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My mathematics training has heavily shaped my general approach to work.

I was born and raised in Regina, Saskatchewan and did my undergraduate studies at the University of Regina in mathematics. I am currently working part-time on completing my Master's degree in Statistics, also at the University of Regina. In terms of employment, I have spent the last four years working in the data mining and research industry, managing research departments for two mid-sized Saskatchewan based research firms.

Strong communication skills, both written and oral, have been the key to finding challenging and fulfilling employment. It is not enough for one to merely be able to understand and use advanced research methods. Being able to communicate results to a varied audience is crucial.

My mathematics degree has provided me with an ability to tackle complex problems in a logical and highly precise manner.

I tend to make the most practical use of the statistics I have learned, including sampling theory, experimental design, regression analysis and nonparametric statistics.

I'm a planning and research officer at the Saskatchewan Workers' Compensation Board. My primary duties include understanding and applying research methods, designing and implementing data collection tools and analyzing both qualitative and quantitative data in a communications and strategic planning setting.