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In his spare time, Professor Hyder enjoys playing golf and spending time with his wife and children.