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Mr. Levitte joined the Foreign Service in 1970. He was first posted to Hong Kong and Beijing in the early 1970s. Following appointments at the Foreign Ministry's Africa Bureau and the French Mission to the UN, Mr. Levitte was named Deputy Chief of Staff to the Foreign Minister in 1986, a position he held until 1988 when he was designated Ambassador to the UN in Geneva.

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He received a bachelor of science degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1975, and was awarded a Ph.D. from Harvard in 1982. In 1983, he became one of the youngest individuals in recent history to be named as a tenured member of the Harvard University faculty. In 1987 Mr. Summers became the first social scientist ever to receive the annual Alan T. Waterman Award of the National Science Foundation (NSF) and in 1993, he was awarded the John Bates Clark Medal, given every two years to the outstanding American economist under the age of 40.

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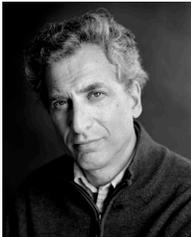
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