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- 1972-1973 Lecturer in Economics, Durham University, UK
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- B.Sc. Economics with Statistics (1970 Bristol University, UK)
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