

Codebook

“The State and Life Chances in Urban China” Project

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The data collection for “the state and life chances” project was funded by a NSF grant (SBR-9413540), and carried out by PI Xueguang Zhou and Co-PIs Phyllis Moen and Nancy Tuma, in collaboration with three Chinese institutions—the Department of Sociology at the People’s University, the Institute of Sociology at Tianjin Academy of Social Sciences, and the Department of Sociology at Fudan University. The data collection was carried out by interviewers organized by the Chinese collaborating institutions from May to December of 1994.

Data collection

The data collection process typically involved the following steps. The first step was sampling. Following multistage sampling procedures (see below), the research team in a collaborating institution conducted sampling work to identify the specific residential families for the interviewers to visit and collect data. In the second step, the research team organized training sessions for interviewers (most of them college students or researchers in the provincial academies of social sciences). The training was based on a training manual prepared by the PI, which provided detailed instructions on the specific questions to ask in filling out the questionnaire. The third step was to send interviewers to visit these families that were identified in the sampling procedures and randomly selected a qualified family member (aged between 25 and 65) to conduct the interview.

The data was collected based on a pre-tested questionnaire. The questionnaire asked retrospective information about respondents’ experiences in educational attainment, movements across organizations, occupations, and geographic locations, as well as about their family structure, political status over time, and other variables (see Appendix A—the questionnaire for more information). In addition, if the respondent was married, we collected the same information for the spouse using an identical questionnaire. Spousal information could be provided by either the spouse or the respondent (if she or he was able to do so).

Sampling

The sampling for this data set was based on a multistage sampling procedure. First, six provinces were selected for data collection, each representing a conventional geographic region in China. The selection of these provinces was made purposively by the PI, based on the knowledge of the political, economic and social environments across regions in China, and in consultation

with Chinese collaborators with regard to the research facilities and manpower in these provinces to carry out these interviews.

Second, in each province, we chose the capital city to represent large cities (population over 1 million). We randomly selected a medium-sized city (population between 200,000 and 1 million) and a small city (population under 200,000), based on the *1990 Yearbook of Chinese Cities* (State Statistics Bureau 1990). The sample size for each city was proportional to the population in that size of city in that province. We also included Beijing, China's capital, and Shanghai, its largest industrial city in China, in our sample. In total, there are 20 cities in the sample, covering a variety of geographic locations and types of urban economies. Some minor adjustments were made in the distribution of samples across cities to increase the size of the samples in the cities in Gansu Province where the urban population was smaller than cities in other provinces.

Third, we selected a stratified random sample of each city's residents through the multistage sampling procedure. In China, a metropolitan city is composed of residential districts (). Each district is composed of residential "streets" () which in turn is organized into residential blocks (). We selected residential blocks in each city using a systematic sampling scheme. That is, we selected every n th residential block based on the residential information in official statistics. We used an analogous sampling scheme to select households in each residential block. Finally, we randomly selected a member of the household between age 25 and 65 to be interviewed. Respondents included both current labor force participants and retirees.

Additional Issues

Missing values. The general coding convention for missing information is as follows: "-9" for "not applicable"; "-8" for "refuse to answer"; and "-7" for "don't know." However, in the actual data collection process, the different categories of "missing information" were not always maintained consistently. It was conventional for the data entry operator to fill in "-9" when a cell was left blank (in most cases, these blank cells indicate "not applicable.").

Information on "party membership" (for respondent, spouse, and their respective parents) is missing in samples from two provinces (Guangdong, Jiangsu), because the variables with such information were deleted upon government request. We use "-1" to indicate missing values for these variables with intentional, systematic missing information.

Although the data has been carefully scrutinized and cleaned, there are still cases where the information for a variable is problematic (for example, a salary value that is larger than

expected for the occupation in a certain year, a cadre occupation with a professional rank, etc.). We keep these problematic variables and cases in the data so that the user to exercise their judgments and devise ways to treat these issues. In our own empirical studies, we have dealt with these problematic cases and variables in accordance with our research purpose.

There were a few variables in our questionnaire that are known to be unreliable. These problems were mainly caused by the ambiguities in the questionnaire design. We deleted these variables from the data and from the questionnaire.

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Codebook for “The State and Life Chances in Urban China” Project

This codebook documents the raw data set, which is stored in the accompanying data file `chance94.data`. The data are not written in rectangular format nor are they stored in fixed column positions. Instead the data for each case are written in a multi-record format. Records are distinguished as to type and, within type, multiple records are written - one for each event reported by respondents. Within records, the only fixed field item is a 4-digit record type at the beginning of the record. The remainder of the information on each record is written in space delimited, free-field format.

The accompanying SAS program (`chance94.sas`) should be used to read the raw data. It produces in rectangular format a temporary SAS data set containing data for the studies 4073 cases. The program also contains SAS format modules for applying value labels to tabular outputs.

It is strongly recommended that users **NOT** make significant changes to the core DATA step comprising the `chance94.sas` program, as it is custom-tailored to the specific organization of these data and is of greater complexity than the typical SAS input DATA step. The only modifications that should be considered are:

- Making the output file a permanent SAS data set if desired
- Commenting out the FORMAT statement located in the terminal record (term:) processing stanza if you do not want formats associated with the variables

The end of the program has procedural code for producing content listings and formatted frequency or univariate output on all variables. This is commented out by default.

Event history data is by nature skewed with large numbers of people experiencing small numbers of an event type, but few experiencing many events. The raw data format stores and represents this information in a small compact format, but translating this into a rectangular format results in a much larger file consisting mostly of missing data. So storing the rectangular file permanently may not be desirable for many users. This code should allow you to generate it on a temporary basis whenever needed and then add subsequent DATA steps to transform and extract data as needed.

The organization of the first (master) record for each respondent is significant. In addition to identification variables, it contains a series of respondent and spouse count variables for each case. These variables indicate how many of each type of education, housing, work unit, job, income, father work or mother work records exist for the respondent and spouse. Use these variables as upper bounds on loops for processing specific types of information. If no such information exists of that type, the count is coded zero; so looping should be conditional on the count being a non-zero value.

The codebook contains the variable names used in the `chance94.sas` program. Certain naming conventions have generally been adhered to:

- Aside from identification variables, each variable starts with ‘R’ or ‘S’ to indicate whether it is a ‘Respondent-’ or a ‘Spouse-related’ variable.
- For most variables the 2nd and 3rd letters of the variable name indicate which type of record they are derived from where:

- ED means ‘education’
- HO means ‘housing’
- WO means ‘work unit’
- JO means ‘job’
- IN means ‘income’
- GF means ‘grandfather-related’
- ES means ‘eldest sibling-related’
- EC means ‘eldest child-related’
- YC means ‘youngest child-related’
- FA means ‘father-related’
- MA means ‘mother-related’
- There are a few variables relating to personal characteristics of the respondent or spouse where the above 2nd and 3rd letter convention does not apply [records 0700, 0800, 1700 and 1800].
- The remainder of the variable name is used to convey content and sequence among a set of records where multiple episodes exist.

I. Master Record – Identification Variables and Record Counts [Record 0100]

[VAR: ID]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Unique identification for case based on Province (2 digit) code + City (2 digit) code + Sample id (5 digit) code	9 digits

[VAR: PROV] – Province ID code

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Beijing	11
Hebei	13
Heilongjiang	23
Shanghai	31
Jiangsu	32
Guangdong	44
Sichuan	51
Gansu	62

[VAR: CITY] – City Codes within Province

[NOTE: in provinces, the first city is the “large” city, the second one is the “medium city,” and the third one is the “small city.”]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Beijing	1101
Shijiazhuang (Heibei province)	1301
Congzhou (Heibei province)	1302
Hengshui (Heibei province)	1303
Haierbin (Heilongjiang province)	2301
Mudanjiang (Heilongjiang province)	2302
Anda (Heilongjiang province)	2303
Shianghai	3101
Nanjing (Jiangsu province)	3201
Suzhou (Jiangsu province)	3202
Huaian (Jiangsu province)	3203
Guangzhou (Guangdong province)	4401
Chaozhou (Guangdong province)	4402
Huizhou (Guangdong province)	4403
Chengdu (Sichuan province)	5101
Neijiang (Sichuan province)	5102
Guanghan (Sichuan province)	5103
Lanzhou (Gansu province)	6201
Tianshui (Gansu province)	6202
Jiayuguan (Gansu province)	6203

[VAR: SID] – Sample ID

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Sample ID code	5-digit number

[VAR: RED] – Respondent education record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of educational spells	0-10

[VAR: RHO] – Respondent housing record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of housing spells	0-13

[VAR: RWO] – Respondent work unit record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of work unit spells	0-10

[VAR: RJO] – Respondent job record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of job spells	0-10

[VAR: RIN] – Respondent income record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number income report records	0-12

[VAR: RFA] – Respondent father work unit record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of father work unit records	0-6

[VAR: RMO] – Respondent mother work unit record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of mother work unit records	0-6

[VAR: SED] – Spouse education record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of spouse educational spells	0-10

[VAR: SHO] – Spouse housing record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of spouse housing spells	0-13

[VAR: SWO] – Spouse work unit record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of spouse work unit spells	0-10

[VAR: SJO] – Spouse job record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of spouse job spells	0-10

[VAR: SIN] – Spouse income record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of spouse income report records	0-12

[VAR: SFA] – Spouse father work unit record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of spouse's father work unit records	0-6

[VAR: SMO] – Spouse mother work unit record count

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Count of the number of spouse's mother work unit records	0-6

II. Respondent's Educational Experience (Q. 1-7) [Records 0201 - 0210]

We first like to ask you a few questions about your educational experience, beginning when you first entered school, and including both formal education and job-related training you have had since you left school. Please tell us the corresponding educational level. [Show "Education" card]

1. Did you ever go to school or have job-related training?

---If no, put the educational level as 1 and move to the next section (Section III).

---If yes, ask the following questions [the remainder of questions in section II].

[VARS: REDLEV1 – REDLEV10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
Zhongzhuan (special and technical secondary school)	5
Dazhuan (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiuca</i> , <i>juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

2. In which year did you begin elementary school (junior high school ...)? [For complete list of education level, please refer to the list as above.]

[VARS: REDBEG1 – REDBEG10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which began	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

3. In which year did you leave elementary school (junior high school...)?

[VARS: REDEND1 – REDEND10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which you left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

4. *Did you graduate from elementary (junior high...) school?*

[VARS: REDGRD1 - REDGRD10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

5. *Was your elementary (junior high...) school a "key" school? (Yes/No)
If yes, then show card asking them to indicate the level of key school.*

[VARS: REDSCH1-REDSCH10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
County level	1
City level	2
Province level or higher	3
Not a key school	4
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

6. *What was your specialty?*

[VARS: REDSPC1 – REDSPC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Comprehensive, no specialty	1
Engineering, architecture/construction, technical	2
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	3
Business administration	4
Economics	5

Public administration	6
Law	7
Medicine	8
Education	9
Natural sciences	10
Social sciences	11
Humanities	12
Political education, party school	13
Other (please specify)	14
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

7. *What was the location of your school?*

[VARS: REDLOC1 – REDLOC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Municipality, provincial capital	1
Large city	2
Medium city	3
Small city (county)	4
Town	5
Rural area (farm)	6
Abroad	7
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

III. Respondent's Housing Information (Q. 8-22) [Records 0301 - 0313]

Please recall your housing conditions since you started working. If you live with your parents, relatives, friends or in a dormitory, please tell us the housing situation there. Let's start from the time you got your first job. [Show "Housing" Card]

[Note: the questionnaire allowed for up to 10 housing episodes, however 11-13 episodes were coded for 16 respondents.]

8. Which year did you start to live in that house?

[VARS: RHOYRB1 – RHOYRB13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which began	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

9. Which month did you start to live in that house?

[VARS: RHOMOB1 – RHOMOB13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which began	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

10. Which year did you stop living in that house?

[VARS: RHOYRL1 – RHOYRL13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

11. Which month did you stop living in that house?

[VARS: RHOMOL1 – RHOMOL13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Month in which began	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

12. How much living space did the house have?

[VARS: RHOLSP1 – RHOLSP13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Square Meters (m ²)	1-3 digits
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

13. How much extra living space did the house have?

[VARS: RHOESP1 – RHOESP13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Square Meters (m ²)	1-3 digits
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

14. How many rooms did the house have?

[VARS: RHORMS1 – RHORMS13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of rooms	1-2 digits
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

15. How many permanent residents lived in this house?

[VARS: RHORES1 – RHORES13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of permanent residents	1-3 digits
Do not know	-7

Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

16. Was there a kitchen in your house?

[VARS: RHOKIT1 – RHOKIT13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

17. Was there tap water in your house?

[VARS: RHOWAT1 – RHOWAT13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

18. Was there a bathroom/toilet in your house?

[VARS: RHOTIO1 – RHOTIO13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

19. Was there a phone in your house?

[VARS: RHOPHN1 – RHOPHN13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2

Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

20. *What type of the ownership was the house?*

[VARS: RHOOWN1 – RHOOWN13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Provided by respondent's work unit	1
Provided by spouse's work unit	2
Provided by parent's work unit	3
Provided by relative's work unit	4
Provided by friend's work unit;	5
Rented from private sources	6
Private (self-) owned	7
Dormitory (<i>jiti sushe</i>)	8
City housing administration (<i>fangguansuo</i>)	9
Semi-public and semi-private	10
Other (please specify)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

21. *What was the location of the house?*

[VARS: RHOLOC1 – RHOLOC13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Municipality, provincial capital	1
Large city	2
Medium city	3
Small city (county)	4
Town	5
Rural area (farm)	6
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

22. *What province was the house located in?*

[VARS: RHOPRO1 – RHOPRO13]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Beijing	11
Tianjin	12
Hebei	13
Shanxi	14
Neimeng	15
Liaoning	21
Jilin	22
Heilongjiang	23
Shanghai	31
Jiangsu	32
Zhejiang	33
Anhui	34
Fujian	35
Jiangxi	36
Shandong	37
Henan	41
Hubei	42
Hunan	43
Guangdong	44
Guangxi	45
Hainan	46
Sichuan	51
Guizhou	52
Yunnan	53
Xizang	54
Shaanxi	61
Gansu	62
Qinghai	63
Ningxia	64
Xinjiang	65
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

IV. Respondent's Work Unit (Q. 23-31) [Records 0401 - 0410]

We now like to ask you a few questions about the work units (*danwei*) you have been with. Work experience includes waiting for employment, send-down, and changes in work unit. Let's start with the first work unit after you first left school (if you didn't go to school, begin with your earliest work). [Show "Work Unit" card]

23. *In what year did you start to work in the first (second...) work unit?*

[VARS: RWOYRB1 – RWOYRB10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which started	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

24. *In which month did you start to work in the first (second...) work unit?*

[VARS: RWOMOB1 – RWOMOB10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which started	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

25. *In which year did you leave this work unit?*

[VARS: RWOYRL1 – RWOYRL10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

26. *In which month did you leave the work unit?*

[VARS: RWOMOL1 – RWOMOL10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which left	1-12

Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

27. *What was the economic sector of your work unit?*

[VARS: RWOSEC1 – RWOSEC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	1
Mining, lumber	2
Textile, chemical products for daily life	3
Raw material, chemical industry	4
Electronic industry	5
Metal-products, machinery	6
Construction	7
Geological prospecting	8
Transport, post and telecommunication	9
Commerce, storage, warehousing, catering services, wholesale and retail trade	10
Real estate management, public services, residence services	11
Health, sports, social welfare	12
Higher education	13
Kindergarten, elementary and high school education	14
Culture and art, broadcasting and television, news media, publishing	15
Scientific and technological research, consulting	16
Banking and insurance	17
Tourism	18
Government agencies	19
Party organs	20
Social organizations	21
Armed forces and police	22
Other (please specify)	23
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

28. *What was the type of your work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)*

[VARS: RWOTYP1 – RWOTYP10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1

Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

29. What was the ownership of your work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)

[VARS: RWOOWN1 – RWOOWN10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or	13

capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

30. *What was the size of your work unit?*

[VARS: RWOSIZ1 – RWOSIZ10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of employees	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

31. *What was the location of your work unit?*

[VARS: RWOLOC1 – RWOLOC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Municipality, provincial capital	1
Large city	2
Medium city	3
Small city (county)	4
Town	5
Rural area (farm)	6
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

V. Respondent's Occupation, Position, and Job Rank (Q. 32-37) [Records 0501 - 0510]

Now please recall any job changes, within or across work units, since you started working. Specifically, have you had any changes in occupation, position, or job rank? Let's begin with your first job.

32. *What is the starting year of your first (second...) job?*

[VARS: RJOYRB1 – RJOYRB10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which started	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

33. *What is the year you left your first (second...) job?*

[VARS: RJOYRL1 – RJOYRL10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

34. *What was your occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)*

[VARS: RJOOCC1 – RJOOCC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18

Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization

Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

35. *What type of employment did you have? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VARS: RJOFRM1 – RJOFRM10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

36. *What was your job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VARS: RJORNK1 – RJORNK10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14
<u>Cadres</u>	
<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22

Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

37. What type of official position did you hold in the work unit? (Show "Official position" card)

[VARS: RJOPOS1 – RJOPOS10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Party Position

Head of the party committee in a workplace	11
Middle-level party cadre	12
General party cadre	13

Administrative

Head of administration in a workplace	21
Middle-level administrative cadre	22
General administrative cadre	23

Technical

Head technical cadre	31
Middle-level technical cadre	32
General technical cadre	33

Other

Ordinary worker	41
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

VI. Respondent's Income (Q. 38-48) [Records 0601 – 0612]

We want to ask you questions about your income. Please tell us about your average monthly income in the following years, including your basic wage, bonus, and subsidy. If you cannot remember the specific year, please tell us your income in the year you can remember that is closest to the specified year. If you can only remember the annual income, or quarterly income. It's fine, but please let us know.

38. *In what year are you talking about your income? If you cannot remember your income in the selected year, then what is your alternative year for your income information which is most approximate to the selected year?*

[Note: If an alternative year was specified, it was coded instead. In some cases intervening years are missing and those records were dropped because they contained no information.]

[VARS: RINYR1 - RINYR12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Selected Year	
Year to start your first job	Two-digit year
1994	94
1993	93
1992	92
1991	91
1987	87
1978	78
1975	75
1965	65
1960	60
1955	55
Alternative year	Two-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

39. *What was your basic wage in the selected year?*

[VARS: RINBW1 - RINBW12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Basic wage (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

40. *Was your basic wage allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?*

[VARS: RINBWM1 - RINBWM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

41. *What was your total income in the specific year?*

[VARS: RINTI1 - RINTI12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Total income (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

42. *Was your total income allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?*

[VARS: RINTIM1 - RINTIM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

43. *What was your bonus in the specific year?*

[VARS: RINBO1 - RINBO12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Bonus (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

44. Was your bonus allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: RINBOM1 - RINBOM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

45. What was your subsidy in the specific year?

[VARS: RINSB1 - RINSB12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Subsidy (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

46. Was your subsidy allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: RINSBM1 - RINSBM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

47. What was your other income in the specific year?

[VARS: RINOI1 - RINOI12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Other income (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

48. Was your other income allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: RINOIM1 - RINOIM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

VII. Respondent's Personal Characteristics (Q. 49-66) [Records 0700]

We now like to ask you a few general questions about your personal situation.

49. *What is the gender of the respondent?*

[VAR: RSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Female	2

50. *In which year were you born?*

[VAR: RBIRTHYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which born	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

51. *In which month were you born?*

[VAR: RBIRTHMO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which born	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

52. *Have you ever been married?*

[VAR: RMAR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

53. *If you have ever got married, then in which year did you get married?*

[VAR: RMARYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which getting married	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

54. *Have you ever been divorced?*

[VAR: RDIV]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

55. *If you have ever been divorced, then in which year did you get divorced?*

[VAR: RDIVYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which getting divorced	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

56. *Have you ever been remarried?*

[VAR: RREMAR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

57. *If you have ever been remarried, then in which year did you get remarried?*

[VAR: RREMARYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which getting remarried	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

58. *Have you ever been widowed?*

[VAR: RWID]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

59. *If you have ever been widowed, then in which year did you get widowed?*

[VAR: RWIDYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which getting widowed	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

60. *Have you ever joined the Youth League?*

[VAR: RYL]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

61. *If you have ever joined the Youth League, then in which year did you join the League?*

[VAR: RYLYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which joining the League	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

62. *Have you ever joined the Communist Party?*

[VAR: RCP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Democratic Party	3
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

63. *If you have ever joined the Communist Party, then in which year did you join the Party?*

[VAR: RCPYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which joining the Party	2-digit year
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

64. *What is your family background?*

[VAR: RFAMBACK]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Worker (urban poor)	1
Poor, & lower-middle peasant	2
Middle, & upper-middle peasant	3
Landlord, rich peasant, official of the old government	4
Proprietor	5
Clerk	6

Capitalist	7
Cadre	8
Military	9
Intellectual	10
Rightist	11
Other (please specify)	12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

65. On a scale from 1 to 10, how would you rate your own health, where “10” means very healthy and “1” means very unhealthy?

[VAR: RHEALTH]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
1	1
2	2
3	3
4	4
5	5
6	6
7	7
8	8
9	9
10	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

66. Overall, how do you feel about your current living conditions?

[VAR: RLIVCOND]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Very satisfied	1
Basically satisfied	2
Not quite satisfied	3
Not satisfied at all	4
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

VIII. Information on Respondent's Family (Q. 67-106) [Records 0800 - 0804]

Now we ask you some questions about your family. Would you please tell us the following information about your grandparents, siblings, and (if married) your children. Those questions concerned with family member's type of work unit, organization ownership, occupation, form of employment, and job rank, are about the current or most recent information of the specific item.

67. *How many brothers do you have?*

[VAR: RBRO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of brothers	0-13
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

68. *How many sisters do you have?*

[VAR: RSIS]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of sisters	0-9
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

69. *How many sons do you have?*

[VAR: RSON]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of sons	0-6
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

70. *How many daughters do you have?*

[VAR: RDAUGHT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of daughters	0-5

Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

71. *How old is your grandfather?*

[VAR: RGFAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of grandfather	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

72. *What is the your grandfather's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: RGFEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

73. *What type of organization is your grandfather's current (or most recent) work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)*

[VAR: RGFUT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3

Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

74. What is the ownership of your grandfather's work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)

[VAR: RGFORGO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13

Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

75. What is your grandfather's occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)

[VAR: RGFOCCUP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18
<u>Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization</u>	
Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25
<u>Staff</u>	
Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34
<u>Commercial Personnel</u>	
Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44
<u>Service Personnel</u>	

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

76. *What type of employment does your grandfather have? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VAR: RGFFOE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

77. *What is your grandfather's job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VAR: RGFRANK]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14
<u>Cadres</u>	
<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25
<u>Rural Cadres</u>	
Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

78. *What is your grandfather's gender?*

[VAR: RGFSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Do not know	-7

Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

79. *Is your grandfather deceased?*

[VAR: RGFDEC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

80. How old is your eldest sibling?

[VAR: RESAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of eldest sibling	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

81. What is the eldest sibling's highest education? (Show "Education card")

[VAR: RESEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

82. What type of organization is your eldest sibling's current (or most recent) work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)

[VAR: RESUT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8

Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

83. *What is the ownership of your eldest sibling's work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VAR: RESORGO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8

Not applicable

-9

84. What is your eldest sibling's occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)

[VAR: RESOCCUP]

Response

Code

Professional Categories

Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
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Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

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Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
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Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

85. *What type of employment does your eldest sibling have? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VAR: RESFOE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

86. *What is your eldest sibling's job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VAR: RESRANK]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Worker

Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9

Professionals

Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14

Cadres

<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

87. *What is your eldest sibling's gender?*

[VAR: RESSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Female	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

88. *Is your eldest sibling deceased?*

[VAR: RESDEC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

89. *How old is your eldest child?*

[VAR: RECACHE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of eldest child	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

90. *What is the eldest child's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: RECEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

91. *What type of organization is your eldest child's current (or most recent) work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)*

[VAR: RECUT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8

Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiyè danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

92. *What is the ownership of your eldest child's work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VAR: RECORGO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8

Not applicable

-9

93. What is your eldest child's occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)

[VAR: RECOCCUP]

Response

Code

Professional Categories

Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18

Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass
Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization

Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

94. *What type of employment does your eldest child have? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VAR: RECFOE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

95. *What is your eldest child's job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VAR: RECRANK]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Worker

Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9

Professionals

Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14

Cadres

<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

96. *What is your eldest child's gender?*

[VAR: RECSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Female	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

97. *Is your eldest child deceased?*

[VAR: RECDEC]

Response

Code

Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

98. *How old is your youngest child?*

[VAR: RYCAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of youngest child	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

99. *What is the youngest child's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: RYCEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

100. *What type of organization is your youngest child's current (or most recent) work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)*

[VAR: RYCUT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7

Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiyè danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

101. *What is the ownership of your youngest child's work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VAR: RYCORG0]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7

Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

102. What is your youngest child's occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)

[VAR: RYCOCCUP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Professional Categories

Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18

Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization

Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54

Other service personnel 55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator) 61

Non-skilled worker 62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student 71

Study or work abroad 72

Private entrepreneur 73

Soldier, military officer, police 74

Participating in revolutionary work before 1949 75

Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing 76

Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to 77

categorize (please specify)

In prison, in labor camp 78

Do not know -7

Refuse to answer -8

Not applicable -9

103. *What type of employment does your youngest child have? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VAR: RYCFOE]

Response

Code

Permanent job 1

Contract job 2

Temporary job 3

Retired 4

Housework 5

Wait for employment, unemployed 6

Re-work after retirement 7

Sent-down 8

In agriculture (growing up in rural area) 9

Sick leave 10

Do not know -7

Refuse to answer -8

Not applicable -9

104. *What is your youngest child's job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VAR: RYCRANK]

Response

Code

Worker

Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9

Professionals

Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14

Cadres

<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

105. *What is your youngest child's gender?*

[VAR: RYCSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Female	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

106. *Is your youngest child deceased?*

[VAR: RYCDEC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

IX. Information on Respondent's Father (Q. 107-119) [Records 0900 - 0906]

We now like to ask you a few questions about your father.

107. *How old is your father?*

[VAR: RFAAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of your father	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

108. *What is your father's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: RFAEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

109. *Is your father a Communist Party member?*

[VAR: RFACP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8

Not applicable -9

110. *If your father is a Communist Party member, then when did he join the Party?*

[VAR: RFACPYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to join the Party	2-digit year
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

111. *What is the working status of your father?*

[VAR: RFASTA]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Still working	1
Retired	2
Deceased	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

112. *If your father is retired or deceased, in what year?*

[VAR: RFASTAYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to be retired or deceased	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

In the following questions, we like to ask some questions about your father's work experience in certain years including the year he started working, and 1965, 1975, 1978, 1986, and 1993. If you cannot remember the specific year, please give us the information on the year that is closest to the year asked.

113. *In what year did your father first start to work?*

[VARS: RFAYR1 – RFAYR6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year for starting to work	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

114. *What type of organization was your father's work unit in the specific year? (Show "Unit type" card)*

[VARS: RFAUT1 – RFAUT6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11
<u>Public Organizations</u>	
Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25
<u>Enterprises</u>	
State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

115. What was the ownership of your father's work unit in the specific year? (Show "Organization ownership" card)

[VARS: RFAORGO1 – RFAORGO6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

116. What was your father's occupation in the specific year? (Show "Occupation" card)

[VARS: RFAOCC1 – RFAOCC6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18

Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization

Head of government agency	21
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Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

117. What type of employment did your father's have in the specific year? ? (Show "Employment type" card)

[VARS: RFAFOE1 – RFAFOE6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

118. What was your father's job rank in the specific year? (Show "Job rank" card)

[VARS: RFARANK1 – RFARANK6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14
<u>Cadres</u>	
<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22

Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

119. What type of official position did your father hold in the work unit in the specific year? (Show "Official position" card)

[VARS: RFAPOS1 – RFAPOS6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Party Position

Head of the party committee in a workplace	11
Middle-level party cadre	12
General party cadre	13

Administrative

Head of administration in a workplace	21
Middle-level administrative cadre	22
General administrative cadre	23

Technical

Head technical cadre	31
Middle-level technical cadre	32
General technical cadre	33

Other

Ordinary worker	41
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

X. Information on Respondent's Mother (Q. 120-132) [Records 1000 - 1006]

We now like to ask you a few questions about your mother.

120. How old is your mother?

[VAR: RMAAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of your mother	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

121. What is your mother's highest education? (Show "Education card")

[VAR: RMAEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

122. Is your mother a Communist Party member?

[VAR: RMACP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

123. *If your mother is a Communist Party member, then when did she join the Party?*

[VAR: RMACPYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to join the Party	2-digit year
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

124. *What is the working status of your mother?*

[VAR: RMASTA]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Still working	1
Retired	2
Deceased	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

125. *If your mother is retired or deceased, in what year?*

[VAR: RMASTAYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to be retired or deceased	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

In the following questions, we like to ask some questions about your mother's work experience in certain years including the year he started working, and 1965, 1975, 1978, 1986, and 1993. If you cannot remember the specific year, please give us the information on the year that is closest to the year asked.

126. *In what year did your mother first start to work?*

[VARS: RMAYR1 – RMAYR6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year for starting to work	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

127. *What type of organization was your mother's work unit in the specific year? (Show Unit type" card)*

[VARS: RMAUT1 – RMAUT6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11
<u>Public Organizations</u>	
Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25
<u>Enterprises</u>	
State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

128. *What was the ownership of your mother's work unit in the specific year? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VARS: RMAORGO1 – RMAORGO6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

129. *What was your mother's occupation in the specific year? (Show "Occupation" card)*

[VARS: RMAOCC1 – RMAOCC6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18
<u>Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization</u>	
Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22

Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

130. What type of employment did your mother's have in the specific year? ? (Show "Employment type" card)

[VARS: RMAFOE1 – RMAFOE6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

131. What was your mother's job rank in the specific year? (Show "Job rank" card)

[VARS: RMARANK1 – RMARANK6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14
<u>Cadres</u>	
<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24

Vice-ke level or lower	25
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Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
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Production brigade (village) official	32
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Do not know	-7
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Refuse to answer	-8
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Not applicable	-9
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132. *What type of official position did your mother hold in the work unit in the selected year?
(Show "Official position" card)*

[VARs: RMAPOS1 – RMAPOS6]

Response

Code

Party Position

Head of the party committee in a workplace	11
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Middle-level party cadre	12
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General party cadre	13
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Administrative

Head of administration in a workplace	21
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Middle-level administrative cadre	22
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General administrative cadre	23
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Technical

Head technical cadre	31
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Middle-level technical cadre	32
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General technical cadre	33
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Other

Ordinary worker	41
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Do not know	-7
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Refuse to answer	-8
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Not applicable	-9
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Spouse's Information

XII. Spouse's Educational Experience (Q. 133-139) [Records 1201 - 1210]

We first like to ask you a few questions about your educational experience, beginning when you first entered school, and including both formal education and job-related training you have had since you left school. Please tell us the corresponding educational level. [Show "Education" card]

133. Did you ever go to school or have job-related training?

---If no, put the educational level as 1 and move to the next section (Section III).

---If yes, ask the following questions [the remainder of questions in section II].

[VARS: SEDLEV1 – SEDLEV10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
Zhongzhuan (special and technical secondary school)	5
Dazhuan (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

134. In which year did you begin elementary school (junior high school ...)? [For complete list of education level, please refer to the list as above.]

[VARS: SEDBEG1 – SEDBEG10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which began	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

135. In which year did you leave elementary school (junior high school...)?

[VARS: SEDEND1 – SEDEND10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which you left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

136. Did you graduate from elementary (junior high...) school?

[VARS: SEDGRD1 - SEDGRD10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

137. Was your elementary (junior high...) school a "key" school? (Yes/No)
If yes, then show card asking them to indicate the level of key school.

[VARS: SEDSCH1- SEDSCH10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
County level	1
City level	2
Province level or higher	3
Not a key school	4
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

138. What was your specialty?

[VARS: SEDSPC1 – SEDSPC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Comprehensive, no specialty	1
Engineering, architecture/construction, technical	2
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	3
Business administration	4
Economics	5
Public administration	6
Law	7
Medicine	8

Education	9
Natural sciences	10
Social sciences	11
Humanities	12
Political education, party school	13
Other (please specify)	14
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

139. *What was the location of your school?*

[VARS: SEDLOC1 – SEDLOC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Municipality, provincial capital	1
Large city	2
Medium city	3
Small city (county)	4
Town	5
Rural area (farm)	6
Abroad	7
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XIII. Spouse's Housing Information (Q. 140-54) [Records 1301 - 1310]

Please recall your housing conditions since you started working. If you live with your parents, relatives, friends or in a dormitory, please tell us the housing situation there. Let's start from the time you got your first job. [Show "Housing" Card]

140. Which year did you start to live in that house?

[VARS: SHOYRB1 – SHOYRB10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which began	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

141. Which month did you start to live in that house?

[VARS: SHOMOB1 – SHOMOB10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which began	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

142. Which year did you stop living in that house?

[VARS: SHOYRL1 – SHOYRL10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

143. Which month did you stop living in that house?

[VARS: SHOMOL1 – SHOMOL10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which began	1-12

Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

144. How much living space did the house have?

[VARS: SHOLSP1 – SHOLSP10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Square Meters (m ²)	1-3 digits
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

145. How much extra living space did the house have?

[VARS: SHOESP1 – SHOESP10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Square Meters (m ²)	1-3 digits
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

146. How many rooms did the house have?

[VARS: SHORMS1 – SHORMS10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of rooms	1-2 digits
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

147. How many permanent residents lived in this house?

[VARS: SHORES1 – SHORES10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of permanent residents	1-3 digits
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

148. Was there a kitchen in your house?

[VARS: SHOKIT1 – SHOKIT10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

149. Was there tap water in your house?

[VARS: SHOWAT1 – SHOWAT10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

150. Was there a bathroom/toilet in your house?

[VARS: SHOTIO1 – SHOTIO10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

151. Was there a phone in your house?

[VARS: SHOPHN1 – SHOPHN10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8

Not applicable -9

152. What type of the ownership was the house?

[VARS: SHOOWN1 – SHOOWN10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Provided by respondent's work unit	1
Provided by spouse's work unit	2
Provided by parent's work unit	3
Provided by relative's work unit	4
Provided by friend's work unit;	5
Rented from private sources	6
Private (self-) owned	7
Dormitory (<i>jiti sushe</i>)	8
City housing administration (<i>fangguansuo</i>)	9
Semi-public and semi-private	10
Other (please specify)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

153. What was the location of the house?

[VARS: SHOLOC1 – SHOLOC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Municipality, provincial capital	1
Large city	2
Medium city	3
Small city (county)	4
Town	5
Rural area (farm)	6
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

154. What province was the house located in?

[VARS: SHOPRO1 – SHOPRO10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Beijing	11
Tianjin	12

Hebei	13
Shanxi	14
Neimeng	15
Liaoning	21
Jilin	22
Heilongjiang	23
Shanghai	31
Jiangsu	32
Zhejiang	33
Anhui	34
Fujian	35
Jiangxi	36
Shandong	37
Henan	41
Hubei	42
Hunan	43
Guangdong	44
Guangxi	45
Hainan	46
Sichuan	51
Guizhou	52
Yunnan	53
Xizang	54
Shaanxi	61
Gansu	62
Qinghai	63
Ningxia	64
Xinjiang	65
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XIV. Spouse's Work Unit (Q. 155-163) [Records 1401 - 1412]

We now like to ask you a few questions about the work units (*danwei*) you have been with. Work experience includes waiting for employment, send-down, and changes in work unit. Let's start with the first work unit after you first left school (if you didn't go to school, begin with your earliest work). [*Show "Work Unit" card*]

[Note: the questionnaire allowed for up to 10 work unit episodes, however, 12 episodes were coded for one spouse respondent.]

155. *In what year did you start to work in the first (second...) work unit?*

[VARS: SWOYRB1 – SWOYRB12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which started	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

156. *In which month did you start to work in the first (second...) work unit?*

[VARS: SWOMOB1 – SWOMOB12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which started	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

157. *In which year did you leave this work unit?*

[VARS: SWOYRL1 – SWOYRL12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

158. *In which month did you leave the work unit?*

[VARS: SWOMOL1 – SWOMOL12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Month in which left	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

159. What was the economic sector of your work unit?

[VARS: SWOSEC1 – SWOSEC12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	1
Mining, lumber	2
Textile, chemical products for daily life	3
Raw material, chemical industry	4
Electronic industry	5
Metal-products, machinery	6
Construction	7
Geological prospecting	8
Transport, post and telecommunication	9
Commerce, storage, warehousing, catering services, wholesale and retail trade	10
Real estate management, public services, residence services	11
Health, sports, social welfare	12
Higher education	13
Kindergarten, elementary and high school education	14
Culture and art, broadcasting and television, news media, publishing	15
Scientific and technological research, consulting	16
Banking and insurance	17
Tourism	18
Government agencies	19
Party organs	20
Social organizations	21
Armed forces and police	22
Other (please specify)	23
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

160. What was the type of your work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)

[VARS: SWOTYP1 – SWOTYP12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Government Agencies

Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiyue danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

161. What was the ownership of your work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)

[VARS: SWOOWN1 – SWOOWN12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10

Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

162. *What was the size of your work unit?*

[VARS: SWOSIZ1 – SWOSIZ12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of employees	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

163. *What was the location of your work unit?*

[VARS: SWOLOC1 – SWOLOC12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Municipality, provincial capital	1
Large city	2
Medium city	3
Small city (county)	4
Town	5
Rural area (farm)	6
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XV. Spouse's Occupation, Position, and Job Rank (Q. 164-169) [Records 1501 - 1510]

Now please recall any job changes, within or across work units, since you started working. Specifically, have you had any changes in occupation, position, or job rank? Let's begin with your first job.

164. *What is the starting year of your first (second...) job?*

[VARS: SJOYRB1 – SJOYRB10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which started	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

165. *What is the year you left your first (second...) job?*

[VARS: SJOYRL1 – SJOYRL10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which left	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

166. *What was your occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)*

[VARS: SJOOCC1 – SJOOCC10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18

Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization

Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

167. What type of employment did you have? (Show "Employment type" card)

[VARS: SJOFRM1 – SJOFRM10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

168. What was your job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)

[VARS: SJORNK1 – SJORNK10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14
<u>Cadres</u>	
<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22

Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

169. What type of official position did you hold in the work unit? (Show "Official position" card)

[VARS: SJOPOS1 – SJOPOS10]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Party Position

Head of the party committee in a workplace	11
Middle-level party cadre	12
General party cadre	13

Administrative

Head of administration in a workplace	21
Middle-level administrative cadre	22
General administrative cadre	23

Technical

Head technical cadre	31
Middle-level technical cadre	32
General technical cadre	33

Other

Ordinary worker	41
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XVI. Spouse's Income (Q. 170-180) [Records 1601 – 1612]

We want to ask you questions about your income. Please tell us about your average monthly income in the following years, including your basic wage, bonus, and subsidy. If you cannot remember the specific year, please tell us your income in the year you can remember that is closest to the specified year. If you can only remember the annual income, or quarterly income. It's fine, but please let us know.

[Note: if an alternative year was specified, it was coded instead. In some cases intervening years are missing and those records were dropped because they are contained no information.]

170. In what year are you talking about your income? If you cannot remember your income in the selected year, then what is your alternative year for your income information which is most approximate to the selected year?

[VARS: SINYR1 - SINYR12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Selected Year	
Year to start your first job	Two-digit year
1994	94
1993	93
1992	92
1991	91
1987	87
1978	78
1975	75
1965	65
1960	60
1955	55
Alternative year	Two-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

171. What was your basic wage in the selected year?

[VARS: SINBW1 - SINBW12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Basic wage (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

172. Was your basic wage allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: SINBWM1 - SINBWM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

173. What was your total income in the specific year?

[VARS: SINTI1 - SINTI12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Total income (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

174. Was your total income allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: SINTIM1 - SINTIM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

175. What was your bonus in the specific year?

[VARS: SINBO1 - SINBO12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Bonus (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

176. Was your bonus allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: SINBOM1 - SINBOM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

177. What was your subsidy in the specific year?

[VARS: SINSB1 - SINSB12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Subsidy (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

178. Was your subsidy allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: SINSBM1 - SINSBM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

179. What was your other income in the specific year?

[VARS: SINOI1 - SINOI12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Other income (<i>yuan</i>)	1-6 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

180. Was your other income allocated monthly, yearly, or quarterly?

[VARS: SINOIM1 - SINOIM12]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Monthly	1
Yearly	2
Quarterly	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XVII. Spouse's Personal Characteristics (Q. 181-191) [Records 1700]

We now like to ask you a few general questions about your personal situation.

181. What is the gender of the respondent?

[VAR: SSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Female	2

182. In which year were you born?

[VAR: SBIRTHYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which born	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

183. In which month were you born?

[VAR: SBIRTHMO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Month in which born	1-12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

184. Have you ever joined the Communist Party?

[VAR: SCP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Democratic party	3
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8

Not applicable -9

185. *If you have ever joined the Communist Party, then in which year did you join the Party?*

[VAR: SCPYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year in which joining the Party	2-digit year
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

186. *What is your family background?*

[VAR: SFAMBACK]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Worker (urban poor)	1
Poor, & lower-middle peasant	2
Middle, & upper-middle peasant	3
Landlord, rich peasant, official of the old government	4
Proprietor	5
Clerk	6
Capitalist	7
Cadre	8
Military	9
Intellectual	10
Rightist	11
Other (please specify)	12
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

187. *Have you ever worked in the same unit with your spouse?*

[VAR: SWRKUNIT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

188. *If you have ever worked in the same unit with your spouse, then in which year did it start?*

[VAR: SYRSTART]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year from which starting working in the same unit	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

189. *If you have ever worked in the same unit with your spouse, then in which year did it end?*

[VAR: SYREND]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year from which ending working in the same unit	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

190. *On a scale from 1 to 10, how would you rate your own health, where “10” means very healthy and “1” means very unhealthy?*

[VAR: SHEALTH]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
1	1
2	2
3	3
4	4
5	5
6	6
7	7
8	8
9	9
10	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

191. *Overall, how do you feel about your current living conditions?*

[VAR: SLIVCOND]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Very satisfied	1
Basically satisfied	2
Not quite satisfied	3
Not satisfied at all	4
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XVIII. Information on Spouse's Family (Q. 192-211) [Records 1800 - 1802]

Now we ask you some questions about your family. Would you please tell us the following information about your grandparents, siblings, and (if married) your children. Those questions concerned with family member's type of work unit, organization ownership, occupation, form of employment, and job rank, are about the current or most recent information of the specific item.

192. *How many brothers do you have?*

[VAR: SBRO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of brothers	0-8
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

193. *How many sisters do you have?*

[VAR: SSIS]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Number of sisters	0-9
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

194. *How old is your grandfather?*

[VAR: SGFAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of grandfather	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

195. *What is the your grandfather's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: SGFEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1

Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

196. What type of organization is your grandfather's current (or most recent) work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)

[VAR: SGFUT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Government Agencies

Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35

Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

197. *What is the ownership of your grandfather's work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VAR: SGFORGO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

198. *What is your grandfather's occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)*

[VAR: SGFOCCUP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18

Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass
Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization

Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7

Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

199. What type of employment does your grandfather have? (Show "Employment type" card)

[VAR: SGFFOE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

200. What is your grandfather's job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)

[VAR: SGFRANK]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14

Cadres

<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

201. *What is your grandfather's gender?*

[VAR: SGFSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

202. *Is your grandfather deceased?*

[VAR: SGFDEC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

203. *How old is your eldest sibling?*

[VAR: SESAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of eldest sibling	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

204. *What is the eldest sibling's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: SESEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucaai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

205. *What type of organization is your eldest sibling's current (or most recent) work unit? (Show "Unit type" card)*

[VAR: SESUT]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8

Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11

Public Organizations

Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25

Enterprises

State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

206. *What is the ownership of your eldest sibling's work unit? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VAR: SESORGO]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8

Not applicable

-9

207. What is your eldest sibling's occupation? (Show "Occupation" card)

[VAR: SESOCCUP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18
<u>Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization</u>	
Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25
<u>Staff</u>	
Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34
<u>Commercial Personnel</u>	
Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44
<u>Service Personnel</u>	
Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Solider, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

208. *What type of employment does your eldest sibling have? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VAR: SESFOE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

209. *What is your eldest sibling's job rank? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VAR: SESRANK]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Worker

Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9

Professionals

Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14

Cadres

<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

210. *What is your eldest sibling's gender?*

[VAR: SESSEX]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Male	1
Female	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

211. *Is your eldest sibling deceased?*

[VAR: SESDEC]

Response

Code

Yes	1
No	2
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XIX. Information on Spouse's Father (Q. 212-224) [Records 1900 - 1906]

We now like to ask you a few questions about your father.

212. *How old is your father?*

[VAR: SFAAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of your father	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

213. *What is your father's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: SFAEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

214. *Is your father a Communist Party member?*

[VAR: SFACP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8

Not applicable -9

215. *If your father is a Communist Party member, then when did he join the Party?*

[VAR: SFACPYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to join the Party	2-digit year
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

216. *What is the working status of your father?*

[VAR: SFASTA]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Still working	1
Retired	2
Deceased	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

217. *If your father is retired or deceased, in what year?*

[VAR: SFASTAYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to be retired or deceased	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

In the following questions, we like to ask some questions about your father's work experience in certain years including the year he started working, and 1965, 1975, 1978, 1986, and 1993. If you cannot remember the specific year, please give us the information on the year that is closest to the year asked.

218. *In what year did your father first start to work?*

[VARS: SFAYR1 – SFAYR6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year for starting to work	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

219. *What type of organization was your father's work unit in the specific year? (Show "Unit type" card)*

[VARS: SFAUT1 – SFAUT6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11
<u>Public Organizations</u>	
Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25
<u>Enterprises</u>	
State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

220. *What was the ownership of your father's work unit in the specific year? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VARS: SFAORGO1 – SFAORGO6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

221. *What was your father's occupation in the specific year? (Show "Occupation" card)*

[VARS: SFAOCC1 – SFAOCC6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18

Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization

Head of government agency	21
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Head of Party and mass organization	22
Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

222. *What type of employment did your father's have in the specific year? ? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VARS: SFAFOE1 – SFAFOE6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

223. *What was your father's job rank in the specific year? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VARS: SFARANK1 – SFARANK6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14
<u>Cadres</u>	
<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22

Vice- <i>chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24
Vice- <i>ke</i> level or lower	25

Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
Production brigade (village) official	32
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

224. *What type of official position did your father hold in the work unit in the specific year? (Show "Official position" card)*

[VARS: SFAPOS1 – SFAPOS6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
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Party Position

Head of the party committee in a workplace	11
Middle-level party cadre	12
General party cadre	13

Administrative

Head of administration in a workplace	21
Middle-level administrative cadre	22
General administrative cadre	23

Technical

Head technical cadre	31
Middle-level technical cadre	32
General technical cadre	33

Other

Ordinary worker	41
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

XX. Information on Spouse's Mother (Q. 225-237) [Records 2000 - 2006]

We now like to ask you a few questions about your mother.

225. *How old is your mother?*

[VAR: SMAAGE]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Age of your mother	2 digit number
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

226. *What is your mother's highest education? (Show "Education card")*

[VAR: SMAEDUC]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Illiterate	1
Elementary school	2
Junior high school	3
High school	4
<i>Zhongzhuan</i> (special and technical secondary school)	5
<i>Dazhuan</i> (informal college, TV college, etc.)	6
College	7
Master degree or above	8
On-the-job training (<i>gongzuo peixun</i>)	9
Off-the-job training (<i>jinxiu</i>)	10
Higher education in the old society (<i>xiucai, juren</i>)	11
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

227. *Is your mother a Communist Party member?*

[VAR: SMACP]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Yes	1
No	2
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

228. *If your mother is a Communist Party member, then when did she join the Party?*

[VAR: SMACPYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to join the Party	2-digit year
Could not ask	-1
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

229. *What is the working status of your mother?*

[VAR: SMASTA]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Still working	1
Retired	2
Deceased	3
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

230. *If your mother is retired or deceased, in what year?*

[VAR: SMASTAYR]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year to be retired or deceased	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

In the following questions, we like to ask some questions about your mother's work experience in certain years including the year he started working, and 1965, 1975, 1978, 1986, and 1993. If you cannot remember the specific year, please give us the information on the year that is closest to the year asked.

231. *In what year did your mother first start to work?*

[VARS: SMAYR1 – SMAYR6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Year for starting to work	2-digit year
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

232. *What type of organization was your mother's work unit in the specific year? (Show Unit type" card)*

[VARS: SMAUT1 – SMAUT6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Government Agencies</u>	
Party and government headquarters	1
Organization and personnel department	2
Material management department	3
Fiscal, banking, insurance department	4
Economic planning, management	5
Foreign trade agencies	6
Justice, investigation/prosecution, law/legal	7
Industry/commerce, taxation, market regulation	8
Armed forces	9
Residential administration	10
Other (please specify)	11
<u>Public Organizations</u>	
Newspaper, publishing, TV, telecommunication	21
University and research institute	22
Kindergarten, elementary and high school	23
Cultural organizations	24
Other <i>shiye danwei</i> (please specify)	25
<u>Enterprises</u>	
State-owned	31
Collective-owned	32
Private-owned	33
Rural area (farm)	34
Other (please specify)	35
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

233. *What was the ownership of your mother's work unit in the specific year? (Show "Organization ownership" card)*

[VARS: SMAORGO1 – SMAORGO6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Central government	1
Province (municipality)	2
City (region)	3
County	4
District within a city	5
Town and township	6
<i>Min-ban</i>	7
Private firm (joint-owned)	8
Private firm (family or individual-owned)	9
Joint-owned by state and collective	10
Joint-owned by state and private	11
Joint-owned by collective and private	12
Joint-venture between domestic firm and foreign capital or capital from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan	13
Village, farm	14
Before 1949	15
Other (please specify)	16
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

234. *What was your mother's occupation in the specific year? (Show "Occupation" card)*

[VARS: SMAOCC1 – SMAOCC6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Professional Categories</u>	
Scientific and technical research personnel	11
Literary, health, cultural specialist	12
Scientific and technical assistant (technicians, nurses, etc.)	13
Legal and economic professional	14
College instructor	15
Elementary and high school instructor	16
Religious position	17
Other specialist (please specify)	18
<u>Cadres in Government Agency, Party and Mass Organization, Enterprises and Public Organization</u>	
Head of government agency	21
Head of Party and mass organization	22

Ordinary party cadre	23
Head of an enterprise or public organization	24
Ordinary administrative cadre in an enterprise or public organization	25

Staff

Administrative staff	31
Political/security staff	32
General staff in banking, post service, etc.	33
Other staff	34

Commercial Personnel

Sales clerk	41
Purchasing/supply agent	42
Broker and related personnel	43
Other commercial personnel	44

Service Personnel

Attendant	51
Chef, kitchen staff	52
Tour guide	53
Handyman	54
Other service personnel	55

Production Worker, Transportation/Shipping Worker

Skilled worker (machine operator)	61
Non-skilled worker	62

Other Occupations

Enrolled student	71
Study or work abroad	72
Private entrepreneur	73
Soldier, military officer, police	74
Participating in revolutionary work before 1949	75
Agriculture, forestry, animal husbandry, fishing	76
Occupations before 1949 that are inconvenient to categorize (please specify)	77
In prison, in labor camp	78
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

235. *What type of employment did your mother's have in the specific year? ? (Show "Employment type" card)*

[VARS: SMAFOE1 – SMAFOE6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
Permanent job	1
Contract job	2
Temporary job	3
Retired	4
Housework	5
Wait for employment, unemployed	6
Re-work after retirement	7
Sent-down	8
In agriculture (growing up in rural area)	9
Sick leave	10
Do not know	-7
Refuse to answer	-8
Not applicable	-9

236. *What was your mother's job rank in the specific year? (Show "Job rank" card)*

[VARS: SMARANK1 – SMARANK6]

<u>Response</u>	<u>Code</u>
<u>Worker</u>	
Grade 1 or equivalent	1
Grade 2 or equivalent	2
Grade 3 or equivalent	3
Grade 4 or equivalent	4
Grade 5 or equivalent	5
Grade 6 or equivalent	6
Grade 7 or equivalent	7
Grade 8 or equivalent	8
Grade 9 or equivalent	9
<u>Professionals</u>	
Senior engineer level or equivalent	11
Engineer level or equivalent	12
Assistant engineer level or equivalent	13
Technician level or equivalent	14
<u>Cadres</u>	
<i>Ju</i> level or higher	21
<i>Chu</i> level	22
<i>Vice-chu</i> level	23
<i>Ke</i> (section) level	24

Vice-ke level or lower	25
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Rural Cadres

Commune (country town) official	31
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Production brigade (village) official	32
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Do not know	-7
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Refuse to answer	-8
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Not applicable	-9
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237. *What type of official position did your mother hold in the work unit in the selected year?
(Show "Official position" card)*

[VARS: SMAPOS1 – SMAPOS6]

Response

Code

Party Position

Head of the party committee in a workplace	11
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Middle-level party cadre	12
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General party cadre	13
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Administrative

Head of administration in a workplace	21
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Middle-level administrative cadre	22
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General administrative cadre	23
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Technical

Head technical cadre	31
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Middle-level technical cadre	32
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General technical cadre	33
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Other

Ordinary worker	41
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Do not know	-7
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Refuse to answer	-8
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Not applicable	-9
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