

BEN CRAMER - CV

Ben Cramer has studied international relations at the Sorbonne and wrote a thesis on Swiss Militia Army before starting a PhD at Bradford Peace Research Department with a scholarship ; Then, he got a job as a campaigner for Greenpeace International on disarmament issues, mainly out of Paris where he has a 'permanent base'. This involved lobbying, special 'Pop Art' like at a Arms Fair to get rid of AP Mines, and research. He thus became an IPB consultant. As a journalist for Radio France International, he had - between 1996 and 2002 - a 25 ' program on environmental issues every week and took the opportunity to investigate demining in Kosovo and covered the Johannesburg Summit in 2002. Author of 'Le nucléaire dans tous ses Etats » (Alias Publisher, Paris,), on nuclear proliferation within globalisation, he has also been active in the writing of several CD-ROM on water (L'or Bleu), on Agricultural Methods (for Agence Française du Développement) and Sustainable Development as a whole, (*'Protect your planet'*), supported by UNESCO. Vice-president of the French Association of Journalists dealing with Environmental Issues, he has pursued studies on ecological security, participated in the editorial team of the World Atlas on Sustainable development. As an activist, he leads the North-South Commission of the Mouvement de la Paix and is preparing himself for teaching on peace and security issues at the Centre de Recherche sur la Paix (Institut Catholique de Paris).