The goal of the Cohort Challenge is to provide an opportunity for the ReDI Cohort to work in small teams and to leverage strategies discussed in the Toolkit Workshops. The Cohort Challenge is designed to enhance the leadership experience by providing an opportunity for the faculty to investigate best practices relevant to Northeastern University and then engage with the Provost’s Leadership Team about their findings. Each team had access to a Subject Matter Expert and teams were encouraged to interview University leaders as resources. The Cohort Challenge topics presented today were identified and defined by the ReDI Cohort in September 2015.

2:30 Welcome & Introduction

2:40 – 3:00 Enhancing the Culture of Global Academic Excellence
   Nicole Aljoe, English
   Alvaro Cuervo-Cazurra, International Business & Strategy
   Yunsi Fei, Electrical & Computer Engineering
   Antonio Ocampo-Guzman, Theater

3:00 – 3:20 Examining Research Support for Faculty
   Carlos Cuevas, Criminology & Criminal Justice
   Elizabeth Howard, Nursing
   Alisa Lincoln, Health Sciences and Sociology
   Armen Stepanyants, Physics

3:20 – 3:40 Preparing Flexible Minds for Flexible Careers
   Greg Goodale, Communication Studies
   Jamie Ladge, Management & Organizational Development
   Kristin Madison, Law
   Cristina Nita-Rotaru, Computer & Information Science

3:40 – 4:00 Northeastern as a Citizen of Boston
   Rachel Jones, Nursing
   Carol Livermore, Mechanical & Industrial Engineering
   Marilyn Minus, Mechanical & Industrial Engineering
   Beth Molnar, Health Sciences

4:00 – 5:00 Reception: ReDI Alumni have been invited to join the reception.