ESD NEWS

Three from ESD to receive School of Engineering Infinite Mile Awards
Beth Milnes, Patty Eames, and David Schultz have been selected to receive School of Engineering Infinite Mile Excellence Awards. The awards celebration will be held on Wednesday, April 28 from 3-5pm in the Grier Room (34-401).
http://esd.mit.edu/Headline/infinite-mile-2010.html

David Simchi-Levi speaking at Sustainability Gala 2010
Prof. Simchi-Levi will present the final results of the MIT and TruEconomy research into the agenda of the CEO and supply chain management. The Sustainability Gala, which follows the Sustainable Supply Chains Conference (both held in the Netherlands), will be keynoted by Kofi Annan.
Read more about the Sustainability Gala: http://www.sustainabilitygala2010.nl/
Read more about the MIT/TruEconomy research: http://www.trueconomy.com/index.php/te-mit-1

Annalisa Weigel keynoted the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Joint Societies Capitol Hill Reception
Prof. Weigel, principal investigator of the “Survey of Aerospace Student Attitudes,” unveiled this study and discussed its conclusions. Read press release: http://intranet.aiaa.org/industryresources/PDF/AnnalisaPR.pdf

ESD Visiting Committee member John Reed nominated to chair MIT Corporation
John S. Reed, retired chairman and CEO of Citigroup and former chairman of the New York Stock Exchange, has been nominated to serve as the next chair of the MIT Corporation, the Institute’s governing body. Reed ’61, SM ’65, has been nominated by the Executive Committee and has agreed to serve, pending his election by the Corporation at its June 4 meeting.

PUBLICATIONS

Article by ESD PhD student Robert Rudin published in Archives of Internal Medicine
http://archinte.ama-assn.org/cgi/reprint/170/7/629

Submissions now welcome for the new Journal of Enterprise Transformation
The Journal of Enterprise Transformation (JET), co-edited by Ricardo Valerdi and Deborah Nightingale, is a new forum for original articles on trends, new findings, and ongoing research (both theory and application) related to enterprise transformation. The first issue will publish March 2011. Read more here: http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/UJET.
IN THE MEDIA

Ed Crawley quoted in New York Times article about Obama's plan for NASA
"President to Outline His Vision for NASA"
The New York Times - April 13, 2010

Richard Larson interviewed about queues in Real Simple magazine
"Q & A: On the Line"
Real Simple - April 2010
(article not available online)

EVENTS

Tuesday, April 20, 2010
ESD Faculty Lunch
Maria Yang will present a research update.
Time: noon-1pm
Location: E40-298

Wednesday, April 21, 2010
LAI Research Seminar
Speaker: Leyla Abdimomunova
Topic: Organizational Assessment for Lean Enterprise Transformation
Time: 4:15-5:30pm
Location: 33-206

Monday, April 26, 2010
Freeman Lecture
Steven C. Chapra, PhD, Professor and Berger Chair, Civil & Environmental Engineering, Tufts University
"Rubbish, Stink and Death: The Historical Evolution, Present State and Future Direction of Water-Quality Management and Modeling"
Reception: 6pm
Lecture: 7pm
MIT Tang Center (E51)
Sponsored by the Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering
Details at: http://cee.mit.edu/events/freeman-lecture-2010

Tuesday, April 27, 2010
ESD Faculty Lunch
Annalisa Weigel will present a research update.
Time: noon-1pm
Location: E40-298

Wednesday, April 28, 2010
LAI Research Seminar
Speaker: Alissa Friedman
Topic: Metric Commonality Across a Product's Operational Lifecycle
Time: 4:15-5:30pm
Location: 33-206
Thursday, April 29, 2010
The Annual Charles L. Miller Lecture
“Challenges and Opportunities Facing MIT: A View from the Provost's Office”
Speaker: L. Rafael Reif
Time: 4pm
Location: 34-401B (Grier Room B)

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