Note: the format of the survey will be revised a good deal as we settle on the proper account/design from surveymonkey.com. The questions, however, are represented below.

1) Have you heard of the recently proposed SOPA/PIPA bills?

 Yes or No

Then present summary information:

The SOPA Bill involves the following:

- Expand the ability of U.S. law enforcement to fight online trafficking in copyrighted intellectual

property and counterfeit goods

- Expand existing criminal laws to include unauthorized streaming of copyrighted content,

imposing a maximum penalty of five years in prison

- Provisions include the requesting of court orders to bar advertising networks and payment

facilities from conducting business with infringing websites, and search engines from linking to

the sites, and court orders requiring Internet service providers to block access to the sites

The PIPA Bill involves:

- ‘Preventing Real Online Threats to Economic Creativity and Theft of Intellectual Property Act’

- Stated goal of giving the US government and copyright holders additional tools to curb access to

"rogue websites dedicated to infringing or counterfeit goods", especially those registered

outside the U.S.2) Do you support the policies outlined in the above definitions of the proposed bills?

 ‘Strongly oppose’, ‘Oppose’, ’Neutral’, ‘Support’, ‘Strongly support’

3) Do you fell changes need to be made with respect to copyright protection in the internet era?

Yes, No, Maybe, No Opinion

Learning about their piracy behavior

4) Have you ever downloaded/streamed pirated content? (‘Pirated content’ being copyrighted material

used/reproduced without the consent of the copyright holder. Examples: Download a movie from a

torrent, stream a TV show from Megavideo)

Yes or No

If the answer is no, skip to question 7.

5) How often do you download pirated content?

Daily, Weekly, Biweekly, Monthly, Once a year, Few times a year, Only once

6) If the US adopted a tougher stance on internet-piracy enforcement, would your attitudes about using

pirated content change: not at all, a little, somewhat, or a lot?

7) Have you ever been banned from the CMU network or faced negative repercussions for downloading

pirated content?

Yes or No

8) What type of content do you, or would you, download most frequently?

Music, Movies, TV Shows, Books, Other

9) Do you use streaming sites (e.g. sidereel.com)/torrent trackers (thepiratebay.org)/Peer-to-peer filesharing clients (e.g. Dtella, LimeWire)/direct download sites (e.g. rapidshare.com)? (check all that apply)

10) Do you usually know whether the content you are viewing/using/listening to is being reproduced

illegally or not?

Yes or No

11) Do you consider downloading pirated content to be...? (Check all that apply)

- Acceptable

- Illegal

- Unethical

- Both illegal and unethical

- I don’t have an opinion/have never thought about it

12) Do you consider viewing/listening to/streaming unlicensed content (without downloading) to be...?

(Check all that apply)

- Acceptable

- Illegal

- Unethical

- Both illegal and unethical

- I don’t have an opinion/have never thought about it

13) For example, do you consider viewing/listening to music on YouTube that has NOT been posted by

the original artist (i.e. via a VEVO or official artist account) to be...? (Check all that apply)

- Acceptable

- Illegal

- Unethical

- Both illegal and unethical

- I don’t have an opinion/have never thought about itotential Scenario

Suppose you want to watch a movie that you have anticipated for a long time.

14) You download this movie from dtella (or another peer-to-peer file-sharing network) and watch it on

your computer.

Do you consider this to be (check all that apply):

- Acceptable

- Illegal

- Unethical

- Both illegal and unethical

- Neither illegal nor unethical

- You do not have an opinion on the ethics or legality of this action

15) You cannot find the movie from dtella, but you notice it has been uploaded in two parts to YouTube.

You watch the movie in its entirety on YouTube.

Do you consider this to be (check all that apply):

- Acceptable

- Illegal

- Unethical

- Both illegal and unethical

- Neither illegal nor unethical

- You do not have an opinion on the ethics or legality of this action

16) After watching the movie on YouTube, you rip it to a file on your computer and upload the file to a

sharing website. You personally do not profit in any way from this activity. Do you consider this to be

(check all that apply):

- Acceptable

- Illegal

- Unethical

- Both illegal and unethical

- Neither illegal nor unethical

- You do not have an opinion on the ethics or legality of this action

Demographic Questions

17) Gender: Male or Female?

18) What ethnicity are you? (Please select the closest option)

White/Caucausian, African American, Hispanic/Latino, Asian/Pacific Islander, Native American Indian,

Other

19) What class year are you?

Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior, Super Senior0) Do you live on-campus or off-campus?

On or Off

21) What is your political affiliation?

Republican, Democrat, Independent, Other, None, Do not wish to share information.

22) What school are you in? (If you are in multiple schools, please select the school of your primary

major.)

CFA, MCS, CIT, HSS, Tepper, SCS

23) If you are from the United States, or have lived in the United States for the majority of your life,

what region are you from? If not please write down where you consider yourself from.

Northeast, Midwest, West, South, not from the US/other:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_