



Starting Their ISU Adventure



March 12, 2012

In January, 2012, the MSE Department welcomed two new faculty members, Assistant Professor Ludovico Cademartiri and Adjunct Assistant Professor Rebecca Cademartiri. Ludovico came to Iowa State from a post-doctoral research appointment at Harvard University where he worked with Prof. G.M. Whitesides on electric and acoustic control of flames, large-scale molecular junctions, and germination and root development. Rebecca also came to the department from a post-doc appointment with Dr. Whitesides at Harvard where she studied macroscopic electrostatic models for crystallization and paper-based devices for low-cost diagnostics.

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MSE Highlights

- Mat E seniors (Lisa Rueschhoff, Sam Reeve, Kate Lindley, and Logan Kroneman) attend [MCARE meeting](#) - participate in Materials for Energy Conversion contest
- MSE Industrial Advisory Board (IAB) meeting will be held April 27
- MSE/IAB 2nd Annual Student Poster Competition will be held April 27 and the winners will be presented that night at the MSE 2012 Spring Awards Banquet - **THANK YOU to the IAB members for their generous contributions toward the prizes for the contest!**