MIT votes overwhelmingly in favor of Sen. McCarthy

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Opposes change
Chomsky assails intellectual 'elite'

By Steve Leeb

American society is becoming technocratic and a tax being led to a pragmatic view of the world, Prof. Noam Chomsky Wednesday evening at an address to the MIT faculty and students that the intellectual elite is betraying the public trust. The primary cause of this situation is the acceptance of power, for purposes of a universal ideology, and the growth of professionalization.

Power source dangerous

The structure of the leadership of this country consists of large corporations, research and development groups, and the scientific and engineering community. The rise to power of the scientific and engineering community was based on the notion of their knowledge and techniques, as well as a need for them in the wars of the last fifty years. Because of their gaining power, the technocrats view our pragmatic and callously.

Research assistant refuses induction

By Dean Roller

The Boston Army Base is the scene of anti-draft protest this morning as Michael Zigmond, research assistant the MIT department of Nutrition and Food Science is elated to refuse to take the enlistment step forward. Zigmond, thereby becomes MIT's first student researcher assistant to refuse induction into the Armed Forces as a result of a new draft legislation. Campus reaction has been favorable as many faculty members and students are expected to show up at the induction center in support.

Positive reaction to induction

Zigmond, who was 20 years old last September and is married, received a delinquency notice from his draft board two weeks ago. After six days later received his induction notice. Such action was he found on his board as a result of his participation in a Service last March in the Arlington Street Church organized by the New England Resistance. Zigmond, who was classified 2-B at the time, enrolled his selective service card at this service "in protest of the immorality and illegality of the war in Vietnam." At this time, Zigmond informed his Board that he would not cooperate in any capacity (including carrying his draft card) and asked to report for duty would refuse. His Local Board at the draft board.

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"Scholarship: menial or free" in Kresge

One of the bases of the ideology of the intellectual elite is the idea that a scholarship is either menial or free. This is why professionalization is thus being led to a pragmatic view of the world, which does not represent them, but controls them.

"Evil"

"Evil" is defined by Prof. Chomsky as "those whose speech, conduct, and other activities in opposition to the Selective Service System, General Lewis Hershey's order of 1949." In his field of specialization, the major fields of development groups, and the scientific and engineering community is based on the presence of a universal ideology, and the immorality and illegality of the war in Vietnam," At this time, Zigmond informed his audience of three hundred that the main opposition to the war in Vietnam was based on cost and not moral issues. This is not a specific case, but an indication of the direction of our society.

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Full 'Time' TA's

M IT's defined in wake of new ruling on graduate deferments

By Bob Dennis

In a memorandum issued today to "present and prospective" graduate students, Dean Irwin W. Rater of the Graduate School explained MIT's policy in response to the Selective Service directive of April 23, 1968. Since the ruling that full-time graduate students who teach part-time will not be considered for occupational deferments, "the Institute will be unable to obtain consideration for occupational deferments for graduate student staff engaged in a combination of graduate study and part-time teaching or research."

Although the directive apparently rules out deferments for part-time teaching assistants, the Institute says that it will continue to seek deferments for those full-time TA's who do not have the Institute's teaching responsibilities."

Ad hoc committee accused of theft of sculpture part

One of the pieces of sculpture in the Park Place exhibit is stolen. The item, described as a "sculpture," was one of several resting on Kresge Plaza green.

Wednesday afternoon Professor Hayes Anderson, Chairman of the Ad Hoc Student Committee on Visual Arts, informed him that the Committee was looking to return the item. Professor Anderson said: "It is our responsibility to return the item."

"Increased"

"Increased" is defined by Prof. Chomsky as "any increase in professionalization which makes it impossible to discuss professional matters or ideas which are out of the Selective Service Act, rules, and regulations."