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Dominique G. Decavèle is a Risk Manager at Cartes Bancaires « CB », a card scheme which processed 6.24 billion payment transactions and 1.56 billion cash withdrawals in 2008.

He joined CB in 1990 to head the smartcard roll-out project. He led numerous projects at the junction between card scheme management and technical infrastructures. For example he initiated major risk analysis in CB and developed solutions to secure Internet payment.

Together with smartcard manufacturers, he pioneered the use of formal evaluation methodologies such as the Common Criteria in card schemes, thereby facilitating the development of European Evaluation and Certification Schemes.

Since 2004 he has been contributing to the Common Approval Scheme, an initiative of card schemes active in Europe, whose ambition is to eliminate divergences in security requirements and redundancy in security evaluations.

Prior to joining CB, Dominique designed computers in the seventies and managed the product planning department of a cash dispenser manufacturer in the eighties.