A fifty year journey with colleagues, generalized matrix inverses and applied probability

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Abstract

The presenter has over his career made a number of contributions to a range of problems involving the application of generalized matrix inverses to the theory of Markov chains and semi-Markov processes. Along this journey many individuals, colleagues and friends, have had an impact on his career. This presentation highlights some of the influences that have impacted on his main contributions. We explore a number of key results that appear in some of his published work in these fields of research.

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