Research *by the numbers*

- **56** sponsors of McCormick research, including federal agencies, foundations, and corporations
- **501** nodes (computers) in QUEST, a supercomputing cluster ranked 236 in the top 500 computer systems in the world
- **308** nonclassroom laboratories (not including Silverman Hall)
- **20** start-ups with an active license agreement with Northwestern
- **114,700** net assignable square feet of nonclass lab space at McCormick
- **$71,499,595** value of research awards received in 2010
- **113** patents for McCormick inventors since 8/99
- **30** racks of computers dedicated to research computing at McCormick
- **$451,965,779** total value of McCormick research proposals in fiscal year 2009