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EDUCATION: University of Delhi, India (B.Sc., 1966); University of Poona, India (B.Eng., 1969), University of Georgia (MBA, 1972; Ph.D., 1978); American Production and Inventory Control Society (CPIM, 1980 & 2004), Deming's Course of Productivity and Quality (1983).

SPECIALITIES: Just-in-Time, Materials &

Supply Chain Management, Productivity, Total Quality Management, Technology Management, Innovation through Process Knowledge.

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE:

Two Years of industrial experience in general manufacturing in electronics, materials management in process operations as well as heavy machinery.

CONSULTING RELATIONSHIPS:

Frequent consultant to various businesses in the area of Just-in-Time, Materials Management, Productivity, Quality, and Competitiveness Issues.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

International Children's Heart Foundation, World Cataract Foundation.

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