



Brigitte Coutant: short biography

I was part of the initial team that developed the project of Cité des sciences et de l'industrie in Paris, which became Universcience, including Palais de la Découverte in 2011.

Until February 2015 I was director of national and international policy and programs, with expertise ranging from outreach programs and travelling exhibitions to consultancy for designing new science centers or exhibitions. I am now an independent expert.

I am one of the founding board members of ECSITE and have been awarded as Honorary Fellow. In 2016/17, I served as advisor to the general director of ICOM.

I have been member of Cimuset for many years and hosted one of its conferences at la Cité des sciences in Paris. I remain in contact with the network of science centers and museums.

I collaborate on a voluntary basis with ICOM France to assist the committee on some projects.

I would be happy to help the board to pursue the work done to share projects and expertise between its members.

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