Courses 12, 19 effect merger

By Burt S. Kaliski

The combined department has 180 graduate students and 40 professors, according to Brace. The old Earth and Planetary Sciences (EPS) department had 40 to 45 graduate students, but the combined department should have a "steady growth of undergraduate enrollment" to about 75 students in the next few years, he predicted.

The department will produce a new description of itself this term and may choose to switch to a new course number, Brace said. Subjects in the old departments and subjects to be added by the new department will be resubmitted, he said.

Stone will direct the new Center for Meteorology and Physical Oceanography, an interdisciplinary center with "a scientific focus," Brace said.

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The task force plans to meet with the Student Center Committee later this semester to discuss which features of the library should be maintained and which changed to best benefit the student body, Lucier said.

The group may suggest increasing the number of popular books and periodicals, while retaining only a core collection of some of the most heavily used course books in the library.

There are no plans to discontinue the Student Center Library's 24-hour-a-day service, Lucier added.

Student Center Library will not keep readings on reserve

By Dew Halman

The Student Center Library will not hold required readings for MIT courses on reserve this semester for financial reasons, according to K. Lucier, director of libraries.

The library will maintain reserve materials filed in the library during previous years, but will add no new readings, Lucier said. New reserve materials will still be available in other campus libraries.

The libraries suffered a "major budget cut" this year, Lucier said, requiring elimination of fifteen staff members. The placement of new reserve material in the Student Center Library would have required two full-time employees and additional funding for duplicating the readings and maintaining them on file, he explained.

A library task force examined the functions of all of MIT's libraries this summer to determine what cutbacks would minimize the disruption of library service, Lucier said. The task force found reserve materials to be the least-used feature of the Student Center Library.

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