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Read the [Washington Post profile](#) of Demetrios Papademetriou, July 27, 2001, or his profile in [Government Executive's "Homeland Security 100: Profiles of Key Government Officials and Outside Experts,"](#) February 2004.

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