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Prof. Medicine, MD, PhD. After a residency in Psychiatry, Rene integrated the Airforce in 1977, got a permanent Medical Research position in 1982, and became Full Professor of Medicine in 1995. He retired in 2007 with the rank of General, dividing his time between the HAS-Haute Autorite de Sante (French Accreditation Agency- senior advisor patient safety), a position of scientific director medical risks in a medical insurance Cie (MACSF) and a position of volunteer director of a Public Foundation for safety culture in the Industry (FONCSI). He has published over 150 international papers, and authored or co-authored 12 books on human error and system safety (the two last : Amalberti, Navigating safety, Springer, 2013 and Vincent & Amalberti, Safer Healthcare Springer, 2016)

During his carrier, he occupied several detached positions working as Head Human factors and Flight safety at the European Joint Aviation Administration, 1993-99, Head of national research program Quality safety in ground transportation, 2001-2006; He was also chair of several national and international scientific boards dealing with environmental risk. During this time he developed and wrote a series of books on ecological safety and on resilience. His research turned to patient safety in the late 90's.