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Vote in CMU's Student Body Elections online until 6:00 PM on March 31!

<https://stugov.andrew.cmu.edu/elections/>

Student Body President/VP

Rotimi (Timi) Abimbola/Adam Klein

“The Clear Plan”

We're Rotimi Abimbola and Adam Klein, and we are The Clear Choice for Student Body President and Vice President due to our experience, motivation, and concrete ideas addressing the many issues our campus faces in the coming year.

Our Clear Plan

As student government leaders, it is our responsibility to further the interests and promote the welfare of the student body. It is easy for candidates running for student body president to simply list the problems that hinder and detract from the day-to-day experiences of students; however, Rotimi and Adam have concrete solutions that will foster much needed student government reform and overall improvements to the many factors that make up the CMU experience.

Sarah Sheikh/Jonathan Hall

“CMU Stimulus”

Sarah Sheikh and Jonathan Hall's platform is a catalyst for variation and improvement and the natural next step for our community's development.

CMU Stimulus

CMU Stimulus aims to do just what the name implies: stimulate your years at Carnegie Mellon. How will we do this? By running a student-centered government that focuses on your needs, your experiences, and your concerns. We have already developed several early areas of improvement and change:

- Adaptation to the Economy
- Student Run Initiatives
- Preparation for the Real World
- An Accessible Campus
- Bring Movement to CMU

Damian Valdes/Risa Masuda

“Building Community”

Why Damian and Risa?

There are a wide variety of issues that affect all students here at Carnegie Mellon ranging from not knowing where to find organizational information to low turnout at sporting events. We feel that the five areas of Leadership, Pride, Involvement, Health, and Service in our community could all afford to be raised to reach their fullest potential. With us on the ballot, you are given two candidates who have both been part of many different student organizations ranging from student government to residential life to performing arts groups. Despite the wide slew of issues that we have before us, we believe that given our experiences on campus, we could represent the student body and get what you want to get done.

Student Body Vice President of Finance

Nara Kasbergen

My platform is composed entirely of verb clauses, to emphasize my intention of not only trying to stand for certain ideals, but to also make the commitment to turn all my ideas into action.

Robert Piston

My name is Robert Piston and I am a sophomore double major in mechanical and biomedical engineering.

Since my freshman year, I have been active in pursuing opportunities on campus. With my experience as an RA in residential life, a Peer Health Advocate, the current president of SUMMIT, a Student Senator on both the communications committee and finance committee each for a semester, and have served on the Joint Funding Committee for a year I believe that my experiences across the campus and interacting with different groups of people will give me a great advantage when dealing with student organizations run by our fellow students.

**Also vote for your college's student senators!
Our own ttuttle is running for SCS Senator.
So is Natalie Morris, who is in 251 with me.**

Today's Daily Kitten! >^.^< FUZZ

Daniel Striped Tiger

Location: Spring Lake, Michigan, USA



Daniel Striped Tiger got his name from the Mr. Roger's show. He has a tiger sister who is named Tigger. I am fostering Daniel, his mama and five siblings. They are just about six weeks old and really starting to tear around and play. Fun, fun, fun!

Don't Trust Spring

by jpk, my godfather, via email

You read it right, sister! Don't trust that bitch goddess, Spring. Just because it's 52 degrees doesn't mean it's clear sailing. It's still Winter, for cryin' out loud. Spring likes to sneak up early, allows for a couple of nice days, then, "Bam!"... it's back down to -3 degrees... and you're stuck somewhere in a thong, trudging through 2 feet of fresh snow. Always be prepared for the vicissitudes of that fickle siren. She's a wily one.

This has been a public service announcement brought to you by the Spring-Can-Be-A-Fucking-Bitch Foundation, a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit agency.

Yet Another Chain Email I Got

from my mom, forwarded, printed here in its original heinous font

LITTLE GIRL ON A PLANE

A stranger was seated next to a little girl on the airplane when the stranger turned to her and said, 'Let's talk. I've heard that flights go quicker if you strike up a conversation with your fellow passenger.'

The little girl, who had just opened her book, closed it slowly and said to the stranger, 'What would you like to talk about?'

'Oh, I don't know,' said the stranger. 'How about nuclear power?' and he smiles.

OK, ' she said. 'That could be an interesting topic. But let me ask you a question first. A horse, a cow, and a deer all eat the same stuff - grass - . Yet a deer excretes little pellets, while a cow turns out a flat patty, and a horse produces clumps of dried grass. Why do you suppose that is?'

The stranger, visibly surprised by the little girl's intelligence, thinks about it and says, 'Hmmm, I have no idea.'

To which the little girl replies, 'Do you really feel qualified to discuss nuclear power when you don't know shit?'

Today is my dad's forty-sixth birthday. Happy Birthday, Dad!

My Uncle Tom's birthday is Wednesday, April 1st. Happy April Fool's Day, KGB and Uncle Tom!