

2026-10-28 15:28:56 From Jean Pajerek to Everyone:

J.M. Pajerek, Law Library

2026-10-28 15:29:01 From Emily Zinger to Everyone:

Emily Zinger, University Library

2026-10-28 15:29:02 From Geoffrey Coates to Everyone:

Geoff Coates, C&CB

2026-10-28 15:29:05 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

Susan Pannullo, Biomedical Engineering

2026-10-28 15:29:09 From Paul Fleming to Everyone:

Paul Fleming, Senator, German Studies

2026-10-28 15:29:10 From Abby Breitstein to Everyone:

Abby Breitstein, OOP

2026-10-28 15:29:11 From Lindsay Thomas to Everyone:

Lindsay Thomas, Literatures in English

2026-10-28 15:29:16 From Erik Hovenkamp to Everyone:

Erik Hovenkamp, Law

2026-10-28 15:29:20 From Todd Olmstead to Everyone:

Todd Olmstead, Public & Ecosystem Health, CVM

2026-10-28 15:29:20 From Katherine Sender to Everyone:

Katherine Sender Communication CALS

2026-10-28 15:29:25 From Shivaun Archer to Everyone:

Shivaun Archer, Biomedical Engineering

2026-10-28 15:29:29 From Susan McCouch to Everyone:

Susan McCouch, Plant Breeding & Genetics, CALS

2026-10-28 15:29:35 From Lara Freed to Everyone:

Lara Freed, Law

2026-10-28 15:29:35 From Anette Schwarz to Everyone:

Anette Schwarz, German Studies

2026-10-28 15:30:02 From Lorraine Francis to Everyone:

Lorraine Francis, Public and Ecosystem Health

2026-10-28 15:30:03 From Tracey Snyder to Everyone:

Tracey Snyder, Library

2026-10-28 15:30:12 From Oumar Ba to Everyone:

Oumar Ba, Government

2026-10-28 15:30:19 From Stijn van Osselaer to Everyone:

Stijn van Osselaer, Marketing and Management Communication

2026-10-28 15:30:25 From Ivanna Yi to Everyone:

Ivanna Yi, Asian Studies

2026-10-28 15:30:37 From David Silbey to Everyone:

David Silbey, Brooks.

2026-10-28 15:30:37 From Alexei Aravin to Everyone:

Alexei Aravin, MBG

2026-10-28 15:30:40 From Julia Finkelstein to Everyone:

Julia Finkelstein, Nutritional Sciences

2026-10-28 15:30:45 From Drew Margolin to Everyone:

Drew Margolin, Communication

2026-10-28 15:30:45 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Noah Tamarkin, Anthropology and STS (senator from Anthropology)

2026-10-28 15:30:49 From Whitney Kramer (she/her) to Everyone:

Whitney Kramer, Library

2026-10-28 15:30:51 From Martha Walker to Everyone:

Martha Walker, Library

2026-10-28 15:30:53 From Nate Cira to Everyone:

Nate Cira, Biomedical Engineering

2026-10-28 15:30:53 From Vivian Zayas to Everyone:

Vivian Zayas, Psych, At Large

2026-10-28 15:30:54 From Irina Troconis to Everyone:

Irina Troconis, Romance Studies

2026-10-28 15:30:56 From Emma Sosebee to Everyone:

Emma Sosebee, Library

2026-10-28 15:30:57 From Justin Johnson to Everyone:

Justin Johnson, JGSM

2026-10-28 15:30:59 From Övül Sezer to Everyone:

Ovul Sezer, Management & Organizations

2026-10-28 15:31:02 From Liz Parker to Everyone:

Elizabeth Parker, Library

2026-10-28 15:31:03 From Jessica Ratcliff to Everyone:

Jessica Ratcliff, STS

2026-10-28 15:31:03 From Kaitlyn Greenberg to Everyone:

Kate Greenberg, Library

2026-10-28 15:31:06 From Martin Wiedmann (he/him) to Everyone:

Martin Wiedmann, Food Science, Senator

2026-10-28 15:31:09 From Melissa Wallace to Everyone:

Melissa Wallace, Library

2026-10-28 15:31:12 From Melina to Everyone:

Melina Ivanchikova, CTI

2026-10-28 15:31:12 From Newton de Faria to Everyone:

Newton de Faria

2026-10-28 15:31:13 From Alexandra Werth to Everyone:

Alexandra Werth, Biomedical Engineering

2026-10-28 15:31:13 From Julia Corrice to Everyone:

Julia Corrice, Library

2026-10-28 15:31:14 From Carl Cornell, Cornell Bowers to Everyone:

Non-Faculty Guest - Carl Cornell, Chair Employee Assembly

2026-10-28 15:31:14 From Renata Leitao to Everyone:

Renata Leitao, senator, Human Centered Design

2026-10-28 15:31:15 From Rachel Sumner to Everyone:

Rachel Sumner, Center for Dialogue & Pluralism

2026-10-28 15:31:19 From Jason Chobirko to Everyone:

Jason Chobirko, Postdoc in MBG

2026-10-28 15:31:21 From Perrine Pepiot to Everyone:

Perrine Pepiot, MAE

2026-10-28 15:31:22 From Adam Anderson to Everyone:

Adam Anderson, Psychology

2026-10-28 15:31:24 From Roger Gilbert to Everyone:

Roger Gilbert, Literatures in English

2026-10-28 15:31:25 From Jane Wang to Everyone:

Jane Wang, MAE senator

2026-10-28 15:31:25 From Joseph Sullivan to Everyone:

Joseph Sullivan, Sociology

2026-10-28 15:31:30 From Lindsay Goodale to Everyone:

Lindsay Goodale, Animal Science (senator at-large)

2026-10-28 15:31:30 From Bryan L. Sykes to Everyone:

Bryan Sykes, Brooks Public Policy Senator

2026-10-28 15:31:34 From Kate Bronfenbrenner to Everyone:

Kate Bronfenbrenner, ILR

2026-10-28 15:31:34 From Brenda Marston to Everyone:

Brenda Marston, Library

2026-10-28 15:31:36 From Michele Fuortes to Everyone:

Michele Fuortes, Weill Medical College

2026-10-28 15:31:39 From William Sonnenstuhl to Everyone:

Bill Sonnenstuhl ILR Emeritus Professor

2026-10-28 15:31:42 From Allison Heinemann to Everyone:

Allison Heinemann, ILR

2026-10-28 15:31:43 From Richard Stup to Everyone:

Richard Stup, CALS

2026-10-28 15:31:46 From Amanda Agan to Everyone:

Amanda Agan, Brooks

2026-10-28 15:31:48 From Anna Russell to Everyone:

Anna Russell, Library

2026-10-28 15:31:49 From Wendy Wilcox (she/her) to Everyone:

Wendy Wilcox, Library

2026-10-28 15:31:52 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

Chiara Formichi, Asian Studies

2026-10-28 15:31:53 From Kenji Yasuda to Everyone:

Kenji Yasuda, Applied and Engineering Physics

2026-10-28 15:31:59 From Brian Wakamo to Everyone:

Brian Wakamo, ILR

2026-10-28 15:32:03 From Denise Ramzy to Everyone:

Denise Ramzy, Dyson

2026-10-28 15:32:04 From Jonas Heymann to Everyone:

Jonas Heymann, Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

2026-10-28 15:32:06 From Jaleesa Reed to Everyone:

Jaleesa Reed, Human Centered Design

2026-10-28 15:32:10 From Newton de Faria to Everyone:

Newton de Faria - Biomedical Engineering

2026-10-28 15:32:11 From Seema Golestaneh to Everyone:

Seema Golestaneh, NES, Senator at Large

2026-10-28 15:32:12 From Andre Kessler to Everyone:

Andre Kessler, Senator, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

2026-10-28 15:32:12 From Dina Bishara to Everyone:

Dina Bishara, ILR School

2026-10-28 15:32:16 From Kelsey Utne to Everyone:

Kelsey Utne, University Library

2026-10-28 15:32:17 From Jane Glaubman to Everyone:

Jane Glaubman, ILR

2026-10-28 15:32:19 From Santiago Anria to Everyone:

Santiago Anria, ILR

2026-10-28 15:32:20 From Lindsay France to Everyone:

Lindsay France, University Relations

2026-10-28 15:32:25 From Bethany Figueroa to Everyone:

Bethany Figueroa, ILR

2026-10-28 15:32:27 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

Juliana Hu Pegues, Literatures in English

2026-10-28 15:32:30 From Theanne Liu Svedman to Everyone:

Theanne Liu Svedman, Law Library

2026-10-28 15:32:56 From Kyle Kimball to Everyone:

Kyle Kimball, University Relations

2026-10-28 15:33:06 From Michael Charles to Everyone:

Michael Charles, Senator At Large

2026-10-28 15:33:31 From Teresa Pawlowska to Everyone:

Teresa Pawlowska, Plant Pathology & Plant-Microbe Biology

2026-10-28 15:33:39 From sandra babcock to Everyone:

Sandra Babcock, RTE Senator-at-Large

2026-10-28 15:33:52 From Azahara Gonzalez to Everyone:

Azahara Oliva, Senator at Large

2026-10-28 15:34:22 From Karen Lutsky to Everyone:

Karen Lutsky, Landscape Architecture

2026-10-28 15:34:34 From Tobi Hines to Everyone:

Tobi Hines, Library

2026-10-28 15:34:38 From Yuhan Wang to Everyone:

Yuhan Wang, Division of Nutritional Sciences

2026-10-28 15:34:48 From Emmeline Kaser (she/her) to Everyone:

Emmeline Kaser, Library

2026-10-28 15:34:50 From Aubryn Sidle (she/her) to Everyone:

Aubryn Sidle, Brooks

2026-10-28 15:35:02 From Anne DeCecco to Everyone:

Anne DeCecco, ILR

2026-10-28 15:35:46 From Elizabeth Lamb (she, her) to Everyone:

Elizabeth Lamb, CALS RTE

2026-10-28 15:36:00 From Jim DelRosso to Everyone:

Jim DelRosso, Library (non-senator)

2026-10-28 15:36:13 From Todd Clary to Everyone:

Todd Clary, Classics

2026-10-28 15:36:14 From Jamila Michener to Everyone:

Jamila Michener, CAS/Brooks

2026-10-28 15:36:20 From Nooshin Ahmadi to Everyone:

Nooshin Ahmadi, HCD

2026-10-28 15:37:33 From Ruth Richardson to Everyone:

Ruth Richardson Civil and Environmental Engineering

2026-10-28 15:38:07 From Jason Oliver to Everyone:

Jason Oliver, ANSC

2026-10-28 15:39:10 From Anette Schwarz to Everyone:

plz take rules off screen

2026-10-28 15:42:49 From Anette Schwarz to Everyone:

zoom people cannot see speaker

2026-10-28 15:43:06 From Cynthia Bowman to Everyone:

I can.

2026-10-28 15:43:10 From Elizabeth Lamb (she, her) to Everyone:

Click to meeting on top of zoom screen

2026-10-28 15:43:19 From Melissa Myers to Everyone:

Click on 'meeting'

2026-10-28 15:43:20 From Ping Wang to Everyone:

Ping Wang - Entomology-Geneva

2026-10-28 15:43:22 From Elizabeth Lamb (she, her) to Everyone:

As opposed to Jill Short's screen

2026-10-28 15:43:46 From Allison Heinemann to Everyone:

Replying to "zoom people cannot see speaker":

Toggle over to the “meeting” tab at the top of the screen, rather than the shared screen one; you’ll be able to have a full view of the speaker.

2026-10-28 15:44:00 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

Replying to "plz take rules off screen":

You can “pin” Faculty Senate

2026-10-28 15:44:05 From Melissa Myers to Everyone:

You can also select ‘speaker’ in the upper right list to see it full screen

2026-10-28 15:44:36 From Maria Gonzalez Pendas to Everyone:

Maria Gonzalez Pendas. Architecture

2026-10-28 15:48:36 From Sofia Kalantzi to Everyone:

Sofia Kalantzi, RTE SCJCB

2026-10-28 15:50:08 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

She raised a point of order, that needs to be addressed

2026-10-28 15:52:00 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

This is not a pleasure of displeasure. We have evidence. The Yates investigation will shine important light on detail. But we have plenty to work from now.

2026-10-28 15:52:48 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

To stop what happened, we don't need to wait for the Yates investigation.

2026-10-28 15:52:49 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:

President Kotlikoff's repeated attempts to deflect attention and criticism from his failures by offering multiple variations on the theme of "We are all responsible / We must work together" underscore the need to hold the university "leadership" responsible for its actions and inaction. The word "leadership" here must be placed in scare quotes because, of course, our true bosses are the members of the moneyed elite who serve on the board of trustees. The board protects its puppets, allowing them to rule by diktat (so much for "shared governance") and shielding them from responsibility. I fail to see how faculty, or students, or staff, can have confidence in this system. The SA affair that has justly shaken the Cornell community is merely one of the many reasons to vote in favor of the no-confidence resolution.

2026-10-28 15:53:08 From Stijn van Osselaer to Everyone:

JGSM TT faculty were polled on this question of postponing. 18 voted to delay, 12 voted to vote now on the no confidence resolution. 2 voted to abstain.

2026-10-28 15:53:15 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

IF we wait, we kick the can and send a very bad message to the student body (and faculty and staff).

2026-10-28 15:53:54 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

NRE faculty agree with Anne Marie Brady

2026-10-28 15:54:32 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

We can do two things at one time. We can acknowledge that the administration has not effectively addressed SASH on campus while waiting for details about the Jane Doe case. This goes beyond the Jane Doe case.

2026-10-28 15:54:38 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

We have enough evidence already about the fact that the administration did not prioritise the safety of our students, we don't need the Yates report to deliberate over whether that gives us confidence in the administration or not.

2026-10-28 15:55:02 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

We need to stop hiding behind the reasoning that we need more facts. We have lots and lots and lots of facts.

2026-10-28 15:55:44 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Asking for more evidence is vital. But it is also acting as a convenient way to delay and important vote, given we have plenty of facts and know plenty, going years back.

2026-10-28 15:56:17 From Denise Ramzy to Everyone:

I think those are hands for who is a faculty senator

2026-10-28 15:57:08 From Rehana Huq to Everyone:



2026-10-28 15:57:50 From David Silbey to Everyone:

If you raised your hand to indicate you're a Senator, you should put it down now so they can see who wants to make a point.

2026-10-28 15:57:52 From Rehana Huq to Everyone:

Note the optics of the line-up opposing the resolution

2026-10-28 15:58:48 From Liz Parker to Everyone:

+100 to everything my senator Jenn Colt is saying.

2026-10-28 15:59:03 From Brenda Marston to Everyone:

Thank you, Jenn

2026-10-28 15:59:10 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

THank you, Jenn!!!!

2026-10-28 15:59:34 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

Rebecca schneider, senator - my hand is raised to make a comment

2026-10-28 16:01:56 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Might?? What kind of reasoning is that?

2026-10-28 16:02:07 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Might? What happened to facts and evidence?

2026-10-28 16:02:44 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

That reasoning is based on pure speculation.

2026-10-28 16:03:03 From Michelle LaVigne to Everyone:

This is also and more so, about how leadership doesn't seem to have a moral compass it is willing to act on. How can we trust them to lead on this matter, especially Kotliktoff?

2026-10-28 16:04:08 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Bravo Noah!!

2026-10-28 16:04:18 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Let us debate the resolution!

2026-10-28 16:04:23 From Rehana Huq to Everyone:

Replying to "That reasoning is based on pure speculation.":

Pure speculation .. and not feeling the urgency .. not sending a message that we ARE LISTENING AND WILL START WITH A FRESH PAIR OF EYES AND HANDS

2026-10-28 16:05:33 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Bravo Tracy!!

2026-10-28 16:07:07 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Is he going to say we are stupid again?

2026-10-28 16:07:44 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:

oh, poor bootlickers are terrified

2026-10-28 16:07:45 From Michele Belot to Everyone:

Premature is an interesting adjective when we talk about a horrific event that took place 2 years ago, which was followed by a clear reaction from the leadership (Presidential task force). Two years should be sufficient to assess if we are on a good path. Unfortunately there little evidence pointing in the direction of positive change. This is a situation that needed addressing 2 years ago, and postponing would be a reckless decision.

2026-10-28 16:08:01 From Liz Parker to Everyone:

Point of order

2026-10-28 16:08:00 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Both of my departments are overwhelmingly in favor of a no confidence vote

2026-10-28 16:08:22 From Liz Parker to Everyone:

he can't address others in this way when we are discussing a motion

2026-10-28 16:09:53 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

I don't have confidence in this administration for even more reasons beyond this specific case.

2026-10-28 16:09:54 From Cecilia Oyediran, Esq. to Everyone:

What is the reasoning for the lack of whereas clauses or recitals in the text of the resolution? If we have the facts then why not include them along with the reasoning and basis for the vote of no confidence in the resolution itself?

2026-10-28 16:11:01 From Maria Gonzalez Pendas to Everyone:

THANK YOU TRACY and others asking to discuss and vote on the resolution. Let us debate the resolution, and the fate of the facts that WE DO KNOW. facts that keep emerging. For instance, has President Kotlikoff responded to what Corinna Loeckenhoff said at Faculty Senate (AP article) regarding the lack information and transparency about Jane Doe's case to the housing office and the risks students were exposed to as a result?

2026-10-28 16:11:24 From Rehana Huq to Everyone:

And prospective students who are watching ..

2026-10-28 16:14:16 From Seema Golestaneh to Everyone:

Thank you Iris!!

2026-10-28 16:14:29 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

I know that's right Iris!

2026-10-28 16:15:23 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

Intellectually dishonest and "evil" ????

2026-10-28 16:16:09 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

Meaningless resolution?

2026-10-28 16:16:11 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Intellectually dishonest and "evil" ????"

Whoa. 🙄

2026-10-28 16:16:12 From Maria Gonzalez Pendas to Everyone:

Evil???

2026-10-28 16:16:55 From David Silbey to Everyone:

I'm not sure criticizing the faculty for delaying two years ago and then recommending...more delay is a winning argument.

2026-10-28 16:17:18 From Aaron Posner to Everyone:

Cecilia, I think the idea of the resolution's specificity is to avoid picking apart minor disagreements and getting to the important core of the issue - that we have no confidence in the administration

2026-10-28 16:17:58 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Bravvvvaaaa!

2026-10-28 16:19:18 From Allison Heinemann to Everyone:

YES

2026-10-28 16:19:33 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

For context, regarding timeline, from Cornell University's Medical College "unit" — let us examine the (most recent documented) Weill Cornell sexual assault case, which has been already been "adjudicated" - 1) Dec 2022 - "Weill Cornell Medicine and executive management learned of allegations of [Weill Cornell faculty member Dr. Darius] Paduch's sexual abuse through a lawsuit" —> Weill Cornell then retained outside counsel to investigate internally. 2) April 11, 2023 - Federal criminal investigation publicly confirmed, FBI and US Attorney's Office announced arrest of Weill Cornell faculty member. 3) July 2026 - US Department of Justice announced resolution (\$1 billion + \$30 million) of its multi-year investigation into our institution. Total time = approx 3.5 years...

2026-10-28 16:19:36 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Yes, so powerful from Juliana!

2026-10-28 16:19:53 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

Thank you Juliana, such strength!

2026-10-28 16:19:54 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Thank you, Juliana!!!!

2026-10-28 16:21:13 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Yes, that was so insulting

2026-10-28 16:22:42 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

A billion dollar settlement that is being paid for on the backs of our hard work via austerity.

2026-10-28 16:25:01 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

If you think sexual assault is an enormous problem, you should vote yes to the resolution of no confidence

2026-10-28 16:25:17 From Rehana Huq to Everyone:

Why don't you know???

2026-10-28 16:26:10 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

We can't use that as an excuse...it is happening everywhere. I really don't want to hear that again. The point is, it is happening at Cornell. That is all that matters as it pertains to our work as staff and faculty and students at this great institution to fight for systemic and institutional change.

2026-10-28 16:26:15 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Again, this resolution is not only about this case. We each have enough information to know whether or not we are confident

2026-10-28 16:28:04 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Exactly Edmundo! Let's make an even better institution! This will only make us better and stronger.

2026-10-28 16:28:26 From Rehana Huq to Everyone:

AND the messaging has been so defensive by the administration

2026-10-28 16:28:29 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

Thank you, Edmundo!

2026-10-28 16:28:44 From Irina Troconis to Everyone:

YES Edmundo!

2026-10-28 16:29:09 From Aaron Posner to Everyone:

Wait almost always really means "never" in situations like this. We cannot afford to wait.

2026-10-28 16:29:43 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

who is this speaking?

2026-10-28 16:29:48 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Ariana Kim

2026-10-28 16:29:50 From Cindy Kao to Everyone:

Ariana Kim, Music

2026-10-28 16:29:59 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

thanks

2026-10-28 16:30:01 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Senator for Music

2026-10-28 16:30:55 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Thank you, Ariana!!!

2026-10-28 16:30:59 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

we are with you Ariana, thank you for sharing and advocating

2026-10-28 16:31:08 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Bravissssssma!!!!

2026-10-28 16:31:16 From Cindy Kao to Everyone:

Thank you Ariana, YOU ROCK!!!

2026-10-28 16:31:23 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

Some of us have been trying to report this for 3+ decades. The retaliation is horrific.

2026-10-28 16:31:34 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

Thank you for your powerful words, Ariana!

2026-10-28 16:31:46 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

Thank you, Ariana!

2026-10-28 16:31:54 From Seema Golestaneh to Everyone:

Thank you Ariana!

2026-10-28 16:32:19 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

Thank you Ariana. You speak for many of us.

2026-10-28 16:32:29 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Except for the women in the physics department who signed the letter urging us to vote no confidence now

2026-10-28 16:34:01 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:
yes, you're naive

2026-10-28 16:34:36 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Linda, what are you unable to find in terms of evidence to support things being said here?

2026-10-28 16:35:02 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

Hi - thank you - in the interest of alacrity — <https://www.justice.gov/usao-sdny/pr/weill-cornell-medicine-resolves-criminal-investigation-agreement-maintain-and-enhance>

2026-10-28 16:35:05 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:
“all of us” are the administration, Linda?

2026-10-28 16:35:11 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

The faculty is NOT the administration!

2026-10-28 16:35:12 From Nooshin Ahmadi to Everyone:

No one is asking for our recommendation! It is not our responsibility to solve this issue either! We are not part of the administrative team!

2026-10-28 16:35:20 From Emma Sosebee to Everyone:

How can faculty be blamed when the administration kept things quiet for years?

2026-10-28 16:35:25 From Michele Belot to Everyone:

I am sorry - the leadership is ultimately responsible, the faculty's job is not to oversee and micro-manage everything...

2026-10-28 16:35:56 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

... that was from the US Department of Justice. Agree - facts and data only.

2026-10-28 16:36:10 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

the faculty certainly don't get paid to the degree of the administration either

2026-10-28 16:36:12 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:

in response to Linda Canina, I am re-upping my earlier comment: President Kotlikoff's repeated attempts to deflect attention and

criticism from his failures by offering multiple variations on the theme of "We are all responsible / We must work together" underscore the need to hold the university "leadership" responsible for its actions and inaction. The word "leadership" here must be placed in scare quotes because, of course, our true bosses are the members of the moneyed elite who serve on the board of trustees. The board protects its puppets, allowing them to rule by diktat (so much for "shared governance") and shielding them from responsibility. I fail to see how faculty, or students, or staff, can have confidence in this system. The SA affair that has justly shaken the Cornell community is merely one of the many reasons to vote in favor of the no-confidence resolution.

2026-10-28 16:36:50 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

<https://chronicle.brightspotcdn.com/68/6a/f15615714911bbc646181f008946/letter-to-bot-final.pdf> the letter from STEM faculty asking us to vote no confidence now

2026-10-28 16:37:13 From Rehana Huq to Everyone:

👍 @Linda Canina the facts are there for those who look for them

2026-10-28 16:37:20 From sandra babcock to Everyone:

The Administration is NOT “all of us.” Many (most?) of the people who teach on this campus lack tenure and are excluded from leadership positions. To assert that we are all equally responsible for the current crisis is another way of helping the administration avoid accountability for its inactions.

2026-10-28 16:39:17 From Linda Canina to Everyone:

the group that evaluates the cases are faculty and staff -- that is us

2026-10-28 16:39:42 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

It wasn't me, Linda.

2026-10-28 16:40:18 From Michele Belot to Everyone:

Replying to "the group that evaluates the cases are faculty and...":

and yes and this process doesn't seem the most appropriate to me (and part of the problem that an administration could solve!)

2026-10-28 16:40:21 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Linda, I think it is Ryan Lombardi and Christina Liang. if this is incorrect someone can correct me.

2026-10-28 16:40:46 From Linda Canina to Everyone:

the group that evaluates the cases are faculty and staff --- us

2026-10-28 16:41:38 From Seema Golestaneh to Everyone:

Replying to "the group that evaluates the cases are faculty and...":

I'm sorry this is not correct. See the OSCCS guidelines.

2026-10-28 16:41:53 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

Tremendous research, Saida!!

2026-10-28 16:42:13 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

Thank you, Saida!

2026-10-28 16:43:48 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

For those who “feel conflicted”—back to Noah’s point—can any of you articulate why you feel confidence in this administration??????????

2026-10-28 16:45:10 From Eliza Bettinger to Everyone:

Linda, you seem to be referring to the three-person Title IX panel that hears cases. This panel are very constrained as to what penalties they may assign according to particular rules within a particular system. Unlike them, the administrators have the power to change the system and also to a whole range of actions that are outside the purview of the panel.

2026-10-28 16:45:51 From Wendy Wilcox (she/her) to Everyone:

@Noah Tamarkin -- Thank you for sharing. Exceptionally well stated.

2026-10-28 16:46:03 From Daniel Halpern-Leistner to Everyone:

Daniel Halpern-Leistner, senator from mathematics

2026-10-28 16:47:22 From Cynthia Bowman to Everyone:

Do we have any idea how long the Yates report will take to see the light of day??

2026-10-28 16:47:39 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

Replying to "Do we have any idea how long the Yates report will...":

They do NOT have a timeline

2026-10-28 16:47:57 From Ruth Richardson to Everyone:

Can you confirm only senators vote?

2026-10-28 16:48:09 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Can you confirm only senators vote?":

Only senators

2026-10-28 16:48:09 From Ileen Devault to Everyone:

Long time til 'public release'

2026-10-28 16:48:12 From Wendy Wilcox (she/her) to Everyone:

Can you clarify that it is only senators

2026-10-28 16:48:22 From Wendy Wilcox (she/her) to Everyone:

There are many guests in this meeting

2026-10-28 16:48:32 From parisa vaziri to Everyone:

can everyone vote or only senators?

2026-10-28 16:48:32 From Ivanna Yi to Everyone:

We need to clarify what raising hands on Zoom means

2026-10-28 16:48:33 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

this vote is on this motion showing or the original vote

2026-10-28 16:48:34 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

ONLY Senators

2026-10-28 16:50:01 From George Orlov to Everyone:

Checking: This is a vote to wait for the Yates report, correct?

2026-10-28 16:50:10 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Checking: This is a vote to wait for the Yates rep...":

Correct

2026-10-28 16:50:16 From George Orlov to Everyone:

Replying to "Checking: This is a vote to wait for the Yates rep...":

Thank you

2026-10-28 16:51:02 From Elizabeth Lamb (she, her) to Everyone:

Thumbs up doesn't count as a raised hand

2026-10-28 16:52:41 From Yael Levitte to Jill Short (direct message):

My suggestion is that you ask people on the zoom who are senators to add, senator, and department, in meetings that have 280 people...

2026-10-28 16:52:51 From Justin Johnson to Everyone:

Lower your hand if it was up before. . .

2026-10-28 16:53:12 From Todd Clary to Everyone:

What a joke

2026-10-28 16:53:28 From Emily Gier to Everyone:

People are voting twice.....

2026-10-28 16:53:31 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:

there's at least; east one person with their physical hand up, not the zoom hand

2026-10-28 16:53:35 From Yael Levitte to Jill Short (direct message):

And in the room, I'd have them wear a sticker... this is so challenging.

2026-10-28 16:53:50 From Denise Ramzy to Everyone:

Linda Canina and Nooshin Ahmadi, you have your hand raised twice.

2026-10-28 16:54:12 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

@Michael Ashkin please raise your zoom hand so they can see you

2026-10-28 16:54:13 From Todd Clary to Everyone:

It's a comedy of errors

2026-10-28 16:54:24 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

with the button not just on screen if possible

2026-10-28 16:54:53 From Wendy Wilcox (she/her) to Everyone:

Could we please do a poll in future zoom meetings?

2026-10-28 16:54:54 From Cynthia Bowman to Everyone:

Surely we could do this with electronic devices!

2026-10-28 16:55:03 From Michael Ashkin to Everyone:

I am voting no

2026-10-28 16:55:22 From Emily Gier to Everyone:

Nooshin voted twice

2026-10-28 16:55:23 From Michael Ashkin to Everyone:

I am voting no

2026-10-28 16:55:35 From Nooshin Ahmadi to Everyone:

Replying to "Linda Canina and Nooshin Ahmadi, you have your han...":

I have raised for being a senator and to vote No.

2026-10-28 16:55:38 From David Silbey to Everyone:

What's the phrase? Vote early and often?

2026-10-28 16:56:02 From Denise Ramzy to Everyone:

Replying to "Linda Canina and Nooshin Ahmadi, you have your han...":

You were counted as a yes

2026-10-28 16:56:14 From Michael Ashkin to Everyone:

Did you get my vote on zoom as no?

2026-10-28 16:56:20 From Nooshin Ahmadi to Everyone:

Replying to "Nooshin voted twice":

I raise dry hand as a senator and voted No.

2026-10-28 16:56:26 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Yes!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

2026-10-28 16:56:40 From Vivian Zayas to Everyone:

Can some state the numbers again?

2026-10-28 16:56:42 From Michele Fuortes to Everyone:

Replying to "Did you get my vote on zoom as no?":

yes Michael she said she got

2026-10-28 16:56:54 From Michael Ashkin to Everyone:

Replying to "Did you get my vote on zoom as no?":

Thank you

2026-10-28 16:57:06 From Emma Sosebee to Everyone:

48 in favor of waiting, 70-something opposed

2026-10-28 16:57:10 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Wait he just asked to end debate?

2026-10-28 16:57:22 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Wait he just asked to end debate?":

Yes and someone seconded it

2026-10-28 16:57:36 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

Replying to "48 in favor of waiting, 70-something opposed":

I believe 76 they said

2026-10-28 16:57:47 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Hold it. Are we debating?

2026-10-28 16:57:57 From David Silbey to Everyone:

I don't think anyone seconded it.

2026-10-28 16:58:03 From Michele Fuortes to Everyone:

Replying to "Wait he just asked to end debate?":

He ended the debate on the motion to committ that failed

2026-10-28 16:58:18 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Wait he just asked to end debate?":

Got it. Thanks. Online and can't always hear

2026-10-28 16:58:21 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

Replying to "Wait he just asked to end debate?":

Thanks for clariying

2026-10-28 16:58:38 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:

lol Kotlikoff “moving decisively”

2026-10-28 16:58:54 From Wendy Wilcox (she/her) to Everyone:

Are we taking non-senator comments at this point? I don't think former Dean Bohr is a senator?

2026-10-28 16:59:13 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Are we taking non-senator comments at this point? ...":

Faculty can speak

2026-10-28 16:59:20 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Are we taking non-senator comments at this point? ...":

Faculty are encouraged to speak.

2026-10-28 16:59:22 From Anne Marie Brady to Everyone:

Replying to "Are we taking non-senator comments at this point? ...":

Not just senators

2026-10-28 16:59:53 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

Somehow I think there is still a misunderstanding that this resolution is not solely focused on the single case of Jane Doe, but repeated failures of this administration and the lack of confidence in them to lead this university.

2026-10-28 17:01:00 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

This administration has shown quite clearly that it has no interest in changing the current modus operandi.

2026-10-28 17:04:03 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

The very simple change it could make is referring all potential criminal cases to the IPD and the State Police rather than keeping the process in house and making sure that criminal investigators receive all information on cases that the University has gathered. The act of keeping the process within the University prevents any true criminal investigation, and protects the accused, if convicted, from any substantial consequences.

2026-10-28 17:08:32 From Victoria Netanus Xaka to Everyone:

Replying to "The very simple change it could make is referring ...":

Our legal systems almost never serve the interests of victims of sexual assault. Unfortunately they are most likely to re-traumatize survivors, perpetuate sexual violence against women, and protect institutions.

2026-10-28 17:09:07 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

The Weill Cornell sexual assault case is cited as 50 victims on the campus of our Medical College unit. In fact, the number (per university leadership in their own words) was in the "hundreds."

2026-10-28 17:10:04 From Allison Heinemann to Everyone:

Thank you, brave and brilliant students. Fellow faculty, LISTEN TO THEM!

2026-10-28 17:10:35 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

Stop silencing students, colleagues!

2026-10-28 17:11:28 From Jason Oliver to Everyone:

Do the online folks not get to vote on these quick polls?

2026-10-28 17:11:31 From Nilay Yapici to Everyone:

So proud of the young students for speaking their truth. I am proud of you.

2026-10-28 17:12:38 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

Shouldn't it give you pause, that admin has been reaching out/responding/conversing only NOW?!

2026-10-28 17:14:08 From Maria Gonzalez Pendas to Everyone:

PROUD OF OUR BRAVE AND INFORMED STUDENTS. It is their experience and safety on campus that is at stake with this resolution.

2026-10-28 17:14:29 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

Why are people being allowed to delay an actual vote by introducing amendments that only serve the purpose of delay?

2026-10-28 17:15:14 From Allison Heinemann to Everyone:

Replying to "Why are people being allowed to delay an actual vo...":

Especially after those powerful statements from our students! If we delay, we fail them!

2026-10-28 17:15:30 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Whaaaatttt?

2026-10-28 17:15:31 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:

amazing shilling for the bosses

2026-10-28 17:15:38 From Sadé Lindsay to Everyone:

uhhh

2026-10-28 17:15:39 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

If I'm not mistaken (and I could be), I believe the senator speaking now also spoke and voted against the resolution to protect students and their right to protest recently?

2026-10-28 17:15:44 From Liz Parker to Everyone:

what is the name and department of the individual putting forth this 'motion'?

2026-10-28 17:15:53 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

“We tackled racism”.....????????????????????????????????

2026-10-28 17:16:13 From Sadé Lindsay to Everyone:

Are we at the same institution

2026-10-28 17:16:15 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

Who is this Senator and are they truly representing their department?

2026-10-28 17:16:17 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

This is a frivolous and insulting amendment. This serves not purpose relative to the current motion under discussion.

2026-10-28 17:16:36 From Noah Tamarkin to Everyone:

What does any of this have to do with whether we have confidence in the administration?

2026-10-28 17:16:43 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

POINT OF ORDER!!

2026-10-28 17:16:48 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

This is IRRELEVANT

2026-10-28 17:16:54 From Lexi Scanlon (she/they) to Everyone:

How is this different from what just failed?

2026-10-28 17:16:55 From sandra babcock to Everyone:

It is ridiculous.

2026-10-28 17:16:57 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

The resolution itself is being discussed. This is frivolous.

2026-10-28 17:17:16 From Vivian Zayas to Everyone:

Did someone second it?

2026-10-28 17:17:21 From Emma Sosebee to Everyone:

I don't think so

2026-10-28 17:17:23 From Jenn Colt to Everyone:

yes

2026-10-28 17:17:30 From Jenn Colt to Everyone:

Maybe?

2026-10-28 17:17:30 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

Replying to "Did someone second it?":

No, thank goodness.

2026-10-28 17:17:33 From David Silbey to Everyone:

I don't think so?

2026-10-28 17:17:36 From Jenn Colt to Everyone:

Ok ty

2026-10-28 17:17:36 From Jill Short to Everyone:

The proposed motion was not seconded.

2026-10-28 17:17:37 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

No, we are back to debating the motion

2026-10-28 17:17:37 From Shimon (zooming while the planet burns) Edelman to Everyone:

I keep missing his name — who was it?

2026-10-28 17:17:45 From Juliana Hu Pegues to Everyone:

Sorry the resolution

2026-10-28 17:18:14 From Allison Heinemann to Everyone:

Thank you!

2026-10-28 17:18:22 From Chiara Formichi (she/her) to Everyone:

Replying to "I keep missing his name — who was it?":

Me too...

2026-10-28 17:18:42 From Nilay Yapici to Everyone:

Replying to "I keep missing his name — who was it?":

<https://blogs.cornell.edu/cerionelab/about-william-katt/>

2026-10-28 17:19:27 From Cynthia Bowman to Everyone:

Every university has to have an adjudication mechanism for sexual offenses. NYS does not pursue any cases that involve involuntary intoxication. So that suggestion is not a good one.

2026-10-28 17:22:19 From Linda Canina to Everyone:

that is a NY state law -- because i have experience in Vermont and know that was not the law there

2026-10-28 17:22:52 From Jane Glaubman to Everyone:

Replying to "that is a NY state law -- because i have experienc...":

it is, and i believe i read recently that it's likely to be overturned

2026-10-28 17:23:07 From Jane Glaubman to Everyone:

Replying to "that is a NY state law -- because i have experienc...":

i mean, it is NYS law

2026-10-28 17:23:20 From Linda Canina to Everyone:

Replying to "that is a NY state law -- because i have experienc...":

thank you

2026-10-28 17:25:39 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

Replying to "Every university has to have an adjudication mecha...":

Do you mean involuntary or voluntary? The NYS law is not good if there is voluntary intoxication. The State Legislature has tried to change that, but it is still on the books.

2026-10-28 17:28:29 From Justine Modica to Everyone:

Just pointing out that having Cornell hand off investigations of violent crimes and sex offenses to the Ithaca Police Dept is point #1 of the city's moratorium

2026-10-28 17:28:50 From Kathleen Long to Everyone:

Replying to "Every university has to have an adjudication mecha...":

The University has to have adjudication mechanisms, but those do not have to include (and structurally as Cornell is set up) criminal investigation. The consequences are limited to suspension/ expulsion, rather than prison for potential crimes. Outside of the context of the University, sexual assault is investigated and adjudicated as a crime. Inside the university, it is not. This is a significant difference. In some cases handled by the IPD instead of Cornell, the result was prison time.

2026-10-28 17:31:03 From Justine Modica to Everyone:

Replying to "Just pointing out that having Cornell hand off inv...":

And adding that this demand is not being met. They're only temporarily handing off investigations.

2026-10-28 17:31:24 From Elissa Sampson to Everyone:

Yes and the NYS Assembly didn't support the change in law when it was proposed in Albany by the NYS Senate as a legal change. So it is likely that this will finally happen. that a "victim's voluntary or involuntary intoxication as a defense in sex crimes (such as sexual misconduct and third-degree rape)" is not taken into account in pursuing charges. But this hasn't happened yet. Welcome to Albany.

2026-10-28 17:32:46 From Dr. Campos-Medina (She-Her) to Everyone:

Thank you for this message at this moment.

2026-10-28 17:33:24 From Cynthia Bowman to Everyone:

voluntary. sorry

2026-10-28 17:33:28 From Dr. Campos-Medina (She-Her) to Everyone:

Thank you Iris for your courage. For representing the ILR Faculty.

2026-10-28 17:33:46 From Dr. Campos-Medina (She-Her) to Everyone:

I am a Cornell Alumn. I love this university too.

2026-10-28 17:34:04 From Allison Heinemann to Everyone:

Replying to "Thank you Iris for your courage. For representing ...":

I am so moved by my ILR colleagues who are speaking out. Thank you.

2026-10-28 17:34:23 From Dr. Campos-Medina (She-Her) to Everyone:

But we must say we need leaders who accept responsibility for the failures to act on this issue.

2026-10-28 17:34:44 From Dr. Campos-Medina (She-Her) to Everyone:

Thank you Iris.

2026-10-28 17:35:53 From sandra babcock to Everyone:

Sexual violence is an epidemic. Victim/survivors often experience physical and psychological damage that can affect them for decades (PTSD, eating disorders, depression, anxiety, dissociative disorders, substance use, chronic pain). Survivors are also more vulnerable to re-victimization. If the Administration took seriously the health of women students on campus, they would have treated this as a crisis that required immediate, creative, far-ranging efforts to address it. They did that during Covid. They did not do it here.

2026-10-28 17:38:03 From Patricia Keller to Everyone:

Brava!

2026-10-28 17:38:05 From Dr. Campos-Medina (She-Her) to Everyone:

Yes, we need leadership focused on student wellbeing.

2026-10-28 17:38:16 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

perfectly articulated. thank you.

2026-10-28 17:39:11 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

Thank you Iris.

2026-10-28 17:43:04 From Dr. Campos-Medina (She-Her) to Everyone:

Thank you to our Senators for this thoughtful "Where As..."

2026-10-28 17:45:03 From Cynthia Bowman to Everyone:

Yet another study?

2026-10-28 17:45:49 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

where can we get these slides and details?

2026-10-28 17:45:59 From Elizabeth Lamb (she, her) to Everyone:

Senate archives

2026-10-28 17:46:07 From Rebecca Schneider to Everyone:

thanks

2026-10-28 17:46:28 From Elizabeth Lamb (she, her) to Everyone:

And probably the Dean of Faculty notes on today's meeting

2026-10-28 17:47:03 From Elizabeth Lamb (she, her) to Everyone:

<https://deanoffaculty.cornell.edu/faculty-governance/faculty-senate/pending-matters/proposed-resolution-a-sustained-faculty-commitment-to-preventing-sexual-violence/>

2026-10-28 17:47:09 From Susan Pannullo to Everyone:

Thank you so much for this - I do not see a Fiscal Note - a similar initiative at the Medical College unit was quoted by the DOJ as a \$30 million dollar project.

2026-10-28 17:47:43 From Jill Short to Everyone:

Slides are posted on the agenda page after the meeting as well as the chat. Recording will be posted tomorrow morning and Video on demand soon after. Meeting minutes on Monday.

2026-10-28 17:47:52 From Betsy Bihn (she/her), PSA Director to Everyone:

Betsy Bihn, Food Science