respective Apresyan (En-Ru)

[rı'spektıv] a

1. соответственный

in their respective places - каждый на своём месте

Britain and France were represented by their respective ambassadors - Англия и Франция были представлены своими послами the respective merits of the candidates - сравнительные достоинства кандидатов

the men were given work according to their respective abilities - рабочим была поручена работа в соответствиис их квалификацией

- 2. редк. заботливый внимательный
- 3. уст. связанный (с чем-л.); соответствующий (чему-л.)

## respective

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

re-spect-ive BrE [rɪ'spektɪv] \* NAmE [rɪ'spektɪv] \* adjective only before noun

belonging or relating separately to each of the people or things already mentioned

- They are each recognized specialists in their respective fields.
- the respective roles of men and women in society

## Word Origin:

[respective] late Middle English (in the sense 'relative, comparative'): from medieval Latin respectivus, from respect- 'regarded, considered', from the verb respicere 'look back at, regard', from re- 'back' + specere 'look at', reinforced by French respectif, -ive.

## Example Bank:

• They are each recognized as specialists in their respective fields.

## respective

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

re specitive /rɪ'spektɪv/ BrE \* AmE \* adjective [only before noun]

[Word Family: noun: ↑respect ≠ ↑disrespect, ↑respectability, ↑respecter, ↑respectfulness; adjective: ↑respectable, ↑respected, ↑respectfully ≠ ↑disrespectfully, ↑respective; adverta ↑respectably, ↑respectfully ≠ ↑disrespectfully, ↑respectively; verta ↑respect ≠ ↑disrespect]

used before a plural noun to refer to the different things that belong to each separate person or thing mentioned:

- We all went back to our respective homes to wait for news.
- the respective roles of teachers and students

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