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Career history

2015-	Associate Provost, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
2009-2015	Head, Department of Nuclear Science and Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
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1992-2010	Director, Industrial Performance Center, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
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Areas of expertise

Innovation management and policy. Local, regional, and national systems of innovation. Energy systems. Nuclear technology innovation, management, and control. He is chair of the National Academies' Board on Science, Technology, and Economic Policy.