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Publication


Working paper

A new paper has been added to the ESD Working Paper collection: "Concepts in Uncertainty—Four brief teaching notes" by Joseph M. Sussman, JR East Professor, Professor of Civil & Environmental Engineering and Engineering Systems, MIT. This and other ESD Working Papers can be found at: http://esd.mit.edu/WPS/default.htm.

In the Media


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Joe Coughlin talks about MIT AgeLab at TEDxBoston “Aging as an Extreme Sport” – 2011 TedxBoston http://tedxboston.org/speaker/coughlin

Also, Coughlin quoted in item about new findings from the Gallup-Healthways Well-Being Index “Better with age” Indianapolis Star - July 3, 2011 http://www.indystar.com/article/20110703/LIVING01/107030319/Better-age
Donald Rosenfield discusses operations management in The Economist
“Subject matters: Operations management”
The Economist – July 11, 2011
http://www.economist.com/whichmba/subject-matters-operations-management

Richard Larson talks about queue theory and travel
“Business traveller: How to handle queues”
(article accessible via free online registration or e-mail cmcall5@mit.edu)

Dava Newman mentioned in article about spacesuit design
“Fashion for Outer Space: How Synthetics Changed History and Fashion”
Flaunt Magazine – July 14, 2011

Thomas Allen’s research mentioned in article on office design
“Who Moved My Cube?”

EVENTS

Tuesday, July 19, 2011
Dissertation Defense of Bob Rudin
Title: Using Information Technology to Exchange Health Information among Healthcare Providers: Measuring Usage and Understanding Value
Committee: S. Madnick (chair), D. Nightingale, P. Szolovits
Time: 10am
Location: E40-298

Tuesday, July 25, 2011
SDM Systems Thinking Webinar Series
“Five Capabilities for Enterprise Change: Approaches for Integrating Continuous Improvement and Strategic Change Across Organizations”
George Roth, Principal Research Associate, MIT
Time: noon-1pm

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