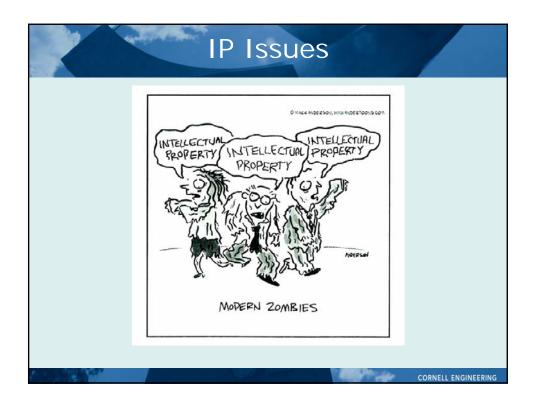


Industrial

- Much discussion of Cornell's barriers to industrial partnerships/interactions
- We are talking about:
 - Startups
 - Research supported by industry
- Cornell is also in midst of dealing with new regulations including COI, IP ownership clarification

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Growth

- College successful in attracting ARRA research funding
- College received \$600K from CCTEC this past year
- Short term growth has been focused on MEng and creation of new 2 year MS degree; both provide substantial tuition return
- In future we expect all grad student tuition will be returned to College (along with charge for rent for buildings)
- MEng/MS helping us weather next couple of years

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Project Teams

- Teams going strong thanks to donor support
- Industrial funding coming back but still weaker than before
- ECC fund?
- Our student project teams continue to thrive. The college is supporting 13 teams this year; 480 students (17 percent of the student body) participate in these groups.

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Space Audit

- One point that came up in prior ECC meeting is space use
- College will launch space audit delayed by budget focus
- Will be looking for needs, current use and future use
- Very important since achieving College construction goals will be greatly delayed
- In near term, only Gates Hall may go forward

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Gates Hall

- Gates Foundation talking about return of \$20M gift if no progress on building
- Cornell wants to move forward on building
- Engineering will help CIS financially and supports construction
- Benefit is that space will be freed up for Engineering if building is completed
- Will lose Ward Lab and surge space associated with it

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Marketing

- Engineering developed new look last year
- University Communications (Tommy Bruce) interested in greater video presence – Engineering faculty being interviewed and posted on web
- Need better strategy if we are to have impact and raise rankings?

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