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Jean-Pierre Serre has made outstanding contributions to the fields of algebraic geometry, number theory, and topology. His work has greatly influenced the development of these areas. From 1956 until his retirement in 1994, he was a professor at the Collège de France, where he now is an honorary professor. He received the Fields medal in 1954, at age twenty-seven, the youngest Fields medallist ever. He has also received the Wolf prize (2000) and was the first recipient of the Abel prize (2003). He is a member of scientific academies in France, United States, Norway, Sweden, Russia, the Royal Society, among others, and has received honorary degrees from several universities, including Cambridge, Oxford, and Harvard.

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