

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Name Peter Richard Grenville Layard (Lord Layard of Highgate)

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Education

1954-57	King's College, Cambridge, Major Scholar. 1st Class Honours in History Tripos, Parts I and II.
1965-67	London School of Economics (part-time). M.Sc. (Econ.) in Economics, obtained with distinction.

Present Position

1990 -	Director, Centre for Economic Performance, L.S.E.
1999 -	Emeritus Professor of Economics, L.S.E.

Previous Jobs

1980-99	Professor of Economics, L.S.E.
1975-80	Reader in the Economics of Labour, L.S.E.
1974-90	Head, Centre for Labour Economics, L.S.E. (part-time).
1968-75	Lecturer in Economics, L.S.E.
1964-74	Deputy Director, Higher Education Research Unit, L.S.E. (part-time from 1968).
1961-63	Senior Research Officer, Robbins Committee on Higher Education.
1958-61	History Master at Woodberry Down School and Forest Hill School.

Other Positions

1968-71	Economic Consultant, H.M. Treasury.
1976-80	Director, Ford Foundation UK/US Economics of Education Exchange Programme.
1978-80	Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research, U.S.A.
1983-84	Consultant, H.M. Treasury.
1984-87	Convener, L.S.E. Economics Department.
1984-85	Consultant, National Economic Development Office.
1985-86	Special Adviser, House of Commons Select Committee on Employment.

1985-93	Pay Adviser, British Medical Association.
1985-89	Member, University Grants Committee.
1985-86	Chairman, Macroeconomic Policy Group of the Centre for European Policy Studies (Member, 1982-86).
1987-92	Chairman of the Employment Institute (Chairman of Executive Committee, 1985-87).
1989-92	Co-Chairman, World Economy Group of the World Institute for Development Economics Research of the United Nations University.
1989-93	Council, European Economic Association.
1991-97	Economic Consultant to the Russian Government.
1993-98	Member, Board of Russian Privatisation Centre, Government of Russia.
1995-	Member of Scientific Council, Higher Economic School, Moscow.
1995-96	Member of Commission on Public Policy and British Business, IPPR.
1997-2001	Half-time consultant at Department for Education and Skills.
1998-9	Member, Moser Committee on Basic Skills for Adults
2001	Member, Modern Apprenticeship Advisory Committee (Chairman: Sir John Cassels)
2001	Consultant, Forward Strategy Unit, No.10 Downing Street.
2001 -	Research Fellow, Observatoire Francais des Conjonctures Economiques (O.F.C.E.), Paris
2001 -	Member, Sub-Committee A (Economic and Financial Affairs, Trade and External Relations), House of Lords

Other	1986 -	Fellow of the Econometric Society
	1998	Hon D.Soc.Sci., Brunel University.
	2000 -	Member of the House of Lords

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