



## ABOUT OUR STUDENTS

### ENTERING MEDICAL STUDENTS (Class of 2011)

Total applications received	5,853
Male	3,055
Female	2,798
Under-represented minorities	.774
Total applicants interviewed	.753
Total acceptance letters sent	.275
Total incoming students	.101
Female	.53
Male	.48
Under-represented minorities	.25

Total enrolled students (Fall 2007)	.101
Men	.48
Women	.53
New York State Residents	.35
Out-of-State Residents	.64
International Students	.2

Average Science GPA	3.70
Cumulative GPA	3.69
Average MCAT Score	11.5
Verbal	11
Physical Science	11.6
Biological Science	11.8
Age Range	21-37
Average Age	23.6

Students matriculated in the Tri-Institutional MD-PhD program	.14
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### ENTERING Ph.D. STUDENTS

Total enrolled students	.56
Men	.17
Women	.39
NY State Residents	.10
Out-of-State Residents	.21
U.S. Citizens	.31
International Students	.25
Under-represented Minorities	.2
Average Science GPA	3.5
Average GRE Scores (percentiles)	
Verbal	.81st
Quantitative	.76th

### TOTAL ENROLLED STUDENTS

Medical students	.407
Graduate students	.365
MD-PhD students	.109

### DEGREES CONFERRED (MAY 2007)

M.D.	.95
Ph.D.	.49
M.S.	.12

## ABOUT WEILL CORNELL

**WEILL CORNELL MEDICAL COLLEGE** is among the top-ranked clinical and medical research centers in the country. Partnered with the renowned New York-Presbyterian Hospital, the Medical College comprises 23 academic departments focusing on the sciences underlying clinical medicine; the study, treatment and prevention of human diseases; and maternity care. The Medical College fosters the development of strong professional role models and lifelong intellectual relationships in both clinical medicine and the basic sciences.

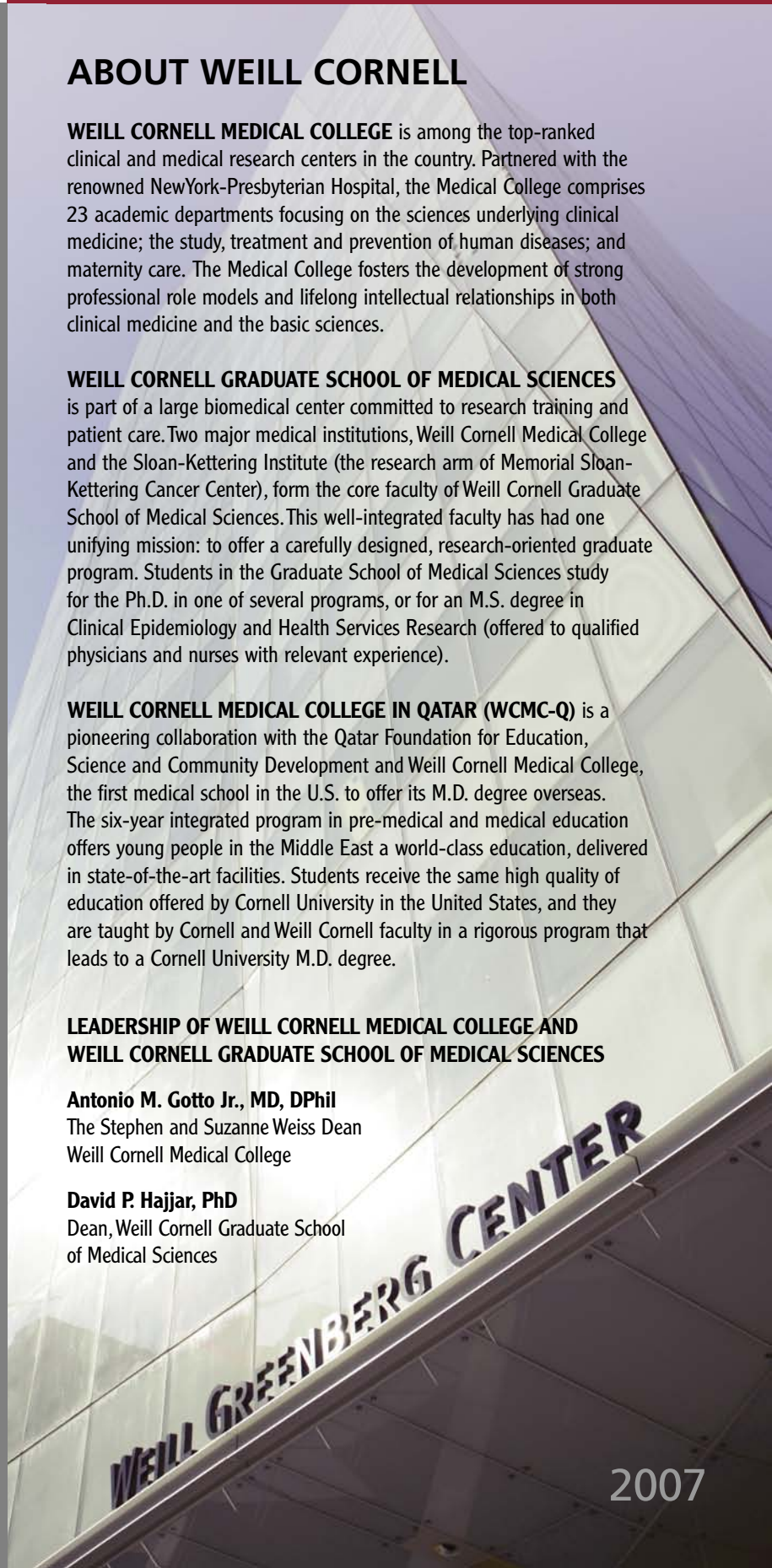
**WEILL CORNELL GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MEDICAL SCIENCES** is part of a large biomedical center committed to research training and patient care. Two major medical institutions, Weill Cornell Medical College and the Sloan-Kettering Institute (the research arm of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center), form the core faculty of Weill Cornell Graduate School of Medical Sciences. This well-integrated faculty has had one unifying mission: to offer a carefully designed, research-oriented graduate program. Students in the Graduate School of Medical Sciences study for the Ph.D. in one of several programs, or for an M.S. degree in Clinical Epidemiology and Health Services Research (offered to qualified physicians and nurses with relevant experience).

**WEILL CORNELL MEDICAL COLLEGE IN QATAR (WCMC-Q)** is a pioneering collaboration with the Qatar Foundation for Education, Science and Community Development and Weill Cornell Medical College, the first medical school in the U.S. to offer its M.D. degree overseas. The six-year integrated program in pre-medical and medical education offers young people in the Middle East a world-class education, delivered in state-of-the-art facilities. Students receive the same high quality of education offered by Cornell University in the United States, and they are taught by Cornell and Weill Cornell faculty in a rigorous program that leads to a Cornell University M.D. degree.

### LEADERSHIP OF WEILL CORNELL MEDICAL COLLEGE AND WEILL CORNELL GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

**Antonio M. Gotto Jr., MD, DPhil**  
The Stephen and Suzanne Weiss Dean  
Weill Cornell Medical College

**David P. Hajjar, PhD**  
Dean, Weill Cornell Graduate School  
of Medical Sciences





Dr. Ronald Crystal, chairman of the Department of Genetic Medicine and the Bruce Webster Professor of Internal Medicine at Weill Cornell, discusses the role that Zeinab Ammous, a WCMC-Qatar student, played in his lab's research last summer on the role of the environment in genetic expressions associated with major lung disorders.

## RESEARCH AT WEILL CORNELL

Weill Cornell continues to be a leader in diversity with one of the nation's strongest records of recruitment and retention of under-represented minorities for a medical school, with greater than a 50/50 ratio of women to men.

In the last decade, Weill Cornell has made a number of major advances:

- The number of articles published in peer-reviewed journals has tripled
- NIH funding to the Medical College has more than doubled
- Federally sponsored research rose to \$156,034,180 in 2007
- Privately sponsored research rose to \$59,779,618 in 2007
- The total number of funded research projects in 2007 rose to 1174
- The average MCAT score of entering students increased by 11 percent
- Total space devoted to research has increased by 26 percent
- Nearly \$1 billion has been raised in philanthropy in the last 12 months
- The Medical College's endowment has more than doubled to \$670 million
- The operating budget has risen from \$400 million to over \$700 million
- Revenue through the College's Physician Organization has nearly quadrupled

"Firsts" at Weill Cornell:

- World's first gene therapy for Parkinson's disease
- First successful embryo-biopsy pregnancy and birth in the U.S.
- First indication of bone marrow's critical contribution to tumor growth

Weill Cornell is the first medical school in the U.S. to offer medical education and its MD degree in a foreign country with the founding of the Weill Cornell Medical College in Qatar (part of Cornell/Ithaca and Weill Cornell's continuing efforts toward the globalization of medicine, education and health).

Weill Cornell is recognized for its innovative "bench to bedside" curriculum: one of the few medical schools in the nation to immerse students in actual clinical situations from day one.

Ranked among the top ten percent of medical schools in the United States.; one of the top-rated graduate schools and MD-PhD programs in the country; affiliated with NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital, ranked sixth in the nation by *U.S. News & World Report* in 2007.

## PHILANTHROPY AT WEILL CORNELL

In 2007, the following endowments were established:

### SEVEN CENTERS AND INSTITUTES

David A. Cofrin Center for Bioinformatics  
 Jill Roberts Center for Inflammatory Bowel Disease  
 Institute for Biomedical Imaging Science  
 Clinique Skin Wellness Center  
 Appel Institute for Alzheimer's Research  
 Helmsley Center for Colon and Rectal Surgery  
 Myra Mahon Patient Resource Center

### FIVE PROFESSORSHIPS

The St. Giles Professorship of Pediatric Retina  
 The Greenberg-Starr Professorship  
 The Jack Fishman Professorship of Cancer Prevention  
 The Margaret and Herman Sokol Professorship in Oncology Research  
 The Linda Rodgers Emory Assistant Professorship of Myeloma

### TEN CLINICAL SCHOLARS

The Clinique Clinical Scholar Award in Dermatology  
 The Sanford B. Ehrenkrantz Family Clinical Scholar Award in Women's Health  
 The Bonnie Johnson Sacerdote Clinical Scholar Award in Women's Health  
 The Peter Edwin Stokes, M.D. Clinical Scholar Award in Psychobiology  
 The Leonard and Fleur Harlan Clinical Scholar Award  
 The Abby Joseph Cohen Clinical Scholar Award in Women's Health  
 The Feil Family Clinical Scholar Award in Multiple Sclerosis  
 The Nanette Laitman Clinical Scholar Award in Public Health/  
 Community Health  
 The Nanette Laitman Clinical Scholar Award in Public Health/  
 Quality of Care Research  
 The Willibald Nagler Clinical Scholar Award in Rehabilitation Medicine



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Appel model the white lab coats for the new Appel Institute for Alzheimer's Research at Weill Cornell that was established with their gift of \$15 million. With the Appels is Sanford I. Weill (center) and Dean Antonio M. Gotto Jr.

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