UNIVERSITY FACULTY SENATE MEETING

SEPTEMBER 10, 2014



FACULTY SENATE ELECTION

• BRUCE LEWENSTEIN, SPEAKER 2014-2015

AGENDA

- •Call to Order Speaker Bruce Lewenstein (2 min)
- •Introduction & Report on Faculty Matters Dean of University Faculty Joe Burns (9 min)
- •*Report from Nominations & Elections Mike Fontaine, Associate Dean of Faculty (3 min)
- •*Approval of Minutes from 3/12 and 4/9/14 Speaker (1 min)
- •Report on Student Health (Mental Health, Gannett Clinic, Sexual Assault Policy) Susan Murphy Vice President for Student & Academic Services (30 min)
- •Report of Working Group on Carbon Neutrality Robert Bland and Michael Hoffman, Co-chairs (30 min)
- •General Good and Welfare (15 min)

*CONSENT ITEMS

FACULTY SENATE

- Legislative body of University faculty
- By-laws: "questions of educational policy...establishment of degrees"
- By tradition: items of campus-wide concern, but...
- University-wide, representing departments, but...
- Conduit for information flow in two directions
- Debate: encourage discussion of multi-sides
- Limit to 2 min/speaker until all have spoken. Senators get preference

REPORT ON FACULTY MATTERS

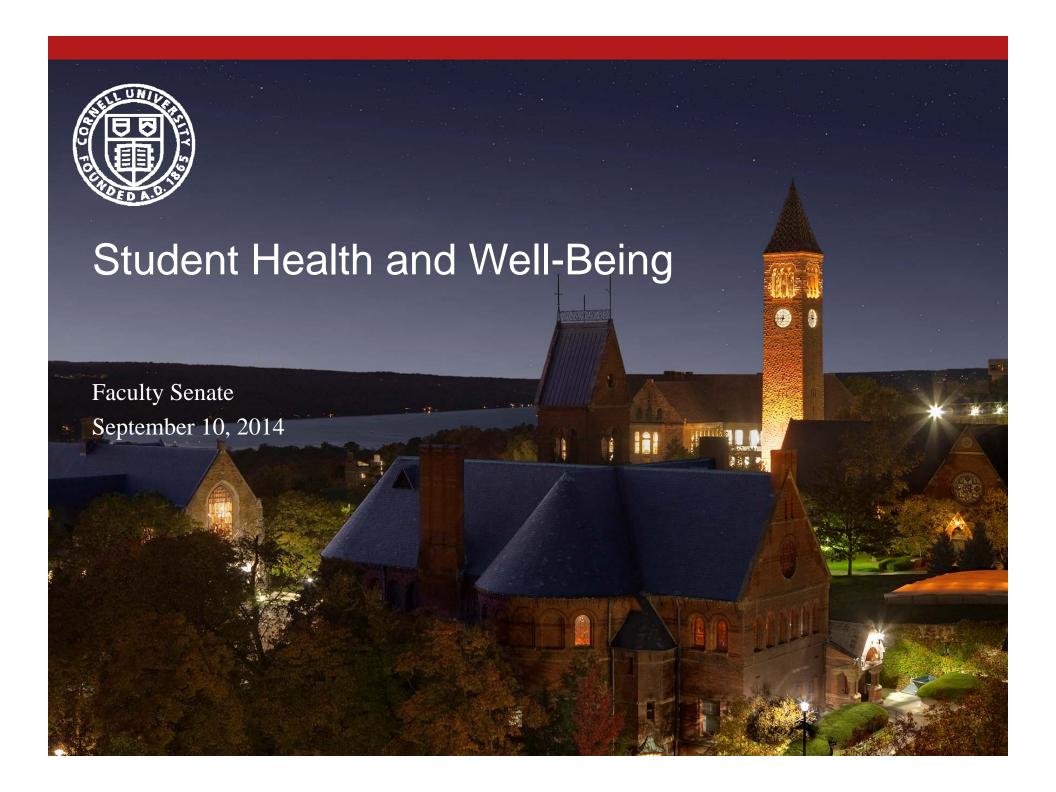
- 1. Presidential Search
- 2. FACTA results: in '12-'13, 46/47 in '13-'14 36/36
- 3. Faculty Soup now being served, in Regent Lounge, Statler, 11:30-1:30
- 4. "International Programs: What? Who?" Statler Aud, 4:30-6, Friday, 9/19/14

COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

- Educational Policy: Final exam/grade schedules
- Financial Policy: Oversight of "new" budget model, salaries
- Academic Freedom & Professional Status:
 Title of Research Professor
- Program Review reactivated
- New Online Development Group being formed
- Acceleration Working Group continues

CONSENT VOTE BY SENATORS

- APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM MARCH 12, 2014 AND APRIL 9, 2014 FACULTY SENATE MEETING
- REPORT FROM NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS COMMITTEE



Cornell Strategic Plan

Objective within Educational Excellence:

"Promote the health and well-being of students (undergraduate, graduate, and professional) as a foundation for academic and life success."

Preventing/Responding to Health & Safety Threats

For many years, Cornell has utilized a **comprehensive public health approach** to deal with the **prevention** of and **response** to various health and safety threats impacting our community.

Cornell University Foster a healthy educational environment Reduce risks **Promote** in the physical life skills and environment resilience **Cornell University** Comprehensive Health Deliver Increase **Framework** help-seeking coordinated crisis behavior management Provide Identify integrated mental health people in need and medical care of care

Campus Health Initiatives

Alcohol & Other Drugs	Mental Health	Sexual Violence	Hazing			
Executive Committee on Campus Climate, Health and Safety						
President's Council on AOD	Council on Mental Health & Welfare	Council on Sexual Violence Prevention	Council on Hazing Prevention			

Mental Health Data

PULSE 2013 (n = 6,190)

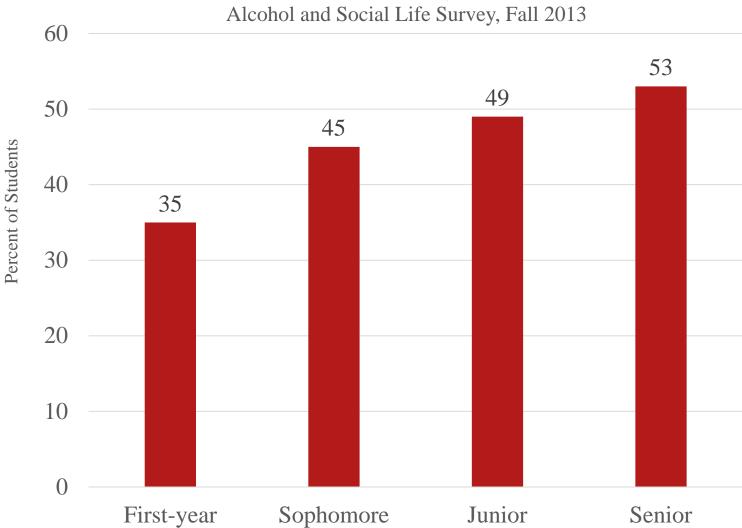
In the past 12 months, 38% of Cornell undergraduates were unable to function academically (e.g., missing classes, unable to study or complete homework) for at least one week due to depression, anxiety, or stress.

Mental Health Strategies

- Notice and Respond & Friend2Friend
 - More than half of all faculty have participated
- Resilience building
 - Staying Balanced program with Engineering 1050
 - School of Hotel Administration session for first-year students
- Integrated Medical & Mental Health
 - Depression screening
 - Design of new facility



High-Risk Drinking (5+ drinks for males, 4+ females)



Percent of undergraduates experiencing harm from alcohol/drugs during past year

*Core Alcohol and Drug Survey

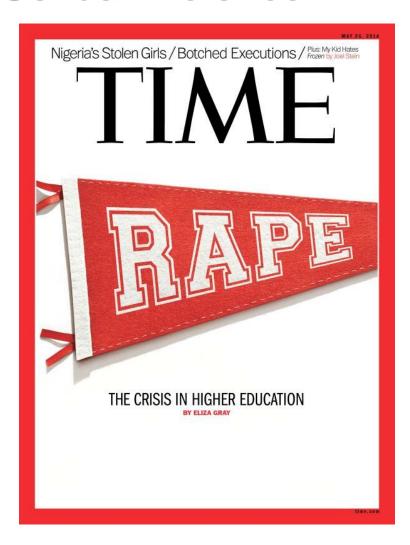
	Cornell Fall 2013	Cornell Fall 2012	Nation* 2011-13
Memory loss	28	30	33
Missed class	16	18	25
Poor academic performance	7	8	19

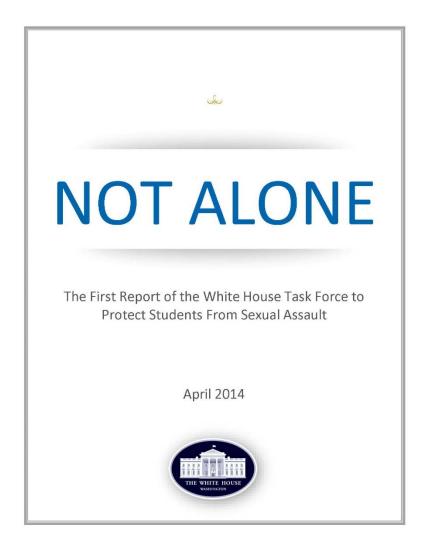
AOD Strategies

- Screen for alcohol problems in medical visits
- Correct misperceived norms
- Coordinate enforcement with IPD
- Cayuga's Watchers
- Good Samaritan Policy



Sexual Violence





Nonconsensual Sexual Experiences in Past 12 Months

Alcohol & Social Life Survey, fall 2012, n = 2,875

	Female	Male
Sexual penetration or attempted penetration	3.4%	.07%
Sexually touched	7.7%	2.3%

Sexual Violence Prevention/Response Strategies

- Council on Sexual Violence Prevention
- Bystander education (*Speak About It*)
- Respect@Cornell
- Policy 6.4

Percent of undergraduates reporting experiences of hazing

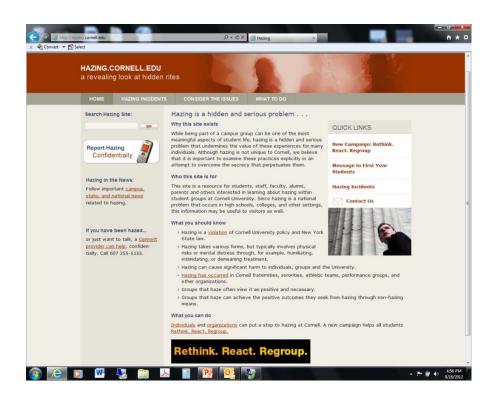
Cornell MASCOT Survey: Membership Activities in Student Clubs, Organizations and Teams (2013)

	All students (n=2,332)	Social fraternity or sorority (n=694)	Varsity athletics (n=213)	Other student groups* (n=2,159)
Cornell 2013	39	48	47	31
National Study	55	73	74	

^{*}Ex. Performing arts groups, academic clubs, service organizations

Hazing Prevention Strategies

- Changes to Greek new member process
- Council on Hazing Prevention





UHS Facility Renovation Southeast corner at Ho Plaza



UHS Facility Renovation East entrance off Ho Plaza



UHS Facility Renovation South view



UHS Facility Renovation Northwest view



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