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Biography

Professor Guy Abel is a Professor in the Department of Sociology of the University of Hong Kong. Prior to joining HKU, he was a professor at the Asian Demographic Research Institute based at Shanghai University and a researcher at the International Institute of Applied Systems Analysis in Austria. He holds a PhD in Social Statistics and Demography and a MSc in Social Statistics from University of Southampton, and a MSc in Statistics from University of Kent.

Professor Abel's research interests include migration, demography and quantitative methods. As a statistical demographer, he works predominantly with migration data to better predict past and future movement patterns and gain a richer understanding of how migration varies by core demographic variables such as age, sex and education. Professor Abel's works have been published in prominent journals including Science, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, Global Environmental Changes and Nature Scientific Data.