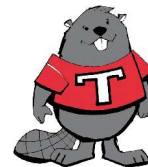


The Dormitory Council

Massachusetts Institute of Technology
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Minutes of Regular Meeting – Simmons Hall

02 December 2004

| Attendance | | | |
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| <i>Executive Committee</i> | | | |
| President: | Ian Brelinsky | Secretary: | Joshua Velasquez (proxy) |
| Vice President: | Joshua Velasquez | Treasurer: | Seth Dorfman |
| REX Chairs: | <i>Absent</i> | JudComm Chair: | David Nedzel |
| Housing Chair: | <i>Absent</i> | Webmaster: | Joshua Velasquez |
| <i>Dormitory Representatives</i> | | | |
| Baker: | Martijn Stevenson | New House: | Joshua Velasquez |
| Bexley: | <i>Absent</i> | Next House: | Chris Hemond |
| Burton-Connor: | Nick Baldasaro | Random Hall: | Jeff Cohen |
| East Campus: | Schylur Sneft-Grupp (proxy) | Senior Haus: | Matt Brooks |
| MacGregor: | <i>Absent</i> | Simmons Hall: | David Nedzel (proxy) |
| McCormick: | Noelle Kanaga (proxy) | | |
| <i>Also in attendance</i> | | | |
| Administrators: | Sharon Snaggs (Patron Saint, RLA) Dan Kirsch (RLA) | Students: | Anna Chen (Simmons resident) |

Danny Trujillo & Event Registration

- A year ago, envisioned one size fits all event registration process
- Recent developments: Judcomm and student survey
- Student input: coordinate registration through DormCon (like frats register through IFC); different form depending on size of party
- Opportunities for the future: social host training, server training (reduces liability)
- RLA's are a great resource
- Newly re-opened Thirsty Ear Pub is great for events (they have trained hosts and servers already); they also offer off-premise catering at great rates.
- Questions? Comments? Email Danny Trujillo <dannyt@mit.edu>

ML Langlie & the Student Handbook

- Looking for suggestions for useful information to print in a hard-copy Student Handbook

- Feedback from those present: can already find everything online; printed materials are quickly set aside; send this to incoming freshmen instead; publish small carry-in-your-wallet reference cards with useful phone numbers and maybe map of MIT
- Questions? Comments? Email ML Langlie <mlanglie@mit.edu>

Orientation issues

- Looks like Student Life activities and REX will likely be moved earlier in the schedule
- Draft of schedule in development; student group leaders will meet with admins to discuss

Judcomm

Dorms wanting to establish trained judcomms contact <dormcon-judcomm-chair@mit.edu> for more info.

Dormcon Retreat

Set for weekend of January 8th/9th... mark your calendars! More info to come.

Bad Ideas Competition Funding Request from East Campus

- successful in past years
- requesting \$1000 from DormCon
- **VOTE: \$1000 for Bad Ideas** (9 affirmative, 2 absent)

Treasurer Update

- REX Allocations will be closed soon... email Seth <sethd@mit.edu> ASAP
- New term budget coming in February