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Abduraghiem Latief was born in Cape Town and was awarded the degree MSc in Mathematical Statistics from the University of the Western Cape. He joined the department in 1998 as a Laboratory Assistant. In 2002 he was promoted to a lecturer in the department.

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