



SidneyPacific
Graduate Community

House Meeting

Tuesday, May 1st 2012

Agenda

- Thank you from and to SPEC 2011-12
- Introducing the New House Council
- Internal Housing Lottery
- Transition Brunch
- Beautification board
- Upcoming Events
- Open Floor
- Individual Office Meetings

Thank you from SPEC 2011



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Thank you to SPEC 2011-2012



Brian Spatocco
Chair of the Halls



Holly Johnsen
VP of Resources



George Tucker
VP of Information



George Lan
President



Ahmed Helal
VP of Residential Life

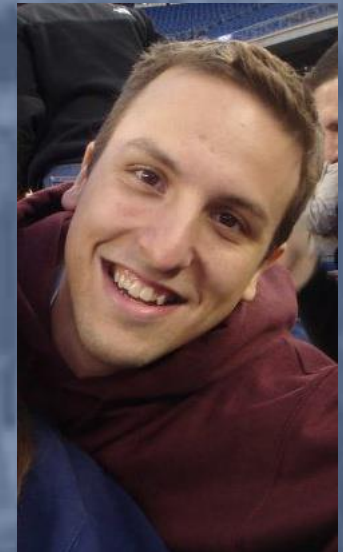
Introducing SPEC 2012-2013



Jennifer Jarvis
Chair of the Halls



George Chen
VP of Ressources♪



Stephen Morgan
VP of Residential Life



Stephanie Nam
VP of Information



**Pierre-Olivier
Lepage**
President

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What it means to be an SP officer

- Volunteer Government
 - Building and improving SP community
 - Friendliest, most active people you'll meet
 - “First citizens”
- Supporting each other
 - We are a team – together, we can do what seems impossible

Office of the President

- **Interfacing with the outside world**
 - **Presenting SP to outside organizations**
 - The MIT administration
 - The Graduate Student Council (GSC)
 - **Interactions with surrounding communities**
 - Reducing energy consumption
 - Community services
 - COSI lectures

Office of the President



David Rosen
CoSI Co-Chair



Carrie Cai
CoSI Co-Chair



**Asa
Adadey**
Outreach Chair



Sunila Saqib
Environmental Co-
Chair



**Christina
Chang**

Office of Information

- Holding the SP community together
- In between everyone
 - SP events <> Residents
 - Resources <> Residents
 - Residents <> Residents

Office of Information

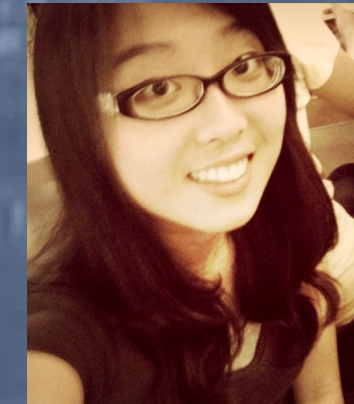
Newsletter
Patrick



Web
Sharon Madars



SPTV
Tamas Alexander



Danica

Leebong

Tiffany

Steven

Sarvesh

Photo

Publicity

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What is the Office of Resources?

- Resources
 - Maintaining
 - Improving
 - **Money**
 - Collaboration
 - Improving how we obtain resident feedback with Office of Info
 - Co-organizing events with other offices
- ←→ Resident Feedback

Office of Resources – Mug Shots



A/V: Mark Chilenksi
& Matt D'Asaro



Aquarium:
Sung Wook Paek



Arts:
Iain Dunning



Bikes:
Zach Ulissi



Controller:
Filiz Yetisir



Inventory:
Ozge Karanfil



IT:
Sumit Dutta



Music:
Nate Zuk



Plants:
Peng Shi

Hall Council Family



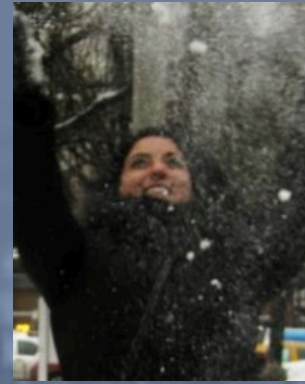
Vishnu
Floor 1



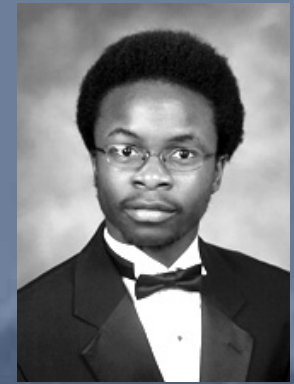
Isaac
2N



Jessica
2S



Farrah
3N



David
3S



Aaron
5N



Yang
Floor 6



Bernhard
Floor 7



Kendall
Floor 9

Office of Residential Life



Adi Bhujle
Athletics



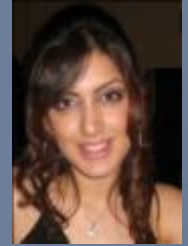
Fabián Kozynski
Coffee Hour



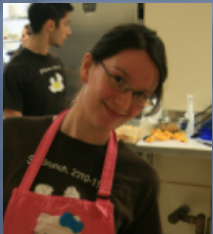
Dan Kolodrubetz
Coffee Hour



Jenny Wang
SPICE



Leila Pirhaji
Cultural



Holly Johnsen
Interest Groups



Diana Chien
Outing



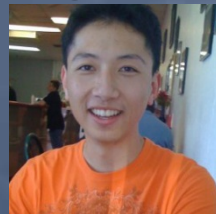
Mandy Woo
Orientation



Yunke Xiang
Social



Kelli Xu
Social



Chen Lu
Brunch



Boris Braverman
Brunch

Other Sources of Support



Housemasters:
Roger and Dottie Mark



House Manager:
Jack Ahern



Associate Housemasters:
Roland Tang and Annette Kim
(as well as Joshua and Samuel)



SP Board of Trustees

SP Internal Housing Lottery

- Who is eligible?
 - SP residents with continuing housing status
 - Incoming house officers
- Timeline:
 - NOW: Lottery opens, the list of rooms available is made public
 - May 5: Room/roommate preferences are due at 11:59 pm
 - May 6: Room assignments are made
- If you want to stay in your room, **YOU DO NOT NEED TO DO ANYTHING!**
- Please read the FAQ's!

Special Elections: 4-South, 4-North, 5-South, Floor 8

- Applications due tonight by midnight
- Voting Wednesday through Friday at Midnight
- Results announced on Saturday

Transition Brunch

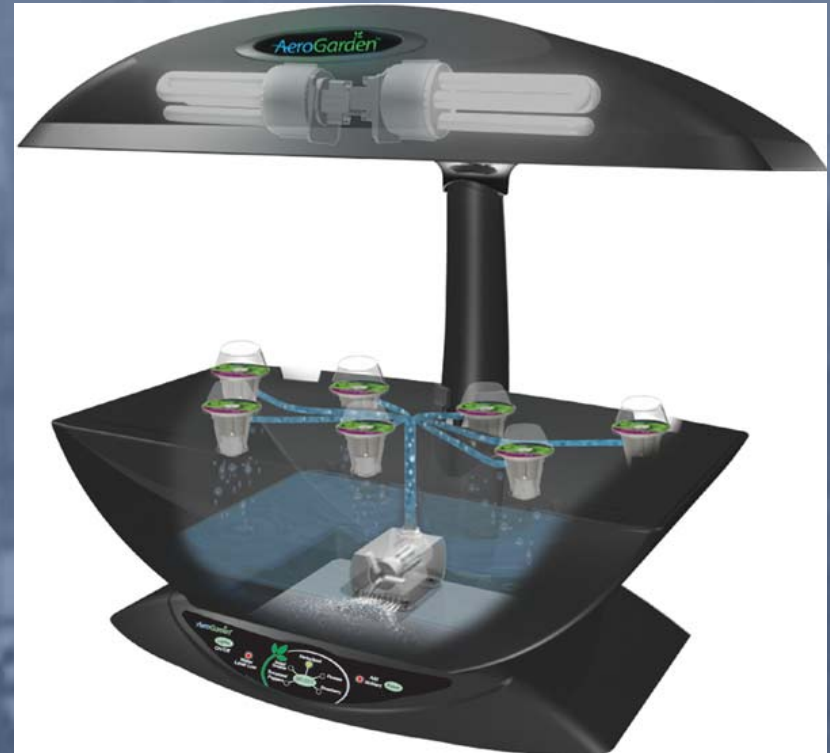
- **May 5th**
 - 9:30 AM: Meet in the SP Lobby, Walk over to Marriott Hotel
 - 10:00AM: Eat while talking with your predecessor/successor
 - 12:00PM: Brunch Ends

SP Beautification Committee

- **Goal: Make SP a more beautiful place**
- **Proposal criteria**
 1. **Visibility/accessibility**
 2. **Feasibility**
 3. **Potential of submitter to execute idea**
 4. **Effect on ambiance**
 5. **Impact on quality of life**
- **Send proposals to sp-beautification@mit.edu**
- **So...what exactly have we done, anyway?**

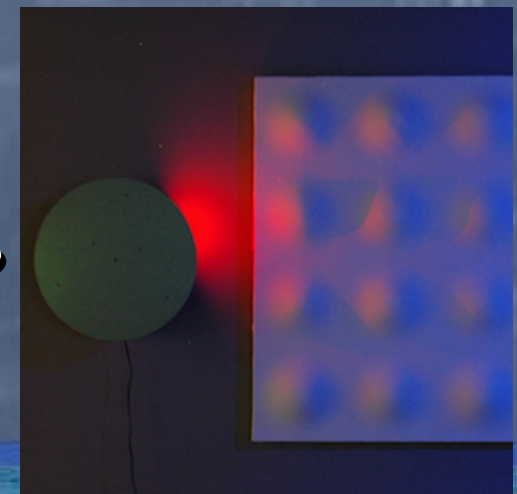
SP Beautification Committee

- **Already done:**
 - Magazine racks
 - Aerogardens (2)



SP Beautification Committee

- **Coming soon:**
 - **“Bounce”** (by SP resident Jon Gorkin)
 - And more...
 - **Before I Graduate...**
 - **Origami mobile**
 - **Magazine subscription**
- **Purchasing artwork**
 - Can SP pay artists for their work?
 - How should we set the price?



Open Floor

- Questions? Comments?



Upcoming Events

- **Wednesday, May 2nd : Egyptian Coffee hour**
- **Saturday, May 5th: Transition Brunch**
- **Wednesday, May 9th: House cup award ceremony**
- **Saturday, May 12th: Blue hills biking and hiking outing**
- **Sunday, May 13th: May brunch**
- **Saturday, May 26th: End of term BBQ**
- **Saturday, June 2nd: S-P Officer Retreat**

Office Meetings

- Follow your respective SPEC members
 - Office of the President: Pierre-Olivier
 - Office of Resources: George
 - Office of Residential Life: Steve
 - Office of Information: Stephanie
 - Hall Council: Jen
- Stick around for a reception for desserts!

Food

