



Summary of RISE activities for Semester 1 2015-2016

What	Details	Who/Organiser
UPCOMING EVENTS		
Concert Fundraising concert at former Takashiland bar <i>Jan 15, 8-9pm</i>	Communication with bar owner	Victor
	Money collection	Diana
	Poster design	Alex
	Musicians	Luis, Djavan, Victor Mathieu+friend, Arun
Waste Project Planned trip to survey waste management in village in Henan <i>Jan 22-27</i>	Contact with former RISE member and village resident Li Mingming	Jason, Fu Xindi, Lucia, Peter, Yang Zhengyi (Orange), Luis
	Contact with relevant NGO/waste-related org.	
	Writing of surveys to identify how people deal with their waste and who collects it	
	Translation of surveys	
Shanxi Project Possible trip May holiday next semester <i>Start of May</i>	Shanxi Environment Protection Department supports continual 3-mth testing of current filters	TLD students
	According to needs of Liangjiapu village, we could build more filters. Also incorporate training of local volunteers to make project sustainable.	Allen to contact Liang Honggang
	Testing of other places to identify suitable village (bad water, high arsenic, low socio-economic)	Joy in contact with SEPD
PAST EVENTS		
Recruitment and Intro meeting	Recruitment of new members at Tsinghua clubs and societies day and intro to RISE, Sep/Oct 2015	Hester, Julie and helpers
Fragrant Hills	Day trip for new and old RISE members to Fragrant Hills, Oct 2015	Organiser – Hester
Filter Training	Two biosand filter trainings at the Old Labs, Tsinghua University, Oct/Nov 2015	Organiser – John Helpers – Victor, Angela, Valentin, Samir, Martin
National Innovation week	RISE represented at Tsinghua University stall, including our biosand filter	Organiser – Robert Helpers – Victor, John, Andrew
T-PAC Social Practice Ceremony	One of fewer than 30 out of over 700 teams to win Gold Prize for Shanxi Social Practice trip in August	Award accepted by Joy
3S Environmental Protection Forum	Forum held by the School of Environment for environment-related social practice teams	Allen, Joy
OTHER		
Finance	Completed reimbursements for Shanxi (Wanda and Pingyao projects) and training materials	Alee, Joy
Pingyao Project	Report on Shanxi summer project written in Chinese, translated to English, checked	Writer – Joy and helpers Translation and checking – Allen and helpers
	Collection of samples post-August trip	TLD students (Steve, Lianghong Gang)
	Organisation of Pingyao testing and results	Kate
	Maintenance training and fixing of filters Oct, 2015	TLD students
Media/Comm	Weibo and Wechat subscription page updates	Diana

	Website updates	Angela
	Facebook and Twitter updates	Kate
	Video of Shanxi	Maker – Demon Editor – Lucia Cho
	RISE email contact list management	Diana
Aquaponics equipment	Logging and identifying all aquaponics equipment in greenhouse	Idun, Steve Kang
Grant application	Application for grant from National Geographic	Jason
	Application for grant from Tsinghua University Shijian Mengxiang	Joy and helpers
IN PROGRESS		
Finance	Claiming funds for Gansu trip last semester from China Environmental Protection Fund	Alee
Outreach	Contact with Suez company regarding support	Andrew
	Making certificate for participants in Shanxi project, particularly from Taiyuan University of Technology	Samir, Mike
	Shanxi Environment Protection Department	Joy (now Allen)
Wangda Project	Arsenic testing of samples brought back by Lucia's team from July trip	Organiser – Diana Many helpers!
	Organising and graphing of results (done) and translation of survey results (in progress)	Cate (Italy)
Ningxia Project	Contact made with biosand filter users we met in Summer 2014. Some not there so more calls necessary.	Xuliang
School workshops	Contacting primary schools (Tsinghua Primary School; Shuren International School; BISS; Pakistan Embassy School all contacted) Result: No workshop this semester, but Tsinghua Primary School and a school contacted through Shuren plan to come at the start of next semester	Diana, Kate
Waste on campus	Finding out who deals with waste in international student dormitories	Lina, Alex
	Communication with Green Association	Joy, Lina

Disclaimer: very sorry to anyone whose name or activity was left out. Let us know.