



development: long-range weather forecasts predict a particularly pleasing summer for fruit production. It looks like there will be a glut on the market and too much fruit. So, another trader further

However, if you do find yourself taking that point of view, I would take care in expressing it in university interviews. The kind of interview you must do well in, in order to get you admitted to the Mathematics, Economics or Finance course that will allow you a safe passage to the trading career you seek. You see, the Maths or Economics lecturer who is interviewing you will certainly have had the option of pursuing a career in finance. They didn't choose that path. Instead, they chose a life of the mind - a life of intellectual endeavour. They chose to value the communication of their passion for Mathematics or Economics to willing students. The same is true of your teachers here at Merchant Taylors'.

In other words, from a position of academic and intellectual strength, some very clever people have rejected what you seek. They have valued learning, communication of knowledge and intellectual endeavour.

If they're so smart, maybe they have a point. It's worth the effort to think again.