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I was born in Greece and migrated to the USA in 1969. I have two children and 2 grandchildren.

I worked a full time job while doing my dissertation and I could sympathize with those of you working and studying. I received my Ph.D. from Rutgers University and post graduate diplomas from New York University. I have worked in the services and the financial sectors, as well in a number of consulting assignments. The past twenty years I have been devoting my energy to my first love, teaching. I recently moved back to New Jersey after many years of teaching in Virginia. I have taught in numerous graduate programs and have set up MBA programs in the USA and in the Balkans.

 I have published numerous research papers in books and journals including: the *Detroit Journal of Business, The Journal of Business Issues, Multinational Business Review* and the *Banca Nazionale Del Lavoro Quarterly Review.* My research interest is: international trade and finance, privacy and information flows, financial institutions and social networks

I have been recognized as outstanding faculty member of the year on a number of occasions and I am the recipient of numerous grants from the Ford Foundation, the Mellon Foundation, and the Wal-Mart Foundation.

My hobbies are: reading, traveling, soccer, and playing chess