

School of Natural Sciences

SPACE UPDATE

March 8, 2017

RESEARCH SPACE – SE1

Location	Occupancy	Status
SE1 253	Stephanie Woo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work request submitted to move ultracentrifuge from 253D to 301K; waiting on electrical work in 301K; • Determined that tabletop centrifuge will remain in 253E; • Requested new shelves in 253E next to fume hood; Mark has located shelves at Castle; Lolo submitted work order to have them delivered to campus; • Requested quote for vacuum line installation (to be coordinated with Ge lab).
SE1 253	Xeukai “Susan” Ge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two freezers that came from 343N have been surplused; one fridge will remain; • Requested quote for vacuum line installation (to be coordinated with Woo lab).
SE1 253	Rudy Ortiz	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biosafety hood in 253D has been moved to Ortiz support room 253A; scheduled to be re-certified from March 17-24.
SE1 301	Anna Beaudin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SNS and Facilities received verbal confirmation of completion of lab set-up.
SE1	Various – Shower/Face Wash Stations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilities, SNS and EH&S are collaborating to determine solutions for building-wide issues with OSHA compliance regarding shower & face wash stations – (OSHA standards require simultaneous and hands-free use of shower & face wash stations); • Plan is to temporarily use SE1 201 (EAL) for hazardous chemicals needed for on-going research; graduate student Bobby Nakamoto coordinating with Liying in EAL; • Plan to request immediate installation of compliant shower/eye wash station in SE1 285; SNS will request a meeting with Deb Motton and/or Mal Donahue to discuss progress; • Determined in consultation with faculty that SE1 283 does not require shower/eye wash in the foreseeable future and door between SE1 283 & 285 can remain in place for now; • Facilities and EH&S have walked building with lab designers; we are awaiting the preliminary recommendations.
SE1 & Castle	Various – Fire Marshal Correction Notices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SNS & Facilities are determining plan of action to address correction notices issued by campus fire marshal; • Lolo has developed a matrix of correction items; • Facilities & SNS have performed building walk-thru of Castle and identified next steps; • Building walk-thru for SE1 is scheduled for March 16th; • Plan to meet with the Fire Marshal after preliminary building walk-thrus are completed; • Facilities & SNS will meet with faculty as needed after meeting with the Fire Marshal.

RESEARCH SPACE – CASTLE

Location	Occupancy	Status
1201 building, room 1300	Maria Elena Zoghbi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall-mount bracket in SE1 253 for Argon gas tank has been installed; • SNS to confirm lab completion.

OTHER

Location	Occupancy	Status
Corporation Yard	Greenhouses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Sexton is in the process of forming a Greenhouse Committee to oversee the on-going use and management of the greenhouse; • Final infrastructure and assembly items have been completed and inspected, including connection of water source to the cooler units and labeling of spigots as non-potable water; • LES to hold grand opening after Spring Break during the first week of April.

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