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# Engineering Design Center

## Spring 2005 Newsletter

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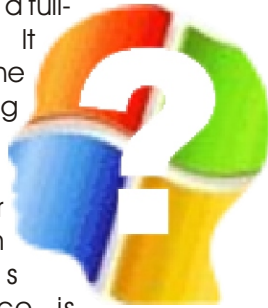
### 618 Projector Upgrade

In the summer of 2000, we added the first permanent projector in a DC lab to 618 thanks to a generous grant from the Moore Foundation. This quarter, that same grant has allowed us to significantly upgrade the projector and related multimedia components in that lab. The new projector is much brighter and can display a much higher resolution (1280x1024 native) allowing instructions to display applications in a manner much more closely matching what students see on their monitors. Furthermore, the speaker and visual display systems (VCR/DVD) have been upgraded as well, to provide higher fidelity and simpler control than before.



### Windows System Administrator

Aaron Spielman has decided to move on, and we wish him well. That leaves us again looking for a full-time Windows System Administrator. It is our hope to fill the position before the end of the summer. The overriding goal, however, is to find a candidate who is both qualified for and passionate about the job and our mission here in the Design Center. In the meantime, Windows administration and maintenance is performed primarily by Calvin Chien and Tan Trieu, two of our longer-term student employees who have gone above and beyond in helping temporarily fill the role.



### Summer Lab Usage

This summer, the Design Center will host several guests. During this time, some Design Center resources will be unavailable. Please keep this in mind when making your plans for the summer.

#### *ID Tech Camps*

June 20 - July 29; Rooms 618 and 608A; 7:00AM-7:00PM

#### *NYLF*

June 28,30; Room 618; 2:30PM-5:00PM

#### *GetSet*

August 7 - 12; Rooms 618 and 608A

#### *SES*

August 8,10,15,17; Rooms 618 and 608A; 10:00AM-Noon

We remain committed to meeting all School of Engineering needs during these times. If you feel there may be a problem, or experience one this summer, please let us know so we can correct it.

### Engineering Security Policy

After much consideration and with the helpful input of the ECSC, we have finalized the School of Engineering Security policy. It is available for review at:

<http://www.dc.engr.scu.edu/policies/engr-sec-policy.pdf>

### Sun Matching Grant

Every year, Sun Microsystems runs a matching grant program wherein universities can receive certain Sun equipment at a 50% discount. If you are considering purchasing Sun equipment for next year, please come talk with us. We will be happy to help include you in the purchases the Design Center will be making this summer. The grant runs until May 31st. More information is available at:



<http://www.sun.com/products-n-solutions/edu/promotions/matchinggrant/>

### PC Replacement Program

The PC replacement program starts in May. More information is available from IT's website:

<http://it.scu.edu/PCReplace/>

### Logo Contest Winners

After much deliberation, the winners of the DC logo contest have been chosen. Congratulations to Ognjen Petrovic who took first place, and \$250, with his entry. Also winning were Ranjani Manjunath in second place (\$100) and Dat Tien Ho in third (\$50). Thanks to all who entered.

### Resource Request Forms

Remember, completed Resource Request forms need to be returned to the Design Center no later than May 23rd for the upcoming summer and fall quarters. If you have not received a form, please see your department admin.

### \$ fortune

Brillineggiava, ed i tovoli slati  
girlavano ghimbanti nella vaba;  
i borogovi eran tutti mimanti  
e la moma radeva fuorigraba.

"Figliuolo mio, sta' attento al Gibrovacco,  
dagli artigli e dal morso  
lacerante;  
fuggi l'uccello Giuggiolo, e nel sacco  
metti infine il frumioso  
Bandifante".

- Lewis Carroll, "Jabberwocky"

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