ChemE Undergraduate Global Exchange Program
6:00 – 6:05: Introduction (Francesca)
6:05 – 6:15: Introduction to Global Exchange Program (Thomas Webster)
6:15– 6:35 Michael Galluzzo, Nick De La Torre, Nancy Figueroa, Sean O'Connell
6:35-6:45- End: Questions/Discussion
Introduction to Exchange Program

• During Summer Session I, 2014, we piloted a new program in ChemE to increase opportunities to conduct global research to our undergraduate students.

• We can increase global experiences to students by sending them to other countries to conduct research as well as hosting students from other countries at NEU to conduct research.

Why Did We Do This ??????
Introduction to Exchange Programs

• The Value of International Research Experiences:
  – Expose you to different research projects not available at NEU, Boston, or the U.S.
  – Provide for short research opportunities to possibly fit your schedule better
  – Allow you to learn a different culture
  – Broaden your horizons
  – Provide technical and general elective credits
  – Make you more marketable to industry or graduate school
  – Are fun!
Introduction to Exchange Programs

- Logistics:
  - You tell me if you are interested and can complete the exchange during summer session 1 or 2 before January 25, 2016
  - I provide you with a list of available research projects in our partnering universities
  - You tell me which project and country you want
  - You are matched with a project and Skype with the faculty member from that country to learn about the project well before you arrive – February 15th
  - Your host University helps you find housing
  - You sign up for 4 technical electives and 4 general electives to maintain student status
  - You go and conduct research during summer session 1 or 2
  - You have fun!
  - You present your research at the end of your session
  - I grade you
  - You tell us about your experience so that we can improve the program
  - We encourage you to go to AIChE or other conferences to present your research
Current Universities Participating in Global Exchange Program

Gachon University, South Korea

Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore

Queensland University of Technology, (QUT), Australia

*Participating universities and project offerings are subject to change based on availability, foreign policy, and other factors as determined by Northeastern University.*
• As part of this program, we also host students from all over the world to conduct research here!
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