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1. EDUCATION:

European University Institute. Florence. Post-Doctorate. 2011.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, M.I.T. Post-Doctorate. 2003-2003.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, M.I.T. Post-Doctorate. 1998-1999.

New School For Social Research. New York, NY. Ph.D. in Political Sociology
Thesis: "Modernity and Democracy in Brazil". Advisor: Andrew Arato. 1993.

Federal University of Minas Gerais. Belo Horizonte, MG. Master in Political Science,

Federal University of Minas Gerais, Belo Horizonte, MG. Bachelor in the Social Sciences, 1983.

2. PROFESSIONAL AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

- **President. Brazilian Political Science Association (2012-2016)**
- **Member of IPSA executive committee (2014-2016)**
- **Full Professor, Department of Political Science, Federal University of Minas Gerais.**
- **Public Policy Scholar, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C. : 2006-2006.**
- **Latin American Studies Greeleaf Chair. Tulaine University, New Orleans, Louisiana. 2008-2008**

3. SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

Most Recent Published Books

- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **O pêndulo da democracia no Brasil. São Paulo. São Paulo. *Todavia*.** Forthcoming 2018.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **The two faces of institucional innovation.** Cheltenham . **Elgar.** 2017.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Impasses da democracia no Brasil.** Rio de Janeiro. **Civilização Brasileira.** 2016.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Los desafíos de la participación en América Latina.** Buenos Aires. **Ateneu.** 2014.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Cartografia da Justiça Brasileira.** São Paulo. **Saraiva.** 2014.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo, and Clovis Sousa. **Conferências nacionais: Atores, dinâmicas participativas e efetividade.** Brasília. **IPEA.** 2013.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo et al. **Dimensões Políticas da Justiça.** Rio de Janeiro. **Civilização Brasileira.** 2013.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Corrupção e sistema político no Brasil.** Rio de Janeiro. **Civilização Brasileira.** 2012 in co- authorship.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **A dinâmica da Participação Local no Brasil.** São Paulo. **Cortez.** 2010.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Las instituciones participativas en el Brasil Democrático.** Mexico. **Universidad Veracruzana** (Translation to spanish of the Participatory Institution Book). 2010.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Participatory Institutions in Democratic Brazil.** Washington. **Wilson Press/ Johns Hopkins.** 2009.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Reforma Política no Brasil.** PNUD/UFMG. In co-authorship with Fatima Anastasia. 2006. Publication commissioned by the UNDP in Brazil.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. (Org.) ; NAVARRO, Zander (Org.). **A inovação democrática no Brasil.** 1. ed. São Paulo: **Editora Cortez.** 2003.
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Democracy and the public space in Latin America.** Princeton. **Princeton University Press.** 2002.

Most Recent peer reviewed published articles

- AVRITZER, Leonardo. O pêndulo da democracia no Brasil - Uma análise da crise 2013–2018. **Novos estud. CEBRAP** (São Paulo), Vol.37 No.2, p. 273-289, Mai-Ago 2018
- AVRITZER, Leonardo. The Rousseff Impeachment and the crisis of democracy in Brazil. **Critical policy studies.** Vol 11 (3) 1-10, 2017.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. Participation in democratic Brazil: from popular hegemony and innovation to middle-class protest. **Opinião Pública** (UNICAMP), Vol. 23, p. 43-59, 2017.

AVRITZER, L.; MARONA, Marjorie. C. . A tensão entre soberania e instituições de controle na democracia brasileira. **Dados – Revista de Ciências Sociais**. Vol. 60, p. 359-393, 2017.

AVRITZER, Leonardo and Alfredo Ramos. Democracia, escala y participación. Reflexiones desde las instituciones participativas brasileñas. **Revista Internacional de Sociología**, Vol 74, No. 3, 2016.

AVRITZER, L. Democratic innovation and social participation in Brazil. **Journal of Democracy (Taiwan)**. Vol. 9, p. 153-170, 2013.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. GOMES, LILIAN C. B. Política de reconhecimento, raça e democracia no Brasil. **Dados - Revista de Ciências Sociais**. Vol 56, p. 39-68, 2013.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. The different designs of public participation in Brazil: deliberation, power sharing and public ratification. **Critical Policy Studies**. Vol. 6, 2012.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. Democracy beyond aggregation: the participatory dimension of public deliberation. **Journal of Public Deliberation**. Vol 8, issue 2, 2012.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. O estatuto da cidade e a democratização das políticas urbanas no Brasil. **Revista Crítica de Ciências Sociais** (Coimbra). Vol 91, p. 6, 2011.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. Sociedade civil e Estado no Brasil: da autonomia à interdependência política. **Opinião Pública** (UNICAMP. Impresso). Vol. 8, p. 383-398, 2012.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. Living under a democracy: democracy and its impact on the living conditions of the poor. **Latin American Research Review**. Vol 45, Number 4, 2010.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. Civil Society, Participatory Institutions and Representation: From Authorization to the Legitimacy of Action. **Dados - Revista de Ciências Sociais**. 2008. Special English Edition.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. Democratization and Citizenship in Latin America. **Latin American Research Review**. Vol 4, No.2: 282-289.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. New Public Spheres in Brazil: Local Democracy and Deliberative Politics. **International Journal of Urban and Regional Research**, v. 30, p. 623-637, 2006

AVRITZER, Leonardo. La crise du Part des travailleurs: de la démocratie participative au désenchantement politique. **Mouvements**, v. 1, p. 25-35, 2006.

AVRITZER, Leonardo; WAMPLER, Brian. The Spread of Participatory Budgeting in Brazil: From Radical Democracy to Participatory Good Government. **Journal of Latin American Urban Studies**, New York, v. 7, p. 37-52, 2005.

AVRITZER, Leonardo; WAMPLER, Brian. Participatory publics: civil society and new institutions. **Comparative Politics** (New York). Vol. 1, p. 1, 2004.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. Democratization and Changes in the Pattern of Association in Brazil. **Journal of Interamerican Studies and World Affairs**. Vol. 42, No. 3 (Autumn, 2000), pp. 59-76

AVRITZER, Leonardo; MELUCCI, A. Complexity, Cultural Pluralism and Democracy: collective action in the public space. **Social Science Information**, London, v. 39, n. 4, p. 507-527, 2000

Most Recent Book Chapters

AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Um balanço da participação democrática no Brasil (1990-2014)**. In: Boaventura de Sousa Santos; José Maniel Mendes. (Org.). **Demodiversidade: Imaginar novas possibilidades democráticas**. 1ed. Lisboa. Edições 70, 2017, v. , p. 327-350.

AVRITZER, Leonardo. **Un examen de la participación democrática en Brasil (1990-2014)**. In: Boaventura de Sousa Santos; José Manuel Mendes. (Org.). **Demodiversidad: Imaginar nuevas posibilidades democrática**. 1ed. Madrid. Ediciones Akal, 2016, v. 1.

AVRITZER, L. **The crisis of political representation and the emergence of new forms of political participation in participation in Latin America**. In: Roeniger, et al. **Shifting frontiers of citizenship in Latin America**. Amsterdam. Brill. 2013.

AVRITZER, L; **Civil Society in Latin America: From the Excluded Other to Democratic Deepening**. In: Peruzzotti, Enrique and Martin Plott. **Critical theory and democracy**. London. Routledge. 2012.

AVRITZER, L. . **Representación y gobernabilidad en Brasil**. In: Isidoro Cheresky. (Org.). **Qué democracia en América Latina?**. 1ed. Buenos Aires: Prometeo Libros, 2012, v. , p. 131-145.

AVRITZER, L. . **A qualidade da democracia e a questão da efetividade da participação: mapeando o debate**. In: Roberto Rocha Pires. (Org.). **Efetividade das instituições participativas no Brasil: estratégias de avaliação**. Brasília: IPEA, 2011, v. 7, p. 14-370.

AVRITZER, L. **Democratizing Urban policy in Brazil in: Gaventa, J (ed) Citizen Action and National Policy Reform**. London Zed Books. 2010.

AVRITZER, L. . **Sociedad civil más allá de lo no civil: un análisis de los movimientos por la ciudadanía en Latinoamérica**. In: Cheresky, I. **Ciudadanos y política en los albores del siglo XXI**. Buenos Aires: Manantial, 2010.

AVRITZER, L. **Teoria critica, esfera publica y democracia**. In Braig, M. (ed). **Los poderes de lo publico**. Madrid. Iberoamericana. 2009.

AVRITZER, L. . **Sociedad y participación en el Brasil democrático**. . In: Alcantara Manuel y Carlos Ranulfo. **La democracia brasileña : balance y perspectivas para el siglo XXI** 1ªed. Salamanca: Ediciones Universidad, 2008, p. 09-378.

AVRITZER, L. . **Civil society in Latin America in twenty-first century: between democratic deepening, social fragmentation, and state crisis**. In: Richard Feinberg; Carlos H. Waisman; Leon Zamosc. (Org.). **Civil Society and democracy in Latin America**. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2006.

AVRITZER, L. ; SANTOS, Boaventura de Sousa . **Introduction: Opening Up the Canon of Democracy**. In: Boaventura de Sousa Santos. (Org.). **Democratizing democracy: beyond the liberal democratic canon**. 1 ed. New York: Verso, 2006.

AVRITZER, L. . **Modes of democratic deliberation: participatory budgeting in Brazil**. In: Boaventura de Sousa Santos. (Org.). **Democratizing democracy: beyond the liberal democratic canon**. 1 ed. New York: Verso, 2006.

AVRITZER, L. . **Democracia Local y Política Deliberativa en Brasil**. In: Ernesto Isunza Vera; Alberto J. Olvera. (Org.). **Democratización, rendición de cuentas y sociedad civil: participación ciudadana y control social**. Veracruz: H. Cámara de Diputados, LIX Legislatura, 2006.

AVRITZER, L. . **Nouvelles sphères publiques au Brésil: démocratie locale et délibération politique.** In: Marie-Hélène Bacqué; Henri Rey; Yves Sintomer. (Org.). *Gestion de proximité et démocratie participative.* Paris: Éditions La Découverte, 2005.

AVRITZER, L. . **Culture, democracy and the formation of the public space in Brazil.** In: Jesse Sousa; Valter Sinder. (Org.). **Imagining Brazil.** New York: Lexington Books, 2005.

AVRITZER, L. . **Civil society in Latin America: uncivil, liberal and participatory models .** In: Marlies Glasius. (Org.). *Exploring civil society.* London: Routledge, 2004.

AVRITZER, L. ; SANTOS, Boaventura de Sousa . **Per un ampliamento del canone democratico.** In: Boaventura de Sousa Santos. (Org.). *Democratizzare la democrazia.* 1 ed. Troina: Città Aperta Edizione, 2003.

AVRITZER, L. . **Modelli di deliberazione democratica: un'analisi del bilancio partecipativo.** In: Boaventura de Sousa Santos. (Org.). *Democratizzare la democrazia.* 1 ed. Troina: Città Aperta Edizione, 2003.

AVRITZER, L. . **Modelos de formacion de estado y sociedad e su impacto en la accountability.** In: Enrique Peruzzotti; Catalina Smulovitz. (Org.). *Controlando la politica.* Buenos Aires: Temas, 2002,

AVRITZER, L. . **Sociedad civil, espacio publico y poder local: un analisis del presupuesto participativo.** In: Evelina Dagnino. (Org.). *Sociedad civil, esfera publica y democratizacion en America Latina.* Mexico: Fondo de Cultura Economica, 2002.

AVRITZER, L. . **Privatism, etatism and the Formation of a Public Sphere in Brazil.** In: Roeniger, Luis; Weismann, Carlos. (Org.). *Globality and Multiple Modernities.* Manchester: University Of Manchester Press, 2001.

4. BOOK REVIEWS AND NEWSPAPER ARTICLES

I have written book reviews for many academic journals and magazines, among them Perspectives on politics, Latin American Politics and Society, Latin American Research Review and Boston Review.

I have written dozens of articles for Brazilian newspapers. Below is a small sample:

AVRITZER, L. . O que as manifestações no Brasil nos dizem?. Carta Capital, 16 jun. 2013.

AVRITZER, L. . O Judiciário e suas dimensões políticas. Valor Econômico, 31 maio 2013.

AVRITZER, L. . Perdas e ganhos. O Estado de São Paulo, Suplementos/Alíás, 23 dez. 2012.

AVRITZER, L. . Quase não iguais. O Estado de São Paulo, Suplementos/Alíás, 28 out. 2012.

AVRITZER, L. . O vozerio dos espertalhões. O Estado de São Paulo, Suplementos/Alíás, 25 mar. 2012.

AVRITZER, L. . A chave para a legitimação do judiciário. Carta capital, 10 out. 2011.

AVRITZER, L. . O real combate à corrupção. Carta capital, 03 set. 2011.

AVRITZER, L. . O baixo risco de ser corrupto no Brasil. Valor Econômico, 21 jul. 2011.

AVRITZER, L. . Uma pedra no caminho da mudança. Valor Econômico, 01 out. 2010.

5. MOST RECENT RESEARCH PROJECTS

A Dinâmica Da Participação local no Brasil Pronex Fapemig, 2010-2013. Grant 150,000 dollars. Finep 200,000. Research grants to raise data on policy councils in 40 Brazilian cities in all regions.

Observatório da Justiça Brasileira Ford Foudation. 2012-2012/ 2013-1015 grant 400,000 dollars. Two grants received by Ford Foundation to make map of access to justice and collect data on the Brazilian judicial system.

Novo Constitucionalismo CNPq grant 50,000 dollars. 2011-2013 Grant given to form a network on constitutionalism in South America.

Stock taking on participatory budgeting. World Bank. 50,000 dollars.

Corrupção e sistema político Adenaur Foundation grant 40,000 dollars. Grant given to organize seminars and a book on corruption in Brazil. 2008.

A Inovação Democrática no Brasil. grant 70,000 dollars. Ford Foundation. Grant given to identify the potentialities of new experiences of participation in Brazil. 2003

6. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Chair of Ph.D program. Chair of the master program in political science at UFMG from 1996-1998 and from 2000 to 2002.

Chair of Capes committee. Capes is the Brazilian agency that evaluates graduation programs. I have been chair of the committee for six years.

Chair of the IX ABCP conference. I am the current chair of the Brazilian Political Science Association and was chair of the last meeting with 1,200 participants.

7. ACADEMIC HONORS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Senior post doc fellowship by Capes at the European University Institute in Florence.

Seminar grant from the Rockefeller foundation to carry out a conference on the crisis of representation in Bellagio, 2008

Woodrow Wilson Public Policy scholar 2006.

Post Doc fellowship at MIT by Fapemig 2003

Ph.D fellowship CNPQ 1990-1994

Anpocs award of best book of the year in social sciences in Brazil. 1996

Albert Salomon Award New School for Social Research best dissertation 1993.

8. TEACHING

Courses: most recent courses.

- 2014. Introduction to Max Weber. Under-graduation at the Federal University of Minas Gerais
- 2013. Political innovation in Brazil. Graduation at the Federal University of Minas Gerais
- 2013. Seminar of methods. . Graduation at the Federal University of Minas Gerais
- 2012. Seminar on Methods. . Graduation at the Federal University of Minas Gerais
- 2012. Introduction to Democratic Theory and Participation. Universidad de Rosario. Argentina
- 2012. New forms of the Political in Latin America. . Graduation at the Federal University of Minas Gerais.
- 2011. Introduction to Democratic Theory and Participation. University of Coimbra
- 2010. Introduction to Democratic Theory and participation. Graduation at the Federal University of Minas Gerais
- 2009. Social movements, democracy and Globalization. Under-graduation at the Federal University of Minas Gerais
- 2008. Civil society in Latin America. Under-graduation at Tulane University
- 2008. Introduction to Democratic Theory and participation. Graduation Tulane University.
- 1996. Visiting lecturer. El Colegio de Mexico.

9. OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCES.

During the last 10 years I have worked with cities, states and the federal government in Brazil in many consultancy projects. I have worked for four years with the city of São Paulo (2001-2004), the Federal District Government (2012) and with the Brazilian Federal government on an e-learning project for participants of social policies. I have carried out consultancy for the cities of Belo Horizonte and Contagem. I have done consultancy work for REDE-OP, a network of participatory budgeting cities in Brazil.