# Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Brief Overview
and International Activities
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- Founded in 1861 by William Barton Rogers
- Private, independent research university
- MIT Motto:

"Mens et Manus" – "Mind and Hand"



Learning by doing



## **MIT Community**

### Students (fall 2014)

4,512 Undergraduates (4 year curriculum)

46% women

10% international students, 98 countries represented

About 80 undergraduate students in Sloan School 6,807 Graduate Students

32% women

42% international students, 102 countries represented About 1280 MBA and 140 Ph.D. students in Sloan School

#### Alumni

over 130,000 living alumni, 14% are international



## **MIT Community**

### International Scholars (FY2014, includes postdocs)

2,305 international scholars

24% women

90 countries represented

### Postdoctoral Scholars (fall 2014)

1,565 Postdoctoral scholars

27% women

65% international postdocs

Postdoctoral scholars are citizens of over 80 countries



## **MIT Community**

Faculty (fall 2014)

1,021 Faculty

22% women

42% of faculty were not born in the US

Other Teaching Staff (fall 2014)

617 Senior lecturers, lecturers, and professors emeriti

155 Instructors (including technical instructors)

37 Professors of the practice and adjunct faculty

Research staff and scientists (fall 2014)

4,827 Research staff and scientists

2,188 On campus

2,639 at Lincoln Laboratory

5,734 administrative staff, support and service staff (fall 2014)



### **Five MIT Schools**



### School of Architecture SA+P| and Planning

• 3 departments



### School of Engineering

• 8 departments



School of Humanities, Arts, and Social Science

10 departments



Sloan School of Management

• 1 department



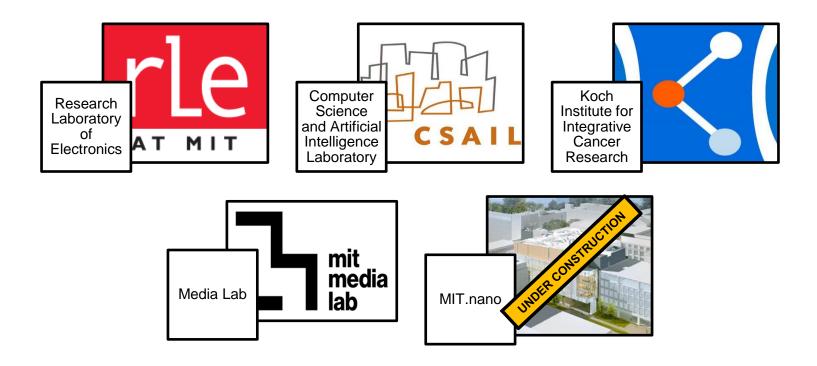
School of Science

• 6 departments

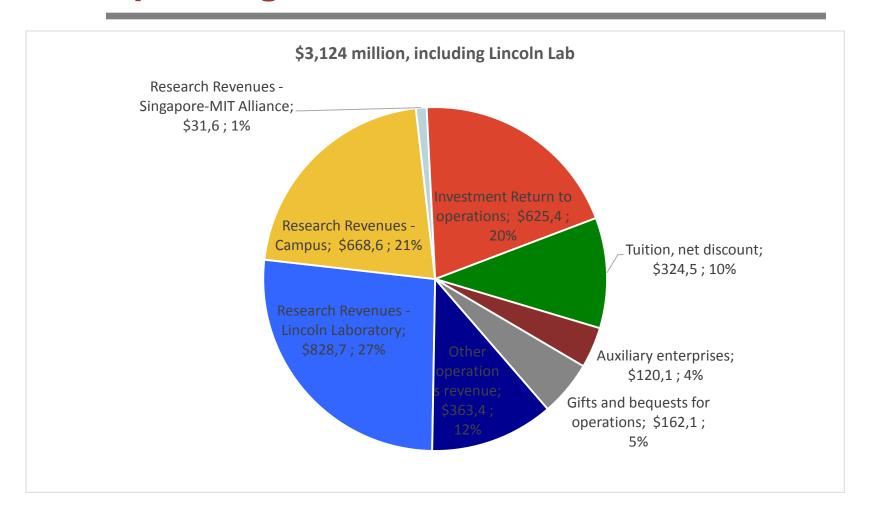
+ Over 30 Interdisciplinary Centers, Labs, and Programs



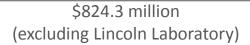
# **Large Laboratories and New Construction**

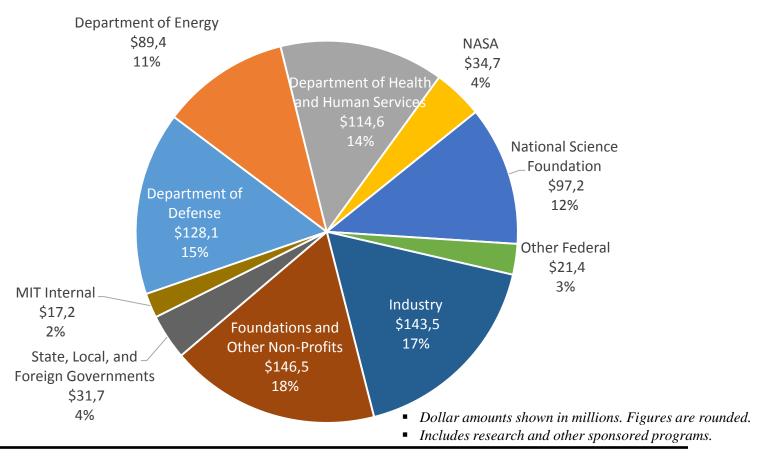


# Operating Revenues – FY 2014

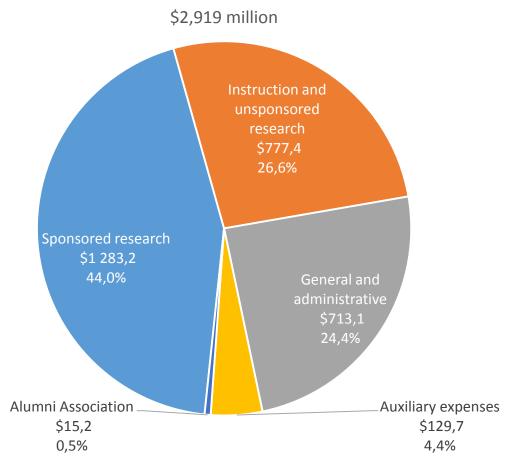


# **Sources for Sponsored Programs Funding – FY 2014**





# **Operating Expenditures – FY 2014**



\* Dollar amounts shown in millions. Figures are rounded.



### **Institute-wide Initiatives**



#### MIT Energy Initiative (MITEI)

- Launched in the fall of 2006, creating a new platform for highly focused energy-related activity at MIT
- Includes research, education, campus energy management and outreach programs that cover all areas of energy supply and demand, security, and environmental impact



#### **MIT Innovation Initiative**

- Institute-wide, multi-year agenda to transform the Institute's innovation ecosystem — internally, around the globe and with its partners — for accelerated impact well into the 21st century
- Supports MIT's focus on solving a range of critical challenges in energy, the health of the planet, human health and beyond



#### MIT Environmental Solutions Initiative

 Focuses MIT's talents on the interdisciplinary environmental challenges of today



# **Engagement with Industry**



# Industrial Liaison Program (ILP) and MIT Energy Initiative (MITEI)

- Over 700 companies
- \$ 143 mil. industry sponsored research in FY2014



#### **Technology Licensing Office (TLO) FY2014 Statistics**

- 743 new invention disclosures
- 304 U.S. patents issued, 80 licenses, 27 options
- 22 start up companies
- \$78 mil. in licensing income



#### **Continuing Education**

- MIT Sloan Executive Education
- MIT Professional Education





# **Innovation Ecosystem**

#### THE CAMBRIDGE-AREA INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM

A sample of the rich resources available in the MIT Community and beyond.

Harvard University **Boston University** 

**Boston College** 

Northeastern University

Tufts University

Babson College

Brandeis University

University of Massachusetts

Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Microsoft Google

Mitsubishi Electric

**Novartis** 

Pfizer

Schlumberger

Nokia

Mass High Tech

Boston Business Journal

Xconomy

Innovation Economy column in the Boston Globe

Life Sciences/Biotech

Energy

Robotics

Internet/Web 2.0/Web 3.0

Gaming

Information & Communication Technologies

Law Firms

Marketing and Publicity Services

Accountants and Part-Time CFOs

HR

Outsourced IT

Traditional Office Space

Incubators

Consultants

TiE Boston

128 Innovation Capital Group Boston Entrepreneurs' Network



Deshpande Center for Technological Innovation

Venture Mentoring Service

MIT Entrepreneurship Center

MIT Enterprise Forum

MIT Entrepreneurs Club (e-Club)

Cambridge Innovation Center

One Kendall Square

Regus

#### Angel Investors

**Private Equity** 

Venture Capitalists

Corporate Investor Groups

Life Sciences Cluster

Robotics Cluster

Clean Energy Cluster

IT Cluster

Mass Technology Leadership Council

Mass Software Council

Mass Innovation and Technology Exchange

Mass IT Collaborative Entrepreneurship Committee

MIT \$100k Entrepreneurship Competition

MIT Clean Energy Entrepreneurship Prize

MIT IDEAS

X-Prize

MIT and Dow Materials Engineering Contest



# Some Measures of Excellence and Impact



### **Nobel Prizes**

- 81 present and former MIT faculty, staff, and students have won Nobel Prizes,
- 9 are currently faculty members



## 2009 Kauffman Foundation Study

- MIT graduates have founded 25,800 active companies
- Those companies employ 3.3M people
- Annual sales of \$ 2 trillion
- Equivalent of 11<sup>th</sup> largest economy in the world

# **Some Measures of Excellence and Impact**



### Rankings

- QS International: 1
- Shanghai Jiao Tong ARWU: 3
- US News & World Report Global Universities Rank: 2



#### Admissions

- 2014 Admission rate for undergraduates: 7.9%; central admission
- 2014 Admission rate for graduate students: 15.2%, admission by departments
- MIT has need-blind admission policy



### MIT is a leader in online and distance learning

- OpenCourseWare
- MITx
- edX

## **Motivation and Goals of Global Engagement**



#### **Education**

 Provide MIT students and faculty with high quality opportunities to learn about and engage with the world



#### Research

Gain access to unique or enhanced research opportunities and talent world-wide



### Service

 Undertake international service activities that build on and contribute to MIT's strengths, leadership, and reputation -- coupled with research and education

# **Motivation and Goals for Global Engagement - 2**



# **Campus Community**

 Maximize the quality of our educational, research and service programs by attracting to MIT the best faculty and students from around the world



# **Diversified Funding Sources**

 Grow an alternative source of funding during a time of flat or declining federal budgets

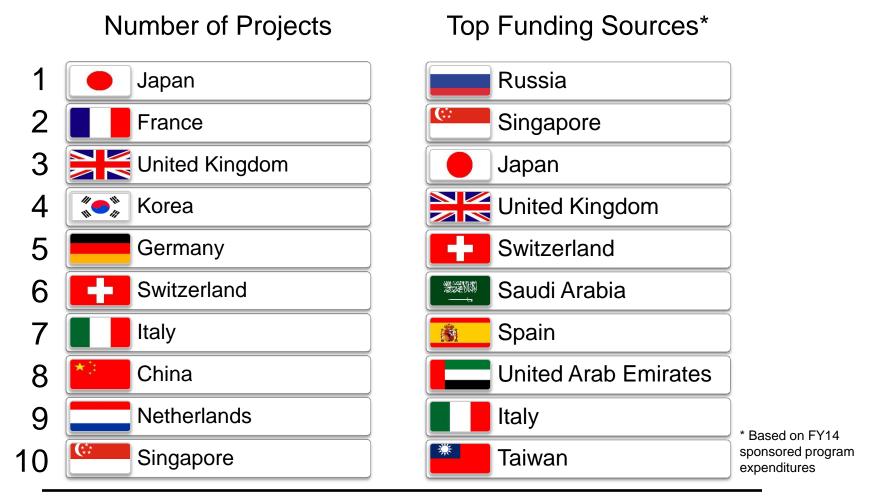
# Where does MIT Engage Internationally?



\* Based on educational and research projects active at MIT in FY14



# Where do we engage internationally?



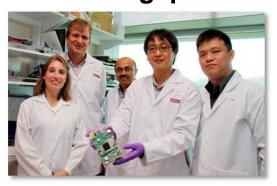


# Singapore-MIT Alliance for Research and Technology (SMART)



 Partnership with the National Research
 Foundation of Singapore

- Time period: 2007–2017
- Areas of focus:
  - biosystems and micomechanics
  - infectious disease
  - environmental sensing and modeling
  - low energy electronic systems
  - future urban mobility





# Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD)



A collaboration among Singapore,
 MIT, and China's Zhejiang
 University

- Time period: 2010–2020
- Areas of focus:
  - engineering product design
  - information systems technology and design
  - engineering systems and design
  - architecture and sustainable design







# **Skolkovo Institute of Science and Technology**

# Skolkovo Tech

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Partnership with Skolkovo
 Foundation in Russia

- Time period: 2011–2016
- Areas of focus:
  - energy science and technology
  - biomedical science and technology
  - information science and technology
  - space science and technology
  - nuclear science and technology







# MIT/Masdar Institute Cooperative Program



 Partnership with government of Abu Dhabi to establish a graduate university

- Time period: 2006 2016
- Areas of focus:
  - Alternative energy, sustainability, innovation and entrepreneurship
  - Collaboration so far on over 60 research projects
  - Help in developing new Master's and Ph.D. programs



# MIT Portugal Program (established 2006)



Network Model

Engineering
Systems
Focus

Integrated Research

Industry and Entrepreneurship

#### **Affiliates**

6 Universities + 8 Schools, 525 current PhD students 270 Portuguese faculty, 70 MIT faculty

9 Associated Laboratories

50+ Companies

5 Schools and 25 departments at MIT

#### **Education: new programs in**

Bio-Engineering Systems (PhD, EM)

Eng. Design & Adv. Manufacturing (PhD, EM)

Sustainable Energy Systems (PhD, EM)

Transportation Systems (PhD, MSc)

#### Research

Collaborative projects

Seed-funds

59 Industry Affiliates

320+ new jobs created

32M+ Euros in venture financing



University of Minho Braga/Guimarães) University of **Porto** University of Coimbra IST Lisbon of Lisbon New U Lisbon + Azores

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology** 

# Tata Center for Technology and Design

## TATA CENTER

TECHNOLOGY + DESIGN

Time period: 2012–2018

- Areas of focus:
  - Technology and design for developing countries
  - Sister center launched at IIT
     Bombay in 2014
  - Initial focus on Masters and PhD programs
  - Agriculture, energy, health, housing, infrastructure, water

Partnership with the SirDorabji Tata Trust in India









### MIT Sloan - Asia School of Business

- Time period: **2015 2023**
- Asian perspective Global leadership
  - Curriculum
  - Teaching support
  - Action learning
  - Visits to Sloan
- Founding Dean/Pres:

MIT Prof. Charles Fine

Partnership with Central Bank of Malaysia (Bank Negara) to create world-class business school in Kuala Lumpur



# MIT International Science and Technology Initiatives (MISTI)

# MISTI



- MISTI programs are available in Africa, Belgium, Brazil, Chile, China, France, Germany, India, Israel, Italy, Japan, Korea, Mexico, Netherlands, Russia, Singapore, Spain, and Switzerland
- MISTI matches over 600 MIT students with internships and research abroad each year
- MISTI seed funds promote and support early-stage research collaborations around the world, 360 projects since 2008





# Thank you for your attention!

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