

Trustees of Cornell University

42 Trustees
22 Trustee Fellows

Ex officio: 4

Governor (Pataki),

President pro tem of Senate (Bruno)

Speaker of Assembly (Silver)

President of Cornell (Rawlings)

Life: 1 eldest lineal Descendent

(E. Cornell)

Governor-appointed: 3

Student-elected: 2 (2 yr terms)

Khary Barnes (02)

Leslie Barkemeyer (03)

Faculty-elected 2

Bill Fry (02)

Peter Stein (04)

Employee-elected 1

Cindy Tkachuck (04)

Alumni-elected: 8

At-Large: 21 (labor, bus, agr)

Board Committees

- Executive
- Academic Affairs and Campus Life
- Investment
- Audit
- Finance
- Membership
- Land Grant and Statutory College Affairs
- Buildings and Properties
- Alumni Affairs and Development
- Trustee-Community Communications

Selected From Constituencies

University's interests paramount to all others

≠ representative of the students/faculty

(Dean of the faculty represents faculty, report on the agenda)

Impressions:

Very successful, diverse backgrounds

Remarkable affection/dedication
(most are alumni)

Devote much time/money/effort to
Cornell

Sincere, serious
desire for best for Cornell

Students are very important
(most Trustees were students once)

Faculty are important (less understood)
(most Trustees have not been faculty)

Roles:

Bring a faculty view to important issues:

- e-Cornell debate
- faculty salaries
- siting of LSTB
- undergrad teaching at Qatar
- additional view on genomics to Finance Committee
- Trustee Accreditation Committee

_ expertise to important issues:

Dick Schuler – Lake Source Cooling

_ an additional route

for administration – faculty communication

Reactions:

Important to have faculty representation
Improves understanding (all ways)

Actual time/effort >> Expected

_ optimism for Cornell