

**From:** "Boehm, Kevin Edward" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Mon, 20 May 2024 10:18:55 -0400 (EDT)  
**To:** "West, Martin" [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

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Nope – he was just concerned because the reports that he was reading indicated that [REDACTED] role was problematic. I did not make him aware of the “vigilante justice” that has already been doled out in this case.

Thanks,  
Kevin

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**From:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, May 20, 2024 10:17 AM  
**To:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Sorry, I haven't been able to get to this yet. Does Mike Burke's inquiry change our thinking at all?

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**From:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED] >  
**Sent:** Monday, May 20, 2024 10:14 AM  
**To:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Hi Marty,

Just following up to see if [REDACTED] has gotten his disciplinary letter yet. Mike Burke reached out late last week to see if there was anything in process for him because the College had begun looking into the behavior of their students as it relates to the China Conference at HKS. I let him know that [REDACTED] was in the disciplinary process here and that is all that I could share.

Thanks,  
Kevin

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**From:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 14, 2024 8:30 AM  
**To:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Nope. I should get it done this morning.

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**From:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 14, 2024 8:30 AM  
**To:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Hi Marty,

I just wanted to check in to see if this decision has been communicated to [REDACTED] yet.

Thanks,  
Kevin

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**From:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 10, 2024 7:12 PM  
**To:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kessel, Shayna [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Thanks, Kevin. After discussing this incident with Jo Kim, I'm inclined not to refer the matter to the CRR and instead to write a letter of censure resolving the incident. My view is that the internet has probably punished [REDACTED - PII] enough at this point. Please let me know if either of you have concerns.

Marty

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**From:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 10, 2024 12:32 PM  
**To:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kessel, Shayna [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Hi Marty,

I have pressed [REDACTED - PII] on this a bit and he has provided the following response:

I was stationed in the staff area of the venue (to the left of the stage). When there was disorder during the conference, I heard an event staff member remind me to "quickly maintain order."  
I have a rough idea of what they looked like, some were guests sitting in the front row, maybe advisors of the HKS China Conference, but I don't really know their full names.

Thanks,  
Kevin

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**From:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 9, 2024 7:44 PM  
**To:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kessel, Shayna [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Thanks, Kevin. If we could get that name, that would be helpful.

Marty

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**From:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 9, 2024 6:23 PM  
**To:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kessel, Shayna [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Conduct Complaint

Hi Marty,

He is in good academic standing and does not plan to attend Commencement, as he returned to [REDACTED - PII] to be with his family. I do not know the name of the faculty member but could get that information if that is needed.

Thanks,  
Kevin

On May 9, 2024, at 5:36 PM, West, Martin [REDACTED] wrote:

Sorry, I have one additional question: Do we know the name of the faculty member and can we confirm the guidance [REDACTED - PII] was provided?

Marty

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**From:** West, Martin  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 9, 2024 5:33 PM  
**To:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kessel, Shayna [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Conduct Complaint

Hi Kevin,

Thanks for this. I have two questions: Is the student in good standing academically to graduate? And is he planning to attend commencement?

Thanks,  
Marty

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**From:** Boehm, Kevin Edward [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 9, 2024 1:42 PM  
**To:** West, Martin [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kessel, Shayna [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Conduct Complaint

Hi Marty,

Attached to this email, please find a complaint, as well as supporting documentation, regarding HGSE student [REDACTED - PII], who was involved in an incident associated with the China Conference at the Harvard Kennedy School on April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

Please let me know if there is any other information that you need at this time.

Thanks,  
Kevin

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[REDACTED]  
Gender Pronouns: he, him, his  
Students: schedule an appointment [https://calendly.com/kevin\\_boehm](https://calendly.com/kevin_boehm)