ESD NEWS

Nancy Leveson has been named to the U.S. Department of the Interior’s Ocean Energy Safety Advisory Committee, a permanent advisory body of the nation’s leading scientific, engineering, and technical experts who will provide critical guidance on improving offshore drilling safety, well containment, and spill response as we explore new energy frontiers.

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The MIT Portugal Program students are organizing a conference focused on education, entrepreneurship and employment. The E3 Conference intends to fill the gap between research and current practice, students and society, and academic studies and real-world problems. More information at: http://www.mitportugal.org/latest/e3-conference-organized-by-mit-portugal-students.html

IN THE MEDIA

Yossi Sheffi on Here & Now to talk about the crisis in Japan
“Where to Begin? Rebuilding Japan”
Here & Now (WBUR) – March 18, 2011
Listen online: http://hereandnow.wbur.org/2011/03/18/rebuilding-japan

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Ken Oye discusses earthquake in Japan (Oye was in Tokyo at the time of the earthquake)
“MIT professor returns from quake zone”
NECN - March 15, 2011

“The nuclear crisis and Japan’s government”
MIT News – March 17, 2011

“Scene in Japan similar to NYC ‘after 9/11’”
The Boston Herald – March 12, 2011

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John Hansman quoted in NECN coverage of radiation concerns in Japan
“Experts downplay dangers of radiation”
NECN – March 17, 2011

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Missy Cummings on Marketplace story about the future of unmanned drones
“Unmanned drones are in Japan—where will they go next?”
Marketplace (NPR) – March 18, 2011

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Hamsa Balakrishnan talks about MIT study on flight delays
“When waiting saves time”
The Boston Globe – March 10, 2011
http://www.boston.com/business/technology/articles/2011/03/10/mit_study_finds_holding_planes_at_gate_actually_saves_time/?p1=Well_MostPop_Emailed6

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Profile of SDM student Candice Engler, senior product engineer for Deere & Company
“From family farm to MIT”
MIT News – March 10, 2011

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Press release about Mimvi, Inc. and Mobile Genius, LLC, the latter co-founded by ESD PhD student Thomas Rand-Nash
“Mimvi Positioned for Mobile App Internet Expansion into China”
Marketwire – March 8, 2011

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EVENTS
Upcoming events can be found at: http://esd.mit.edu/Headline/events.html
Please note that there will be no ESD faculty lunch next week due to spring break.

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