Tim Harcourt, Interview with Andrew Leigh, 'The Economics of Almost Everything - Andrew Leigh', 27 August 2014 at http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CDJXrFBa6xg&feature=youtu.be

TIM HARCOURT [8:33]: My last question, Andrew goes a little bit to you because we talked about your career as a rights lawyer, involved in human rights and government and public policy. You had a very successful career as an economist at Harvard at the Kennedy School and at the ANU. And then you, of course, are the Member for Fraser.

I was very pleased that you won the pre-selection because you ran the gamut of the factions and we now have in the Parliament an intellectual fellow like yourself, a bloke that when you're a numbers man, you do the numbers on a spreadsheet not in a Chinese restaurant. Did you apply game theory or economic theory to your pre-selection because it was quite a win?

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