

## 2008-09 College of Engineering Dean Search – Update #2

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**To:** Engineering Faculty, Staff, Students, & Alumni  
**From:** John Siliciano  
**Subject:** Search for a new Dean of the College – SECOND UPDATE  
**Date:** January 12, 2009

I write to let you know that Provost Kent Fuchs has asked the following individuals to serve on the Engineering Dean Search Committee:

Chair	John Siliciano, Vice Provost
College Faculty	Lynden Archer, Professor, Chemical & Biological Engineering
College Faculty	Tsuhuan Chen, Director, Electrical & Computing Engineering
College Faculty	Jim Gossett, Professor, Civil & Environmental Engineering
College Faculty	George Malliaras, Associate Professor, Materials Science & Engineering
College Faculty	Lois Pollack, Associate Professor, Applied & Engineering Physics
College Faculty	Eva Tardos, Chair, Computer Science
College Faculty	Zellman Warhaft, Professor, Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering
College Staff	Cathy Dove, Associate Dean of Administration
Academic Dean	Barb Knuth, Senior Associate Dean, College of Agriculture & Life Sciences

In addition, Michael Matier, the Director of Institutional Research and Planning, will serve as Search Manager and Julie Delay, Director of Human Resources for the College of Engineering, will help staff the search.

We plan to move the search forward as expeditiously as possible as we seek to identify an outstanding individual to lead the College. We will do our best to keep you informed throughout the search both through the search web site and through periodic e-mail messages such as this one. The URL for the search website is:

<http://www.cornell.edu/provost/searches/engineering>

The committee will begin meeting immediately and will quickly work to develop a position announcement, which will be shared with you via the next Search Update.

**It would be particularly helpful at this time if you would help identify both nominees for the deanship and sources the search committee should contact to solicit nominations.** You can send these, along with any comments or questions that arise throughout the process, to the special mailbox we have established for the search:

[engrdeansearch@cornell.edu](mailto:engrdeansearch@cornell.edu)

Warm regards,

John Siliciano  
Vice Provost and Chair of the College of Engineering Dean Search Committee  
Cornell University