

## 15.575 April 8: Agency View of the Firm and Implications for Knowledge and Skill

### Study Questions:

Please think about the following questions as you do the readings.

- 1) What are the key factors determining the centralizing and decentralizing decision-making and control within the firm? How do information technologies affect these factors?
- 2) Will information technologies have the same impact on skill levels and types of skills in the next ten years as they have had in the past?