## Some lessons learned in over twenty years as a quant

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After earning a PhD in Mathematics and teaching at a small liberal arts college, I spent over 20 years as an actuary and a financial quant before returning to academia in 2020. During that time, I learned many important lessons regarding applied mathematics and how to be successful in industry. I will share them and give some motivating examples.

At the conclusion of the presentation Dr. Hatfield will host an informal Q+A for students interested in mathematical finance graduate programs offered by the University of Minnesota.

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