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Congratulations

Class of 2011

On behalf of the NGS, the NGS Alumni Club congratulates the above graduates who received their Doctor of Philosophy degrees at the Commencement Ceremony on 8th July 2011, and warmly welcome them to the NGS Alumni Club. We also thank all the NGS faculty members for their invaluable mentorship and guidance.
NGS Alumni Dinner 2011
22nd July 2011
SUN Asian Bistro @ NUS Staff Club
by Liu Bing, Class of 2011

The NGS Alumni Dinner 2011 was held on Friday 22nd July, at SUN Asian Bistro, NUS Staff Club. This annual event aimed not only to reunite fellow NGS alumni but also to welcome the new cohort of alumni who graduated recently. Early in this July, NGS witnessed its fourth batch of graduates being conferred their PhD degrees at the NUS Commencement Ceremony. To date, the total number of scientists that NGS has nurtured exceeds one hundred. These alumni who inherit the spirit of NGS—Innovate, Integrate and Investigate—will continue delivering excellence in various areas around the world.

The dinner was graced by the presence of our important guests: Prof. Philip Moore (NGS Executive Director), Prof. Tom Fox (NGS Deputy Executive Director), and Assoc. Prof. Kevin McGee (NGS Exco Member). Prof. Ding Jeak Ling (NGS Deputy Executive Director) also showed up and joined the networking session before the dinner started. It was an unforgettable night full of new perceptions. The speeches provided by Prof. Philip Moore and Prof. Tom Fox in the opening and closing sessions respectively were very inspirational and informative to all the alumni. During the dinner, professors sat together with the alumni and shared their own experiences about research and life. It was also a joyful night. The cordial ice-breaker and mini games organized by Dr. Clarice Chen and Dr. Felicia Loe made the night full of laughter. Having such a memorable night, we are deeply grateful to the NGS Alumni Club and NGS staff Gloria Chen, Vivien Li, and Irene Chuan for their excellent preparation.

Thank you to all the attendees and we look forward to seeing you again in 2012!
Thank you!

The NGS Alumni Club would like to thank Linda Lim (former Events Director), Pauline Tay and Valerie Chew (former members of Events sub-committee) for their fantastic efforts in organizing past NGS Alumni Club events.

... and Welcome on board!

New appointments in EXCO

The NGS Alumni Club extends a warm welcome to Ng Hsiao Piau who takes on the role of Secretary (w.e.f. July 2011) and Clarice Chen who takes on the role of Events Director (w.e.f. July 2011), and new members of Publicity sub-committee, Liu Bing and Shalin Mehta.

BABY NEWS

Congratulations to the following alumni on the recent arrival of their newborn babies:

Adrian Koh’s first child, baby boy Xyler Koh, born 25th September 2011.

Liu Mei Hui’s baby boy, Nathan Cheong Sze Jong.

Yusuf Ali and Farhana Anuar’s boy Andreas Dayyan Yusuf, born 14th October 2011, weighing 3.66kg and 57cm long.
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