Future Faculty Forum:

What does Cornell look like 20-40 years from now?

Coming to a campus near you in Fall 2020
Goal:

• What will world-class comprehensive research university look like 20-40 years from now?
• How do we get from here to there?
• Start of campus-wide conversation, not “the answer.”
Context

• Financially unsustainable model
  • Tuition > inflation, challenges to research funding
• Shift in public perception of value of education
  • Affordability, value
• Commitment to quality, in-person, faculty-led teaching
• Changing modes of learning
• Overproduction of PhDs?
• Definitions of scholarship
• Alternative models