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PhD (Applied Sciences: Metallurgy), University of Delaware, 1977

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- 1971-1972 Guest Worker (part-time), Institute for Materials Research, National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D.C.
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Engineering Materials and Manufacturing Processes: EG 423

Engineering Systems Analysis: EG 441

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Mechanical Properties of Materials: EG 454

Transformations in Solids: EG 455

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