

# VCU School of Medicine

Virginia Commonwealth University

## 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Faculty Excellence Awards Program

To recognize and reward our outstanding faculty!

Wednesday, September 23, 2009, 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Kontos Medical Sciences Building Auditorium  
Lunch following on the Kontos MSB Plaza

*All faculty, graduate & medical students, housestaff, postdocs, administrators & staff are invited.*

### 2009 Award Winners

#### TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Faculty Teaching Excellence Award

**Tomasz Kordula, Ph.D.**

Associate Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

**Raphael J. Witorsch, Ph.D.**

Professor, Department of Physiology and Biophysics

Irby-James Award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching

**Douglas S. Franzen, M.D., M.Ed.**

Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine

Distinguished Mentor Award

**Clive M. Baumgarten, Ph.D.**

Professor, Department of Physiology and Biophysics

**Richard G. Moran, Ph.D.**

Professor, Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology

Educational Innovation Award

**The Thomas Palliative Care Program at VCU's Massey Cancer Center**

Leonard Tow Humanism in Medicine Award  
presented by The Arnold P. Gold Foundation

**Edward James Read, Jr., M.D.**

Attending Physician, Emergency Services  
Hunter Holmes McGuire Richmond VA Medical Center

Women in Science, Dentistry, and Medicine  
Professional Achievement Award

**Mary Helen Hackney, M.D.**

Associate Professor, Department of Internal Medicine

MCV Physicians Distinguished Clinician Award

**Domenic A. Sica, M.D.**

Professor, Department of Internal Medicine

VCU/VCUHS Leadership in Graduate Medical  
Education "LGME" Award

**Stephanie A. Call, M.D., M.S.P.H.**

Associate Professor, Department of Internal Medicine

**Scott A. Vota, D.O.**

Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology

Award winners of the Outstanding Departmental Teacher Award in Health Sciences Education and Outstanding Teacher Awards in Undergraduate Medical Education will also be presented.



Teaching Excellence Awards



Arnold Gold Faculty Humanism Award



WISDM Professional Achievement Award



MCVP Distinguished Clinician Award



VCU/VCUHS Leadership in Graduate Medical Education Award

Office of Faculty Affairs, VCU School of Medicine, MCV Campus.

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Award descriptions: [http://www.medschool.vcu.edu/facultyaffairs/career\\_dev/awards.html](http://www.medschool.vcu.edu/facultyaffairs/career_dev/awards.html)