House Meeting

Tuesday, May 4th 2010
Agenda

• Thanks to SPEC 2009-2010
• Introducing the New House Council
• Internal Housing Lottery
• Transition Brunch
• Upcoming Events
• Open Floor
Thank You SPEC 2009-2010

Yuxi Zhang  
VP of Resources

Zenzile Brooks  
President

Daniel Macaya  
VP of Residential Life

Michael Eilenberg  
VP of Information

Po-Ru Loh  
Chair of the Halls
SPEC 2010-2011

Tim Curran
VP of Resources

Amy Bilton
President

Mirna Slim
VP of Residential Life

Ian Jacobi
VP of Information

Chelsea He
Chair of the Halls
Office of the President

- Presenting Sidney-Pacific to other Organizations
  - Administration
  - Academia
  - Student Groups
  - Community Organizations

- Advocating for residents
  - Stipend Increases, Dental Plan
  - Northwest Shuttle

- Organizing Special Interactions
  - Outreach Opportunities
  - Scholarly Events
  - Alumni Dinners
Amy Bilton
President

Ting-Ting Chen
Outreach Chair

Diego Feiger
CoSI Chair

Ece Gulson
Environmental Chair
Office of Information

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Office of Resources

- **Promoting all the resources and facilities Sidney-Pacific has to offer**
  - Purchasing new equipment and inventory
  - Repairing and upgrading existing resources
  - Making equipment and facilities more useful and user-friendly
  - Supporting government and community use of resources

- **Building community**
  - Maintaining a positive, constructive environment for living and learning
  - Fostering resident interest and involvement in music and the arts
  - Engaging the community in maintaining and improving our resources

- **Managing government finances**
  - Securing funding, allocating budgets, processing reimbursements
Office of Resources

Cristian Figueroa  
A/V Chair

Timothy Palmer  
A/V Co-chair

Derek Smith  
Aquarium Chair

Yang Sun  
Arts Chair

Tim Curran  
VP of Resources

Jim Abshire  
Controller

Jagdish Ramakrishnan  
Inventory Chair

Yiwei Chen  
IT Chair

Jessica Leight  
Music Chair

Eunhee Sohn  
Plants Chair

Jake McKenzie  
Bikes Chair
Office of Residential Life

Aims to create and increase social interaction and cultural awareness in the SP community and throughout the campus through different events and programs:

- Organizes SP social events and activities:
  - Weekly coffee hours
  - Monthly brunches
  - Outings
  - Athletic activities and outings
  - Cultural coffee hours and dinner series
Office of Residential Life

• **Orientation events**
  – Collaborates with GSC and other dormitories.
  – Orientation BBQ, Brunch, Dessert Nights, Dance Parties, etc.
  – Prime time for recruiting!

• **Organizes some of the campus-wide or cross-campus social events:**
  – Taste of the Northwest and Block Party
  – BBQ’s and movie screenings.
  – Harvard-MIT dance party (every other year)
Office of Residential Life

Kasia Gora
Coffee Chair

Michael Peng
Coffee Co-Chair

Jia Har
Social Chair

Wanted
Brunch co-chair

Bireendra Jha
Brunch Chair

Kasia Gora
Coffee Chair

Mirna Slim
VP of Residential Life

Jia Har
Social Chair

Armen Mkrtchyan
Athletics Chair

Daniel Harris
Outing Chair

Hussam Zebian
Orientation Chair

Katie Quinn
Cultural Chair

Pam DeAmicis
SPICE Chair

Mark Lipson
Interest Groups Manager

Alexis Turjman
Orientation Chair

Pam DeAmicis
SPICE Chair

Katie Quinn
Cultural Chair

Armen Mkrtchyan
Athletics Chair

Daniel Harris
Outing Chair
Hall Council

• Represent the residents
  – The democratic branch of the house government
  – Each hall councilor vote is weighted double that of an appointed officer

• Nurture a hall community
  – Organizes regular hall events
  – Inter-hall House Cup

• First point of contact with the residents
  – A source of information
  – Mediation and counseling
Burcu “B” Erkmen
Floor 1

Ramesh Sridharan
2-North

Rahul Nandkishore
5-South

Ahmed Helal
4-North

Vivek Singh
Floor 6

Holly Johnsen
2-South

Brian Spatocco
3-North

Andrew Lai
5-North

Eric Newton
Floor 8

Anand Oza
4-South

George Lan
3-South

Alex Chapman
Floor 7

Chelsea He
Chair of the Halls

George Tucker
Inter-Hall Events Coordinator

Ivan Chan
Floor 9

Sidney Pacific
What it means to be an SP officer

• Volunteer Government
  – Residents committed to improving SP community
  – Friendliest, most active people you’ll meet

• Supporting each other
  – Together, we can do what seems impossible
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 Internal Housing Lottery

Who is eligible?
- SP residents with continuing housing status
- Incoming house officers

Timeline:
- May 1: 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!
Officer Positions Still Open

• Brunch Co-Chair
• Web Co-Chair
• Newsletter Chair
Transition Brunch

- **May 9th**
  - 9:45AM: Meet in the Lobby
  - 10:00AM: Eat while talking with your predecessor/successor
  - 12:00PM: Brunch Ends

- RSVP on the SP Website
Upcoming Events

• Saturday, May 8th: Transition Brunch
• Friday, May 14th: GSC Acoustic BBQ
• Sunday, May 16th: May Brunch
• Friday, May 21st: S-P BBQ & Movie
• Saturday, June 19th: S-P Officer Retreat
• June: Cultural Festival, Alumni Dinner, HC BBQ & Movie, Brunch
• July: Summer Party, Brunch, Movie
Open Floor

• Questions? Comments?
Office Meetings

- Follow your respective SPEC members
  - Office of the President: Amy
  - Office of Resources: Tim
  - Office of Residential Life: Amy
  - Office of Information: Ian
  - Hall Council: Chelsea

- Stick around for a reception!
Food

I wish I knew how to quit you.