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General Information

Privacy Policy

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What information is collected?

We consider the following to be personally-identifying information: your first and last name, email address, home address, phone number, social security number and if linked with your other personally-identifying information, your date of birth and other personal interests and hobbies.

This website does not collect personally-identifying information about a user except for information that is voluntarily provided to us so that we can serve the user's needs and our legitimate business and/or educational purposes. A user's personally-identifying information may be used by CSM to help us improve the website. CSM does not collect personal information for marketing or advertising purposes. It will be treated confidentially within our institution. Our policy is not to share this information with third parties.

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