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Dear students,

The referendum about democratisation and decentralisation is over, and hopefully we will soon know the results. Luckily, we don't have to sit around and do nothing in the meantime. For example, we are working very hard on increasing our visibility. We are renewing our website studentenraad.nl/fnwi and posting some surveys on our Facebook page, so you can tell us what you think of for example the amount of study areas at the Science Park. Make sure you like and keep an eye on our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/StudentenraadFNWI.

Since a few weeks, you can find us in the central hall on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 12:00 and 14:00, to talk to us about all your concerns and ask any the questions you have, and we'll address them. Make sure to drop by!

We would also like to invite you to the grand house warming of our refurbished room B0.112! On Friday 23 December, when all the exams are done, we'll celebrate how clean and tidy it is and we will look back on the past year. There will be drinks, snacks and council members waiting for you. If you can't wait to see our new room or have a chat with us, our door is always open, and of course we still have cookies lying around for you.

With love,

Your student council

More information? Please visit room B0.112, send an email to fnwi@studentenraad.nl or go to studentenraad.nl/fnwi

Content is leading for housing plans

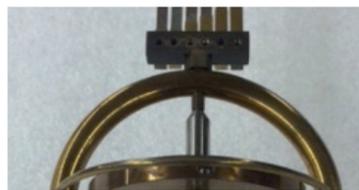
The UvA and VU real estate organizations are in the process of evaluating all the possible relocation scenarios concerning the universities' science collaboration. Any decisions about the relocation of specific groups from Science Park to Zuidas or vice versa, as well as the consultation of the representative bodies where applicable, will follow from

there. Some of this decision-making happens at central level, for example when the investments are to be made by the university as a whole. 'Sometimes things move quickly, and at other times it takes a while to get the information you need,' says interim dean Peter van Tienderen. He stresses consultation with

representative advisory bodies, student associations and staff throughout the process is crucial. 'Content of the collaboration is leading, accommodation follows. The main aim is a strong science collaboration in Amsterdam that we are pleased to be part of.'

Mystery object

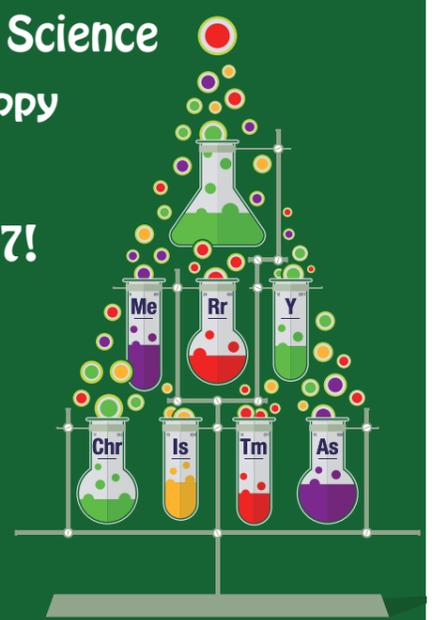
You have until Friday 23 December to guess the mystery object. Take a look at the object on the first floor next to the central staircase, and give your answer at the library desk. The winner receives a dinner for two in restaurant Polder.



What is this?

The Faculty of Science wishes you happy holidays and a wonderful 2017!

Science Park 904 is closed for Christmas recess from 24 December 2016 until 2 January 2017.



New Confidential Adviser

Marly van den Boom is the new confidential adviser for students at the Faculty of Science. Students confronted with sexual intimidation, discrimination, bullying, aggression, violence and stalking can turn to her for support.

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Join Community UvA!

Community UvA aims to connect UvA students with UvA facilities staff, such as cleaning personnel. Vita Slijter, student Future Planet Studies, started Community UvA because she noticed a divide between the two worlds. 'I love studying at the UvA, but I notice a wide gap between these parts of the UvA community. For example, we barely greet each other.'

Slijter established a connection with the building cleaners by taking breaks together, helping them with problems and organising a students-cleaners breakfast. 'But I can't do it alone. I'm looking for students to help me in bridging this gap.'

Interested? Send an email to communityuva@gmail.com



EVENING EVENTS

Wednesday 14 December, 12:00-13:00,
BetaQuiz in central hall SP904

Monday 2 January,
Science Park 904 is open after recess

For all events, check student.uva.nl