ESD NEWS

Professor Yossi Sheffi’s book, *Logistics Clusters: Delivering Value and Driving Growth* (MIT Press)—which has been selling very well to those in the supply chain profession as well as faculty and students—is now available in a new paperback edition.

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Professor Richard Larson received a 2014 IBM Faculty Award. The IBM Faculty Awards is a competitive worldwide program intended to: (1) foster collaboration between researchers at leading universities worldwide and those in IBM research, development and services organizations and (2) promote courseware and curriculum innovation to stimulate growth in disciplines and geographies that are strategic to IBM.

IN THE MEDIA

Profile of ESD Acting Director Munzer Dahleh (also director-designate of a new MIT entity that will focus on complex and sociotechnical systems, information and decision systems, and statistics)
“The connector: Munther Dahleh’s expertise in mathematical modeling gives him profound insight into people, and MIT”
MIT News – September 3, 2014

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MIT BLOSSOMS included in article about how technology can improve the classroom
“There no app for good teaching: 8 ways to think about tech in ways that actually improve the classroom”
Ideas.TED.com – September 3, 2014

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Sandy Pentland quoted in back-to-school article about key skills
“When School Starts Up Again, What Skills Should Our Kids Be Learning?”
Forbes – Online – August 22, 2014

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TPP alum Michael Massimino tells the story of his mission to repair the Hubble Space Telescope
“A View of the Earth”
The Moth – NPR – added online August 26, 2014 (recorded November 12, 2012)
Thomas Kochan quoted in coverage of Market Basket
“Market Basket Revolt Ends as Arthur T. Demoulas Wins Bid”
Bloomberg News – Online – August 28, 2014

“Market Basket talks drag on amid legal maneuvering”
The Boston Globe – Online – August 28, 2014

“Workers Win Supermarket President's Job Back: Market Basket's Board Announces Deal to Reinstate Ex-Chief”

Zeynep Ton quoted in article about the fast food industry
“The Future of Fast Food Is a Quality Burger Served By a Worker Who Is Paid Well”
The Huffington Post – August 25, 2014

EVENTS

Monday, September 8, 2014
SDM Systems Thinking Webinar Series
"Move Over, Big Data! How Small, Simple Models Can Yield Big Insights"
Richard C. Larson, Ph.D., Mitsui Professor of Engineering Systems and Director of the Center for Engineering Systems Fundamentals, MIT
Time: 12-1pm

Wednesday, September 10, 2014
SSRC Conversations on Sociotechnical Systems Series
"Collaborations To Expedite Commercializing Technology and the Role of Intellectual Property (IP)"
Afarin Bellisario, MIT Technology Licensing Office
Time: 4:15-5:30 pm
Location: E38-615

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