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Conversation Format

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Speaker speaker_2: I don't know. I mean, I'm-

Speaker speaker_1: First name?

Speaker speaker_2: ... I'm a- I'm at Oxford, so maybe. Um, Alberto.

Speaker speaker_1: Last name?

Speaker speaker_2: Gallegos.

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Speaker speaker_1: No problem, Mr. Alberto. Was there anything else I can help you with today?

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Speaker speaker_1: ... information, we are, we are open until 8:00 PM Eastern Time if you need more questions or got any more questions.

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