



THE REBOILER

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Hello, everybody! Welcome back to another fantastic semester in ChE! I am Amanda Acosta, the new editor of the AICHe Newsletter. I will strive to keep you informed of the ongoings of AICHe as well as entertained during your ChE lectures (though I know that dimensionless numbers can be quite intriguing). AICHe events and more information can also be found on our website listed on the last page. In this issue of the ReBoiler, the AICHe executive board and committee heads are introduced. So, let's get this semester started with a few words from the leaders of AICHe...



INSIDE THIS ISSUE:		NEW PLACES AND NEW FACES	
<i>Meet the Execs</i>	1 - 2		By Nathan Keen - Chapter President This year is going to be a milestone for many people. With the approaching October 22 nd deadline, anticipation is building for the opening of the new wing of recently-named Forney building. This newly built portion will allow for many opportunities for organizations, faculty and students alike. As the department looks to the future, they are beginning to add many new courses and faculty with upcoming space to accommodate both. Among the new
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			faculty recently hired is the American Institute of Chemical Engineers' new faculty advisor Professor Stephen Beaudoin. Professor Beaudoin is very excited to be helping us out in the years to come. He is looking to have our organization acknowledged for our accomplishments as well as have our organization expand into new activities. Suggestions of his to look for in the near future are the modifying and publicizing of a new honor code and implementing a new tutor program. The new wing will also mean a new office for AICHe. A little
			more room and a little better furniture will go a long way. Look for signups at the beginning of the spring semester for help to setup the new office. Who knows, you might even get to take one of those high quality couches that we have in the office now. So this year is looking to be an exciting one. Please stop by the office sometime to say hi and make it to all of our new and thrilling events.



THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

By Liz Tocce - V.P. External

Hometown: San Jose, CA
Years w/ AICHe: 3
Favorite Restaurant: La Fondue, Saratoga, CA

Welcome back ChE's! Like many of us, I was disappointed to learn that we will not inhabit the new building this semester. But in spite of our unfortunate prolonged internment, we must look on the bright side and note all of the wonderful attributes of our current building:

- The cold, dingy hallways

from the 1930's that emanate with historical energy of former great Purdue ChE's

- Room 8A for being too small to fit all of the students that want help; thus leaving us with (1) no other option but to never fully learn what it was that Pr. Hillhouse teaches and (2) more time to watch *The Apprentice*.
- The new framed posters that permeate the building... it's amazing how they liven up the place! However, Minnie Mouse will be greatly missed.

- The muggy computer labs that leave friendly parting gifts of dust on all that passes through their doors.
- The insufficient source of natural light that hides the fact that while we are in class struggling to understand transport phenomena, there is a beautiful and sunny day outside.
- The free daily workout of climbing 3 flights of stairs to class: great for the heart and the legs!

- And most of all: the repugnant stench of the current student lounge that forces all ChE's (undergrad, grad, and faculty) to congregate outside in the fresh air.

Take a minute, sit back, and reflect on all of the fine qualities of the current location we call "home." Sadly, it won't be long until we move on and leave this place and our fond memories behind.

RESUMES, HOT OFF THE PRESS!

By Scott Stohler - V.P. Internal

Resumes, interviews, internships, and jobs! It seems like these are the most important things in a student's life right now. You can't go through one class period without hearing about one of those. With events such as IR and numerous companies coming to campus to interview, many students are currently trying to write their job-getting resumes. It is normally a stressful or humbling period in a student's career. When writing their resume two things can happen. One, they realize that they have the grades and experience but, just have trouble fitting it onto one page. Or, they

realize that their grades or experience isn't something they want to put on paper. For most it seems to be the latter of the two. Most companies are looking for a well-balanced student. One who has been involved in campus and can display some leadership. So, my advice for you is to get involved somewhere. This will help you fill your resume and have real-world experience to talk about when you have that important interview.



GET TO KNOW YOUR EXECS

Featuring
Brandyn Feller –
Secretary



I am a fifth year senior out of the co-op program. I will be graduating in May 2005, and hope to start a career in industry. I would prefer to work in pharmaceuticals, consumer products, or the food industry.

As secretary, I head up the Publicity, Webpage, and Newsletter committees.

FOR YOUR DRINKING PLEASURE

By Adam Slaboski - Treasurer

Hello, fellow CHE's. My name is Adam Slaboski. I am the newly appointed treasurer of AICHe. I am currently in my junior year, and needless to say, I am drowning in a pool of Fluids homework. And speaking of fluids, this summer I worked with a fluid that we all hold dear to our hearts. I worked for Anheuser-Busch in St. Louis, MO and made beer – LOTS of it.

During this inebriating internship, I managed a bottling line. Making a wide assortment of brews, including Budweiser and Bud Light, my line pumped out 906

bottles of beer per minute, which translates to approximately 16,000 cases per 8 hour shift. It is an impressive operation, and what impressed me most was Anheuser-Busch's devotion to quality. I was utterly amazed by the volume of beer that they dump down the drain and by how many full bottles they throw off the line on a daily basis for the most minute, nit-picky reasons, such as a beer line specification being off by an infinitesimal degree or because the fill level was three-tenths of an ounce too low. So keep this in mind next time you find yourself de-

bating between Bud Light and Miller Lite (Bud Lt. is obviously the way to go).

On a completely different topic, I would like to announce that AICHe is in need for a new T-shirt/sweat shirt design. The winner will receive a free shirt, boasting his/her design! Keep your eyes peeled for further announcements regarding this contest.



GOT GAME?

By Mike Priscal - Soc/Athletic

This semester the Athletic/Social Committee is focusing primarily on getting involved in intramural sports. We already have flag football and Friday night softball teams with indoor soccer and volleyball coming soon. We are also planning on getting together an AICHe tailgate for football games and sports tournaments with the other engineering disciplines. Even if you aren't really into sports, we still encourage you to come out and participate with us. If you get involved, you are sure to have a good time or at least relieve some stress.

CHME-quip

Each letter stands for another letter in the alphabet. Use the clues and your ingenuity to solve the code to your favorite professor's quotes. And you thought lectures weren't interesting?!?! Clues: R = M, fo schizzle!

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LSFXA BMJO TXFJTA KO.” - R.O.W.

“UFKO F RPKCCNT!” - A.J.V.

RETURN OF THE ACETIC ACID AVENGER!

By Jason Corah - Chem-E-Car Committee

This year for Chem-E-Car we have many exciting events planned. Last year we made great improvements to the Chem-E-Car for Purdue's AIChE and brought home the first place in the regionals competition. Once again this year we would like to see another award brought home as we finish the competition with our current car, The Acetic Acid Avenger. This car now has to be modified so that we can win the National Competition which is held in Austin, Texas in November. We have the potential, however we just need help to make the little bit that we know even better.

In addition to doing a major, required improvement to our current car, we also need a team to design and build our next car for the spring regionals competition. We are looking for interested engineers to join us this year in building our new design and bring lots of ideas to the table. Purdue has been known in the past as being one of the most creative teams, and we would like to maintain this status again this year.

We just recently held our callout for Chem-E-Car where we discussed all of this and the plans for this year. But if you missed that callout, don't worry! We still

need more people. If you are interested in joining Purdue's Chem-E-Car team, just let Jason Corah, Andy Mills, or James Anderson know by sending one of us an e-mail. Our addresses are jcorah@purdue.edu, ajmills@purdue.edu, and rjanders@purdue.edu respectively.

Also we are looking for any other major to join us, as this is a great way for any major to apply the techniques, especially mechanical engineers. We hope you can join us this year as we look to bring home several awards for Purdue's AIChE.

WHY MENTOR?

By Elise Fang - Mentor

Mentoring is as ancient as Homer and his tales of Odysseus in the Trojan War. Before leaving, Odysseus entrusted his son, Telemachus, to the care and council of his trusted friend, Mentor. Even today, a mentor continues to be associated with someone who provides guidance and support.

In a world where technology literally connects the entire world, mentoring continues to be just as important as it was thousands of years ago. It is by connecting with those before us and learning from their experiences that we are better able to make our own way. The practice of mentoring has been adopted by almost company, organization, and social group, large or small, for profit or not. A college or university should not be any exception.

Chemical Engineering is not easy and anyone who tells you so is lying. (Just ask them about Fluids). By providing mentors, both upperclassmen and faculty, students are given the opportunity to develop a support network with people they can turn to when they are struggling, feeling lost, or just looking for a light at the end of the long tunnel or homework, exams, and projects. In addition, linking students with mentors in industry enables them to actually see real world applications of their coursework by giving them access to an insider in the trade.

As much responsibility as it is to be a good mentor, it takes just as much work to be a good mentee. A good mentee is responsible and considerate and works to maximize the use of the mentor's time. More importantly, a good mentee should be proactive to maximize the benefits gained from the relationship for both sides. This involves regular communication with mentors and going to meetings with prepared questions. A good mentor-mentee relationship is a collaborative effort and when achieved, the benefits are immeasurable.

THE COMPANYS ARE A' COMING

By Joe Johnston - Industrial Relations

For the benefit of all Chemical Engineering students at Purdue University, AIChE has an Industrial Relations Committee that is at your service. The Industrial Relations Committee can arrange for almost any corporation to come and give an informational meeting on just about any subject. For instance, if you ever wonder how those billion dollar drugs are made by Lilly or how low-carb beer is produced, we can make it happen.

This fall, there are a couple of events on the horizon that you should definitely watch out for. Between October 17th and October 20th Jennifer Volkman from Dupont will be on campus to give a presentation. Jennifer is a Purdue ChE graduate and former AIChE President. On Wednesday, November 3rd, Eli Lilly will be here at 6pm to give out information about what they do in the pharmaceutical industry. At the meeting, Lilly will also be accepting resumes, especially from Sophomores/Juniors that are looking for an internship.

We also are also going to start a Resume workshop in the near future. This will not be your typical speech, but a hands-on approach in a computer lab where you can get instant feedback. Stay tuned for more info.

If you are a Co-Op, the Industrial Relations Committee is requesting you help in recruiting your respective companies. In addition, we need everybody's help in coming up with new topics for the companies to discuss beside the standard resume help and "how do I get a job with you?" type questions. Also, we encourage you to come up with ideas for atypical companies that might employ Chemical Engineers, because we will do our best to try and get them here for a presentation.

MAY I SERVICE YOU?

By Damen Jones - Community

Hey there, chemical engineering students and faculty! I hope things are going well during this fine new academic year. I'm sure all of us had terribly boring summers and simply couldn't wait to come back to school for all the fun and exciting classes ChE has to offer for us. Or something like that. As one of the three Community committee heads, I have high hopes for this year's AIChE activities.

On Wednesday, September 15, 2004, the community and outreach committees held a joint call-out to increase membership and participation in the various service activities over the semester. The turn out was awesome, with about 35 or 40 chemical engineering students coming to learn about our plans, while more who couldn't come but expressed interest. At the meeting, the heads presented their ideas for the semester, and then we took questions and suggestions. All in all, things went very smoothly, and, of course, massive amounts of pizza were consumed by all.

As I said earlier, we have a numerous activities we would like to see happen this semester. First, we would like to have a group of students volunteer their time once or twice a month to the Lafayette Urban Ministry soup kitchen. This is a tremendous opportunity for AIChE to give back to the community without involving a huge time commitment. I believe that if we get involved in a monthly activity, we can both establish a precedent for future AIChEers and increase member participation. Other activities we hope to have include a pan-engineering blood drive, a Thanksgiving canned food drive, a philanthropic Christmas event, work with Habitat for Humanity, and any other suggestions people might have. So, if there's anything you'd like to do or be a part of, let me know! We can always use the help!

Mike Priscal
SOCIAL/ATHLETIC



Hometown: Avon, IN
Years with AIChE: 3
Future Plans: I plan to not make any plans for the future.
Other Purdue Activities: Do I have time for anything else?
3 words that describe yourself: competitive, tired, busy
Favorite Restaurant: Texas Roadhouse
Favorite ChE Professor: I couldn't just pick one
Animal you most resemble: I think I most resemble a human...
3 Things you would take on a deserted island: Fluid Mechanics book (to help feed the fire), a Wilson volleyball, and an ice skate.
The first thing you think of when you wake up: I think about how bad I need to take a leak.
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why?: Sean Connery...by far the coolest person in the world.

Nikolai (Nick) Shish
SOCIAL/ATHLETIC



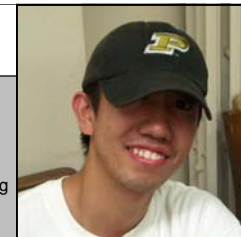
Hometown: Monticello, MN
Years with AIChE: 5... but not all paying dues
Future Plans: Medical School, being a surgeon
Other Purdue Activities: ENGR 116/117 TA, intramural sports
3 phrases that describe yourself: laid back, approachable, superdopalicious
Favorite Restaurant: Applebees
Favorite ChE Professor: Dr. Gil Lee / Dr. Elias Franses
Animal you most resemble: Tiger
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: a hammock, an acoustic guitar, and some cheezits
The first thing you think of when you wake up: Let's go back to sleep and finish that dream...
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Jeffrey Dahmer. I think it'd be funny if he ordered a salad...

Jen Gress
ALUMNI RELATIONS



Hometown: Indianapolis, IN
Years with AIChE: 2
Future Plans: be a chemical engineer
Other Purdue Activities: Gamma Phi Beta, SWE, Coop at GE Advanced Materials
3 words that describe yourself: laidback, fun, perfectionist
Favorite Restaurant: Applebee's
Favorite ChE Professor: I have liked every professor so far
Animal you most resemble: human
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: food, water, music
The first thing you think of when you wake up: snooze button

James Seto
ALUMNI RELATIONS



Hometown: Evansville, IN
Years with AIChE: 2
Future Plans: Work in industry
Other Purdue Activities: NSCS, Referee for flag football and basketball
3 words that describe yourself: easy-going, hard-working, smiley
Favorite Restaurant: Texas Roadhouse
Favorite ChE Professor: Professor Beaudoin
Animal you most resemble: monkey
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: 1 bottle of whiskey, a gun, and a bullet
The first thing you think of when you wake up: how much is this day gonna suck?
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Thomas Edison – we would talk about GE

Alex Schneck
STUDENT/FACULTY RELATIONS



Hometown: Miamisburg, OH
Years with AIChE: this is my second
Future Plans: hopefully work with a pharmaceutical company, well graduate first
Other Purdue Activities: Rotaract (ChE doesn't really allow for much more)
3 words that describe yourself: overachiever, outgoing, "nice guy"
Favorite Restaurant: The Pine Club (steakhouse back home)
Favorite ChE Professor: most definitely Harris
Animal you most resemble: tiger (no idea why)
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: Jennifer Garner, 100 proof Southern Comfort, shotgun
The first thing you think of when you wake up: going back to sleep
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Napoleon: so I can understand where short-man's syndrome originated.

Ashley Leidolf
STUDENT/FACULTY RELATIONS



Hometown: Floyds Knobs, IN
Years with AIChE: first year
Future Plans: Graduate and move far, far away; possibly go into the biomedical field
Other Purdue Activities: Ballroom Dance Competition Team
3 words that describe yourself: optimistic, procrastinator, dancer
Favorite Restaurant: Rocky's Italian Grill (Jeffersonville, IN)
Favorite ChE Professor: Prof. Harris
Animal you most resemble: a turtle
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: Johnny Depp, a case of wine, and my Swiss Army knife
The first thing you think of when you wake up: When do I get to go back to sleep?
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? I would have dinner with Ayn Rand so that we could discuss her philosophies.

Kim Gaafar

OUTREACH



Hometown: Indianapolis, IN

Years with AIChE: 2

Future Plans: Graduating

Other Purdue Activities: Purdue Cheer and Stunt Club, Gamma Phi Beta Sorority, Purdue Christian Ministry Center, SWE, Purdue Personal Connections program

3 words that describe yourself: Energetic, Caring and Silly

Favorite Restaurant: DON PABLOS!!!!

Favorite ChE Professor: Chelsea Baertsch

Animal you most resemble: Giraffe

3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: Speedboat, Water and Hot speedboat driver to save the day!!

The first thing you think of when you wake up: How am I going to be better today than I was yesterday?

If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? FDR I have always been very interested in him as a person.

Jessica Wilkes

OUTREACH



Hometown: Seymour, IN

Years with AIChE: 2

Future Plans: Graduate and hopefully work for a pharmaceutical company, Pfizer or Eli Lilly, travel to New Zealand

Other Purdue Activities: Phi Sigma Rho Sorority, SWE, Big Brothers/Big Sisters

3 words that describe yourself: loquacious, outgoing, reliable

Favorite Restaurant: Red Lobster/Olive Garden

Favorite ChE Professor: ...haven't really had any...

Animal you most resemble: Monkey

3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: pictures, cell phone, matches

The first thing you think of when you wake up: if I really have to get up yet...tend to set my alarm fast

If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Albert Einstein – I would really love to know how his mind worked; just talking to him about anything would be awesome.

Daniel Robbins

OUTREACH



Hometown: Indianapolis, IN

Years with AIChE: 2

Future Plans: Pursue either a PhD in organic chemistry or a joint M.D./PhD program; work in pharmaceutical research

Other Purdue Activities: Intramural sports, Alpha Lambda Delta Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society

3 words that describe yourself: motivated, witty, intelligent

Favorite Restaurant: Cheesecake Factory

Favorite ChE Professor: Dr. Baertsch

Animal you most resemble: Monkey

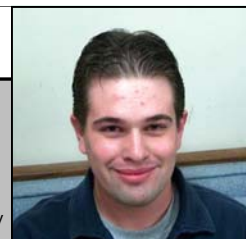
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: iPod, sunblock, Super Nintendo

The first thing you think of when you wake up: the snooze button

If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Albert Einstein because he is a personal hero of mine and he just seems like a cool guy.

Damen Jones

COMMUNITY



Hometown: Terre Haute, IN

Years with AIChE: 2

Future Plans: Medical School

Other Purdue Activities: none really

3 words that describe yourself: easily amused, easily distracted, usually bored

Favorite Restaurant: Chick-fil-A

Favorite ChE Professor: Blau

Animal you most resemble: tree sloth?

3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: a supermodel, earplugs, humongous box of flares

The first thing you think of when you wake up: when I get to go back to sleep.

If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? King Solomon: wisest man to ever live

Matt Traylor

COMMUNITY



Hometown: Vincennes, IN

Years with AIChE: 0

Future Plans: Continuing to avoid growing up

Other Purdue Activities: TAing ENGR116

3 words that describe yourself: organized, neat, moderate

Favorite Restaurant: Thai Square

Favorite ChE Professor: Dr. "Thunder" Harris

Animal you most resemble: zebra

3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: My walkman, a two liter bottle of Shasta, and my all Rush mix tape. Let's Rock!

The first thing you think of when you wake up: I love West Lafayette more than anywhere in the world

If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Reynolds, so I could punch him in the face.

Eben True

COMMUNITY



Hometown: Indy (South Side)

Years with AIChE: 2

Future Plans: Medical School or medically related field

Other Purdue Activities: married life, ChESAC, huge football fan

3 words that describe yourself: Cool under fire

Favorite Restaurant: Lafayette Brew Company

Favorite ChE Professor: Delgass

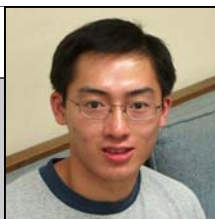
Animal you most resemble: (somedays) a hairy, old bear fresh off a 4-month winter nap

3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: my wife, suntan lotion, fishing pole

The first thing you think of when you wake up: Life is good.

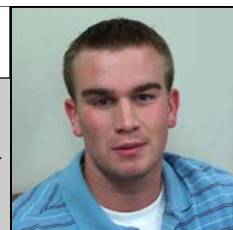
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Albert Einstein – maybe he could lend me a little of his trademark genius and hair style.

Richard Huynh WEBPAGE



Hometown: Bloomington, MN
Years with AIChE: 3
Future Plans: To work in the petrochemical industry.
Other Purdue Activities: AAA, Intramural Sports
3 words that describe yourself: Kind, quiet, fun-loving
Favorite Restaurant: Don Pablos
Favorite ChE Professor: Prof. Houze
Animal you most resemble: Panda Bear
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: satellite phone, sunscreen, a huge book of crossword puzzles
The first thing you think of when you wake up: How much longer I could sleep and still wake up and make it to class
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why?
 Albert Einstein, it would be interesting to talk to someone of such genius.

Brent Huber WEBPAGE



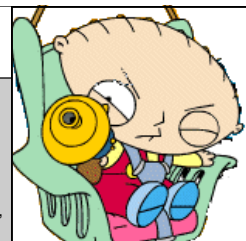
Hometown: Cincinnati
Years with AIChE: 4
Future Plans: Graduate this May, and hopefully be working somewhere in June.
Other Purdue Activities: SBE, Rec. Sports
3 words that describe yourself: Hard-Working, Laid-Back, Kind
Favorite Restaurant: Montgomery Inn (Cincinnati)
Favorite ChE Professor: Thompson
Animal you most resemble: Cheetah
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: Water, Food and Tent
The first thing you think of when you wake up: What time is it?
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why?
 George Washington, because he was our first president and he seems cool.

Jessica Moore FINANCE



Hometown: Angola, IN
Years with AIChE: 2
Future Plans: Graduate...maybe?
Other Purdue Activities: studying, DESAC and stuff...
3 words that describe yourself: charming, crazy, and silly
Favorite Restaurant: (anything with Thai food, but there's not much around here)
Favorite ChE Professor: Prof. 'Thunder' Harris
Animal you most resemble: Seahorse
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: boat, matches, a book
The first thing you think of when you wake up: What time is it?
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why?
 Ron Burgundy, because he had suits so fine he made Frank Sinatra look like a hobo. Stay classy Purdue.

Kevin Kickham FINANCE



Hometown: Mountain Lakes, NJ
Years with AIChE: 4
Future Plans: A world of possibilities
Other Purdue Activities: None
3 words that describe yourself: Imaginative, Exuberant, and Eclectic
Favorite Restaurant: South City Grill
Favorite ChE Professor: Prof. Beaudoin
Animal you most resemble: Walrus
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: CRC Handbook, Organic Book, Matches
The first thing you think of when you wake up: Trying not to turn off the alarm
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why?
 Charles J. Kickham- He is one of my great ancestors who had found a group known as the Finian Force. It supported the Irish revolution and grew to become known as the Irish Republican Brotherhood. He is one of the greatest members of my family to have ever lived.

Albert Faulkinbury INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS



Hometown: Show Low AZ
Years with AIChE:
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Future Plans: Global Domination
Other Purdue Activities: Ending world hunger and peace.
3 words that describe yourself: scintial, vacuous, and vapid.
Favorite Restaurant: Vending machine in the basement of Forney.
Favorite ChE Professor: Beaudin, and Baertsch
Animal you most resemble: chicken
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: House boat, fishing gear, and sunscreen.
The first thing you think of when you wake up: Going back to sleep.
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why?
 Benjamin Franklin... or He-man, I can't remember which.

Joe Johnston INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS



Hometown: Gary, IN
Years with AIChE: 1st Year
Future Plans: Consumer Products R&D
Other Purdue Activities: Lafayette Mission (Christian Organization)
3 words that describe yourself: Precise, Neat, Random
Favorite Restaurant: Thai Café in Indianapolis
Favorite ChE Professor: Caruthers
Animal you most resemble: Baboon
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: Marvin Gaye CD, a Beautiful Woman, and Gatorade
The first thing you think of when you wake up: Biscuits
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why?
 Martin Luther King, because I would like to know how I could harness all of his peace inspiring energy to pick up where he left off.

Kentaro Otsuka PUBLICITY



Hometown: I'm from Japan
Years with AIChE: 5 years
Future Plans: Work as an engineer and find a good looking wife.
Other Purdue Activities: CHE Connections
3 words that describe yourself: Japanese, calm, and unexpected
Favorite Restaurant: Arby's
Favorite ChE Professor: Hugh W. Hillhouse
Animal you most resemble: Godzilla
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: [The Teeth of the Tiger](#) by Tom Clancy, [Crime and Punishment](#), [War and Peace](#)
The first thing you think of when you wake up: What to eat for breakfast
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Hercule Poirot. Ask him what his brains little grey cells are.

Yelena Dracheva PUBLICITY



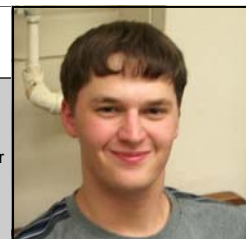
Hometown: West Lafayette, IN
Years with AIChE: first year
Future Plans: After graduating from Purdue I'm planning to either work in industry to see what it's like, or continue studying in graduate school or in Medical School.
Other Purdue Activities: SWE (Society of Women Engineers), Russian club, ALDPES Honor Society.
3 words that describe yourself: bilingual, volunteer, responsible
Favorite Restaurant: Cheesecake Factory
Favorite ChE Professor: Prof. Baertsch
Animal you most resemble: ?
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: a knife, matches, and a rope
The first thing you think of when you wake up: what time it is? Can I sleep a little longer?

Andrew Mills CHEM -E-CAR



Hometown: Shoreview, MN
Years with AIChE: two
Future Plans: Graduate
Other Purdue Activities: Visitor Information Center Volunteer tour guide
3 words that describe yourself: I hate this question.
Favorite Restaurant: BW3
Favorite ChE Professor:
Animal you most resemble: frog
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: water, sunscreen and a hat
The first thing you think of when you wake up: turn off the alarm
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Abraham Lincoln because he pretty much kicked ass.

Jason Corah CHEM -E-CAR



Hometown: Fort Wayne, IN
Years with AIChE: This is my second.
Future Plans: Get a job, in either Pharmaceuticals or Consumer Products
Other Purdue Activities: Shreve Club, TA
3 words that describe yourself: Motivated, Busy, Intelligent
Favorite Restaurant: Ruth's Chris Steakhouse
Favorite ChE Professor: Professor Francis
Animal you most resemble: Dog
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: Food, boat, and radio
The first thing you think of when you wake up: Think, is it morning already.
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? My Grandfather, I never met my grandfather on my fathers side, so it would be cool to finally meet him.

R. James Anderson CHEM-E-CAR



Hometown: West Lafayette, IN
Years with AIChE: first year (1)
Future Plans: To work in business as a chemical engineer
Other Purdue Activities: Purdue University RIP Squad, Beta Theta Pi Fraternity: Vice President of Pledge Class and Pledge Class Athletics Chairman, Intramural sports
3 words that describe yourself: Dedicated, Responsible, Motivated
Favorite Restaurant: Bruno's
Favorite ChE Professor: Baertsch
Animal you most resemble: no clue
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: A cooler, a chair and an umbrella
The first thing you think of when you wake up: Getting done with the day
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Other than Jesus, I would want to have dinner with Gandhi because he was a great philosopher and accomplished much in a land of unrest

Elise Fang MENTOR



Hometown: Carmel, IN
Years with AIChE: 1
Future Plans: To contribute to the chemical engineering industry and to the community.
Other Purdue Activities: PESC, SWE, Women in Engineering Program
3 words that describe yourself: Creative - Collected - Music Lover
Favorite Restaurant: The Cheesecake Factory
Favorite ChE Professor: Just one...?
Animal you most resemble: Cheetah cause I'm fast J
3 things you would take with you on a deserted island: Chapstick, Knife, Solar-powered 2-way radio
The first thing you think of when you wake up: Crap, I hope I didn't sleep through my alarm.
If you could have dinner with any historical figure, who would it be and why? Leonardo da Vinci, so I can pick the brain of a brilliant man.

THERMODYNAMICS

AS READ BY A LIBERAL ARTS MAJOR.

“Thermodynamics is concerned with the transformations of energy, and the _____
Plural Noun
of thermodynamics _____ the bounds
Verb
within which these _____ are observed
Plural Noun
to occur. The first law reflects the observation that _____ is conserved, but it imposes
Noun
no _____ on the process direction.
Feeling/Emotion
Yet, all _____ indicate the
Plural Noun
existence of such a restriction, the _____
Adjective
statement of which _____ the
Verb—Third person singular
second _____.”
Noun

An excerpt from: Abbott, Ness, & Smith. *Introduction to Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics*, 6th Ed., 2001, McGraw-Hill, pg 155.



YOUR HOROSCOPES

By Lloyd Schummer Sr.
Retired Machinist and
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Aries: (March 21—April 19)
Your possession of a mystical third eye would cause less comment if you were also in possession of two regular eyes.

Taurus: (April. 20—May 20)
It'll be months before you're allowed to show your face at the club again, after you get into a fistfight with the steward over the greatest living coloratura.

Gemini: (May 21—June 21)
This week, you'll learn a very important lesson about going for it on fourth down with so much time left on the clock.

Cancer: (June 22—July 22)
You're usually pretty careful, so it's worth mentioning when 36 are wounded during your trip to the grocery store.

Leo: (July 23—Aug. 22)
You'll wake up feeling pretty certain that the talking gorilla was just a dream, but that doesn't explain the Gorilla-to-English dictionary you find under your pillow.

Virgo: (Aug. 23—Sept. 22)
You'll do much weeping over what's going to happen to you this week, but because of the nature of the incident, gnashing of teeth won't really be an option.

Libra: (Sept. 23—Oct. 23)
Chef Gerard Pangaud's signature dishes include sweetbreads with morels, as well as lobster with ginger, lime, and Sauternes, but he's made it clear that they're not for you.

Scorpio: (Oct. 24—Nov. 21)
You'll be the first victim of the soon-to-be-popular "running 1000 volts through the take-a-penny tray" trick.

Sagittarius: (Nov. 22—Dec. 21)
The presence of Saturn in your sign usually indicates travel or pressing family issues, but it's been there for six months now, so it's probably just out of work again.

Capricorn: (Dec. 22—Jan. 19)
Your mistake at the self-serve pump will be monumental, but at least the amateur astronomers will enjoy watching your orbiting body for the next few weeks.

Aquarius: (Jan. 20—Feb. 18)
It's been said that numbers don't lie, but that was before you had time to work your magic on the rigid little bastards.

Pisces: (Feb. 19—March 20)
The confluence of many mystical signs and portents can only foretell that it's time to give your brother a call.

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Solution to CHME-quip, pg 2

“I DIDN'T MAKE A MISTAKE. THE BOARD JUST ERASED IT.” - M.T.H.

“WAIT A MINIZZLE!” - D.S.C.



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