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About ASCD:

Welcome to the Hofstra University ASCD Student Chapter Club. ASCD, the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development is a worldwide organization that promotes professional development among educators. Being an international group, ASCD is comprised of members from over 135 countries. Thanks to the establishment of Hofstra's student chapter both undergraduate and graduate students from Hofstra have become part of the ASCD community.

Our Second Seminar:

Welcome to our Second ASCD chapter club seminar of the 2008-2009 school year. If this is your first time, both the graduate and undergraduate executive boards would like to thank you for attending. Our last meeting with instructional technologist, Rose Tirota, was a huge success. The turnout was much more than we had anticipated; we even had to locate to a larger room. Rose discussed how to incorporate SMART board in the elementary classroom and showed the many features this technology has to offer. If you have any further questions regarding SMART board and other technology, please contact Rose Tirota at: rose.tirota@hofstra.edu.

Our keynote speaker for this evening is Dr. Martin Brooks. We are very happy to have Dr. Brooks, a very accomplished man in the field of education, here tonight. He will be providing us with valuable information regarding this presidential election, and its impact on the educational community. This event is also part of Hofstra's Educate'08, to not only promote the third and final presidential

debate, which will be held here on our campus tomorrow, but to inform Hofstra students and the community at large of how this election will impact our lives. We are honored to have Dr. Brooks here with us tonight.

Becoming a Member:

We invite all Hofstra students to our student chapter of ASCD. If anyone is interested in joining please contact Lauren Miller who is in charge of membership. You may email her at ASCDatHofstra@yahoo.com. Also if you have any questions about the Hofstra University ASCD Student Chapter Club please feel free to contact any of our executive members. We are happy to help you in any way possible.

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Future Upcoming Seminars & Events:

**November 18th – 7pm. Guest Speaker: Sandy Levy from Fox Books.*

--Please check your e-mail and Blackboard for information on our future conferences and upcoming events.

"Just because you do not take an interest in politics doesn't mean politics won't take an interest in you," Pericles.



