

**Title:** Adding Value to Cornell Resilience Research in NYC: Opportunities for Collaboration in Research, Extension and Engagement

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**Abstract** - Cornell faculty are working throughout NYC in a variety of disciplines to address resilience practices and processes as they relate to urban social-ecological systems. Some of these faculty were involved in the creation of the Science and Resilience Institute at Jamaica Bay (SRIJB; [www.srijb.org](http://www.srijb.org)) and they now build capacity and conduct research with academic, agency, NGO and stakeholder partners in SRIJB. Multiple Cornell colleges are involved in NYC research that impacts the communities around Jamaica Bay. We believe that value could be added to all Cornell research and extension projects, while increasing opportunities for engagement of our undergraduate population, by bringing these researchers together in order to build upon the current efforts. The Executive Director of the Institute, Adam Parris, will join the discussion.