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His appointments included Director, China Relations (2004-05), Associate Dean (International Development) in the Faculties of Life Sciences (2000-02) and Science (2002-03), Head of the Department of Food Science and Technology (1994-2000) and of the School of Applied Bioscience (1998-2000), Chair of Food Science and Technology (1994-2005) and Professor (1991-2005).

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