

## JEAN-MARIE LE MÉNÉ *President of Jérôme Lejeune Foundation*



Speaker at the round table (15 h 10-16 h 30)  
Surrogacy, sale of gametes, eugenics : transhumanism under way

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### CAREER PATH

Magistrate at the Court of Auditors in Paris.

He created the Jerome Lejeune Foundation in 1995.

The Jerome Lejeune Foundation, presided over by Jean-Marie Le Méné since its inception, rapidly became the primary funder for Down's syndrome research, and a centre for specialized medical and paramedical consultations welcoming over 5 000 individuals, of all ages, with genetic intelligence disorders.

Jean-Marie Le Méné is a Knight of the Legion of Honour, member of the Pontifical Academy for Life, and a counsel to the Pontifical Council for Health.

### A LEADER IN DEFENCE OF LIFE

**Creator of the Jerome Lejeune Foundation**, a recognised public interest, medical and scientific foundation, driven by its mission to continue the work of Pr. Jerome Lejeune in the areas of scientific research, care, and defence of life.

**Main opponent of eugenics in France**

**Amongst his publications:**

- *Le Professeur Lejeune, fondateur de la génétique moderne*, Éditions Mame ISBN, 1997
- *La trisomie est une tragédie grecque*, Éditions Salvator, 2009
- *Nascituri te salutant : la crise de conscience bioéthique*, Éditions Salvator, 2009
- *Les premières victimes du transhumanisme*, Pierre-Guillaume de Roux, 2016

**Key player in the bioethics debate in France. As such, he has been heard by the public authorities :**

- National Consultative Committee on Ethics, 2013,
- Senate, 2011,
- National Assembly, 2009,
- Council of State, 2008.

**Project manager :**

- French March for Life, 2014 and 2015
- Mobilisation for Vincent Lambert since 2015.

He has directed the drafting of various **manuals on bioethics**, published by the Jerome Lejeune Foundation, which are being circulated in hundreds of thousands of copies in numerous languages.

**Founder of Gèneéthique.org**, the first french bioethics website (2000).

