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## A bat is a bat, even if it's flat

*University researchers publish study on new, shorter cricket format*

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Instead of a roaring crowd, cricketers are sometimes applauded by the chirping of their insect counterparts.

Attendance for the cricket games is decreasing, but a team of researchers in the Department of Economics may have moved the cricket community one step closer to changing that trend.

Economics professor Sudipta Sarangi and former Ph.D. students Bibhudutta Panda and Colin Cannonier co-authored an article that ran in "Business Line," India's most popular business daily, answering cricket purists' doubts about a new format of the game.

The game's new variant is called Twenty20 cricket, commonly abbreviated as T20.

Game duration is the only technical difference between T20 and other variants, such as One Day International (ODI) cricket and test cricket. T20 matches typically last two-and-a-half hours, whereas ODI matches take a whole day to

complete and test matches can span five days.

Cricket is known as a tradition-laden sport, but decreasing match attendance and a failure to capitalize on television profits have prompted this most recent and drastic shift in the game.

Sarangi said

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### BASEBALL VS. CRICKET

Cricket terminology compared to that of America's favorite pastime

Pitch	→	Bowl
Batters	→	Batsmen
Base	→	Crease
Inning	→	Over
Outs	→	Dismissals

CATHERINE THRELKELD / The Daily Reveille  
Moin Khaja plays with the Baton Rouge Cricket Club on Feb. 26 at fields on Airline Highway.

### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

## Forbes, chancellor unveil new BEC

*\$7.5 million in funding still needed*

**Emily Herrington**  
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With oversized, gold-handled scissors, Chancellor Michael Martin and other prominent community members cut the ribbon to the new Business Education Complex on Friday.



FORBES

Tiger spirit abounded in the sunny unveiling of the BEC — the product of the largest public/private partnership in the University's history — which has been about 14 years in

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### ACADEMICS

## Students buy, sell notes online

*Notehall website causes controversy*

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University students have been increasingly using Notehall.com as a class resource and means to earn extra money.

Notehall, owned by the textbook rental company Chegg, allows students across the country to buy and sell lecture notes and study guides for specific classes at their universities. Notehall reaches more than 200 schools, including LSU.

Chegg communications

manager Angela Pontarolo said in an e-mail that all students are welcome to apply to be note-takers and are hired after an interview process with a Notehall representative.

Note-takers earn a base payment of \$50 to \$200 plus commission for selling their notes, Pontarolo said.

Students can purchase notes by buying credits from Notehall. Pontarolo said 100 credits cost \$5 to \$6.95, depending on the location of the buyer. Study guides cost 100 credits, while individual lecture notes cost 25 credits.

Samantha Clement, mass communication sophomore, began working as a Notehall note-taker in the middle of the fall 2011 semester, and she said she earned about \$200.

In order to receive the base payment, at least 30 percent of the class must purchase a study guide, Clement said.

Clement said about 20 to 30 students bought study guides for the two exams she offered to her 150-person class. She reached her classmates to advertise her notes using Moodle e-mail.

"The goal is to help other students out," Clement said.

Getting hired as a note-taker was a relatively easy process, Clement said. She submitted her class schedule and class sizes online and was called for a phone interview shortly after.

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### TOM CRUISE, KATIE HOLMES SPOTTED IN BR



GRACE MONTGOMERY / The Daily Reveille

The Daily Reveille caught an iPhone photo of actor Tom Cruise, his wife, actress Katie Holmes, and their daughter Suri at Another Broken Egg Cafe in Baton Rouge on Saturday. Cruise is in town filming the \$100 million sci-fi film "Horizons," which co-stars "The Help" actress Jessica Chastain.

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the making.

The BEC is a standalone structure specifically for the E.J. Ourso College of Business. The business college currently shares Patrick F. Taylor Hall with the College of Engineering but will begin offering classes in the BEC this fall.

Keynote speaker Steve Forbes, chairman and editor-in-chief of Forbes Media, emphasized the value of human ingenuity. Because the project was funded during tough economic times, Forbes said the opening illustrates the University's priorities.

"You recognize the importance of the mind, not resources. Minds make resources," Forbes said. "And this is a good day for Louisiana — not just for LSU, for Louisiana. The mind is supreme. We're going to develop it."

Forbes said the BEC's completion sends a message to outsiders

that Louisiana is a place for flourishing business.

"The opening tells the world that, as never before, LSU is open for business," Forbes said.

The BEC was the cornerstone project of the Forever LSU campaign, which collected more than \$750 million from private donors — a feat previously thought to be laughable and unfathomable, former Chancellor Sean O'Keefe said at the ceremony.

But despite the huge donations collected, the facility's funding is not yet complete.

Bill Slaughter, president of SSA Consultants and co-chairman of the LSU Business Building Oversight Committee, said about \$7.5 million is still needed to finish the job.

Slaughter is requesting additional donations, and a list of "naming opportunities" is offered inside the auditorium building.

The BEC can be named after a donor who contributes \$15 million,

according to the list.

E.J. Ourso College of Business Dean Eli Jones emceed the event, and though he will no longer be affiliated with the University because of his new position at the University of Arkansas, he said it's time to bring new faculty to "complete the job."

Jones did not address his move to Arkansas, though Commissioner of Administration Paul Rainwater broke the ice with a jab about the LSU/Arkansas football rivalry.

Finance sophomore Nick Geymann said he's "a little concerned" about Jones' untimely departure, but he hopes for the swift arrival of another involved, qualified dean.

Geymann said the BEC's modern design is amazing, and he's looking forward to moving out of the shared space of Patrick F. Taylor Hall.

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"They mainly want to know if you're reliable and you're a hard worker and you take good notes," she said.

While Notehall is marketed as a tool for students to help other students, some have questioned the ethics of using the site.

Notehall is banned on the campus of California State University, Chico, because it is illegal to sell notes in California, according to The Orion, the school's student newspaper.

The Orion reported selling notes is illegal because the material is the intellectual property of professors, and selling that material breaches copyright laws.

"We strive to fulfill our mission of bringing classmates together in a

virtual setting in hopes of enhancing the overall academic success of college students nationwide," reads Notehall's website.

Matt Gregory, associate dean of students and director of Student Advocacy and Accountability, said determining ownership of intellectual property is an important dialogue that needs to happen at the University.

"We need to determine if the notes out there on Notehall and Noteswap are intellectual property, and if they are, of whom?" Gregory said.

Pontarolo said Notehall seeks to respect the wishes of academic authority figures, and students may only post their interpretations of class materials.

"If the professor is not comfortable with this, the notes can be

removed and/or the note-taker can choose another class with a more receptive professor," Pontarolo said.

Gregory said the University does not have a policy against posting or selling notes online, but PS-107 of the Student Code of Conduct states that students may not use University resources for monetary gain.

This includes using Moodle and University e-mail addresses, Gregory said.

The consequences of a particular incident would vary from case to case, but Gregory said a first offense would not incur severe penalties — it would just be an opportunity to educate students on the policy and help them make better choices in the future.

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"A man who stops advertising to save money, is like a man who stops the clock to save time."

-Henry Ford

**UNIVERSAL Sudoku Puzzle**

5	9			7				2
				9	8	7	3	
	3	7	2					
	1		7		5			
		6		1		5		
			4		6		2	
					9	8	1	
	7	8	1	3				
1				5			9	3

Complete the grid so every row, column and 3 x 3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

Previous puzzle solution

3	7	4	6	9	1	5	8	2
1	8	6	3	5	2	7	4	9
9	2	5	7	4	8	6	3	1
5	9	2	8	3	7	4	1	6
4	6	1	9	2	5	3	7	8
8	3	7	4	1	6	9	2	5
2	1	3	5	7	9	8	6	4
7	5	8	2	6	4	1	9	3
6	4	9	1	8	3	2	5	7

DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

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**ACROSS**

- Frequently, to a poet
- Jugs
- Jumps
- Cuisine
- Mid-afternoon hour
- Prayer closing
- Give a pink slip to
- Groucho's prop
- Intl. military alliance
- Hateful
- Ms. Barrymore
- Long journey
- Scotsman's refusal
- Greetings in Hawaii
- Regular; basic
- Brother of Beaver Cleaver
- Of questionable merit
- Very small
- Mr. Warhol
- Bit of dandruff
- Space agcy.
- Cold cubes
- Similar
- Danger
- Persistence
- Dormant
- Topaz or ruby
- Harbor town
- Not at risk
- Displaying ostentatiously
- Lend of tennis
- Soup spoon
- Close to
- Element whose symbol is Zn
- Ring-shaped island
- Long look
- Uneasy
- Slovenly
- Youth

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
13			14						16			
17									19			
	20			21					22			
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34						35					36	
37						38				39		
40						41				42		
43						44				45		
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48	49	50				51	52	53			54	55
56						57				58		59
60						61				62		
63						64					65	

Created by Jacqueline E. Mathews

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**Saturday's Puzzle Solved**

S	O	L	E	E	G	R	E	T	S	E	T	H
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A	S	K	A	N	C	E	V	E	H	I	C	L
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S	H	E	E	P	T	O	N	L	E	A	D	S
W	O	R	D	T	A	T	R	E	S	C	U	E
A	G	O	M	A	R	T	I	A	N	H	E	N
N	A	S	S	A	U	I	V	Y	M	E	L	S
K	N	E	A	D	T	E	E	P	O	S	S	E
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A	B	D	O	M	E	N	D	E	N	S	I	T
P	L	O	Y	A	G	A	I	N	T	O	R	O
E	A	V	E	S	U	R	G	E	E	W	E	R
S	H	E	D	T	E	A	S	E	R	A	K	E

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**DOWN**

- Call \_\_\_; cancel
- Thwart
- Spanish bull
- Engraves
- Beating utensil

- Consequently
- 500 sheets of paper, usually
- Love song
- \_\_\_ over; delivered
- Poet Khayyám
- Singer Seeger
- Winter weather forecast
- Fatal
- Cafeteria patron's need
- \_\_\_ day now; very soon
- Look for
- Spear
- \_\_\_ times; days of yore
- Unsteady
- Accept
- Cognizant
- Varnish ingredient
- Passed out cards
- Thin cut
- Deceptive nonsense
- Earning, after expenses
- Top card
- Go separate ways
- Travel \_\_\_; trip-planning office
- Missing companionship
- Yanks
- Shirt label info
- Enthusiastic
- Pointed tooth
- Not punctual
- Hubbubs
- Actress Patricia
- Israel's \_\_\_ Strip
- Sunburned

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