciences Po Paris. He has held other visiting positions at National Chengchi University (Taiwan), GRIPS (Tokyo), and the Jakarta School of Public Policy (Indonesia).

His research focuses on the comparative political economy of East Asia and on global economic and environmental governance. His latest book is [The East Asian Covid-19 Paradox](#). August 2021. University Press (with post-2021 updates found [here](#)).

He is working on two new books, respectively titled *Up for Grabs: Disruption, Competition, and the Remaking of the Global Order* and *Navigating the Age of Disruption: Understanding Canada's Options in a Shifting Global Order*. He is also leading a research project on the political economy of the twin industrial revolutions (digital/AI and green tech).

His previous books include *Entrepreneurial States: Reforming Corporate Governance in France, Japan, and Korea* (2007, Cornell University Press); *L'Asie et le futur du monde* (2012, Paris: Science Po Press); and *Leadership in Global Institution-Building: Minerva's Rule* (2013, edited volume, Palgrave Macmillan). In 2020, he edited [an online collection of papers on Japan's leadership in the Liberal International Order](#). He has published articles and book chapters on the political economy of Japan and China, global governance, global climate change politics, and the governance of agricultural biotechnology.

Dr. Tiberghien co-founded the [Vision 20 initiative](#) in 2015, a new coalition of global scholars and policy-makers aiming at providing a long-term perspective on the challenges of global economic and environmental governance.