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Agrégé from the faculties of law and economic sciences and a graduate of the Political Studies Institute (IEP) Paris, Jean-Claude Casanova was an assistant at the National Foundation for Political Science (FNPS) from 1958 to 1959 then at the faculty of law and economic sciences of Dijon from 1963 to 1964, he was then Studies and Research Director at the FNPS (1968 – 1990) and at university lecturer at the IEP Paris from 1969 to 2002.

Jean-Claude Casanova has also lectured at the National School for Administration (ENA) (1966-1968) and at the University of Paris-Nanterre (1968-1969). He has been the Chairman of the Scientific Council of the National Institute for Demographic Studies (INED) since 1996. In addition to this he has held posts in several ministerial cabinets: advisor within the cabinet of Jean-Marcel Jeanneney, Industry Minister (1959-1961), technical advisor in the cabinet of Joseph Fontanet, National Education Minister (1972-1974) and advisor to Raymond Barre, Prime Minister (1976-1981). Since 1994, he has been a member of the Economic and Social Council.

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