

# VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY

## Recommendation for Appointment to an Endowed Chair or Professorship/ Qualification for Eminent Scholar Position

### Type of Appointment

Select one:

- Endowed Chair (\$1 million)
- Endowed Distinguished Professorship (\$500,000)
- Endowed Professorship (\$250,000)

Eminent Scholar Appointment:

- 1. Designated by Donor in Endowment?  Yes  No
- 2. Meets State Requirements for Designation?  Yes  No
- 3. Is the Dean's Office Requesting Eminent Scholars Designation?  Yes  No

### Recommendation:

- 1. NAME OF FACULTY MEMBER TO BE APPOINTED (Attach CV):
- 2. SCHOOL AND DEPARTMENT:
- 3. RANK AND TENURE STATUS:
- 4. TITLE TO BE APPROVED:
- 5. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ENDOWMENT, INCLUDING SPECIFIC CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF FACULTY MEMBER:
- 6. JUSTIFICATION FOR RECOMMENDING APPOINTMENT:  
Please Attach:
  - a. Nomination Letter (Dean or Department Chair or Both)
  - b. Letters of Support (Not to Exceed 5 Letters)
- 7. CRITERIA FOR FUTURE REVIEW OF ENDOWED PROFESSORSHIP APPOINTMENT:
  - Scholarship  Patient Care
  - Teaching  Special Initiatives
  - Service  Other
- 8. Attach Letter with more detailed information

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### APPROVAL SIGNATURES

Recommend Approval:

Department Chair: \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature)  
Name and Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Dean of the School: \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature)  
Name, School, Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Provost or Vice President for Health Sciences (as appropriate)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name, Title, Date

### RECOMMENDATION BY THE COMMITTEE ON ENDOWED PROFESSORSHIPS

- Approved - (Comments, if needed):
- Disapproved - (Comments, if needed):
- Need More Information Before Action Can Be Taken - (Comments, if needed)

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Committee Chair (Signature)  
Francis L. Macrina, Ph.D.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Approval: \_\_\_\_\_  
Eugene P. Trani, Ph.D.  
President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Date: Approval by VCU Board of Visitors \_\_\_\_\_

Endowed Chair Professorship/1/9/02/VPHS