UPDATES

- Solar Decathlon results
- Advisory Board meeting
- Larsen series planning
- Product Design search
BUDGET STATUS

- Close monitoring of budget and expenditures
- Adherence to limits set in budget worksheet
- Enrollment increases approved
- Systemic review of faculty SCH generation
- Review of enrollment numbers
- Percent-time reductions of staff must end
- Grow non-CDes enrollment, lib ed certification
BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEE

- What do demographic trends suggest about whom our future students will be and how should our offerings reflect that?
- Where are there unmet needs that we might address and in which we already have some expertise or a comparative advantage?
- What do trends in the funding of higher education suggest in terms of our pursuing new programs or diversifying existing offerings?
Academic Programs: New Revenues Through Strategic Expansion

- Some principles:
  - Build from our strengths & make the most of what we’re already doing well
  - Maintain and enhance the quality of our current programs
  - Develop strategic partnerships
Academic Programs

- Increasing enrollments through small changes that add up:
  - Admit 10 additional undergraduates to CDes next year; consider ways of adding more
  - Attract students from outside the college to courses with capacity by:
    - Enhancing course descriptions in on-line Course Guide
    - Continuing CLE process
Academic Programs
Program changes that make a difference

- Landscape Architecture: BED changes that alter the “balance of trade”
- Housing Studies Certificate: transferred from CCE to CDes; offered through Grad School
- Metropolitan Design: certificate revisions & possible MS track
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

- Product Design Graduate Minor
  - design for health and well-being/design thinking
  - Partnership with IT and CSOM, using existing courses

- Sustainability—possible certificate or set of courses for practitioners offered through CCE

- Heritage Conservation & Preservation
  - Program revisions & possible certificate
  - Locating Heritage Collaborative, through Institute for Advanced Study
Academic Programs

- Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Design Major
  - Under development, working from Design Minor core
  - Could admit approximately 15 new students per year to CDes
  - Committee faculty: Pat Hemmis (chair), Vincent deBritto, Lucy Dunne, Daniel Jasper, Steven McCarthy, Ozayr Saloojee, Leon Satkowski
  - Feedback and review through: open forums, department curriculum committees, Blue Ribbon, Faculty Consultative, College Curriculum, Faculty Assembly, Provost’s office, Board of Regents
QUESTIONS, COMMENTS