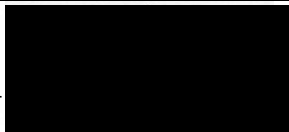


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Member, Subcommittee on Finance, Tennessee Valley Authority Advisory Panel of the Southern States Energy Board, 1986-1987
Member, Electric Utility Generation Technology Advisory Panel, Office of Technology Assessment, 1984 - 1985
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Member, Building Energy Performance Standards Project Committee, Implementation Regulations Subcommittee, National Institute of Building Sciences, 1980-1981
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Member, University Committee on International Student Policy, Northeastern University, 1978-1979
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