

Constitution
Of the
Twinleaf Society of the
University of Virginia's College at Wise.

NAME. The name of this organization shall be:
TWINLEAF SOCIETY OF RETIRED FACULTY and STAFF

PURPOSE The Twinleaf Society shall provide a means for effective communication between the COLLEGE and its retired FACULTY and STAFF. It shall promote appropriate events and programs on a continuing basis.

MEMBERSHIP Membership in Twinleaf Society shall be open to:

1. All **retirees** who have been employed on a full-time basis, as a faculty or staff member, including general faculty, for at least one year.
2. **Spouses** of those employees, whether or not the retiree is deceased.
3. **Surviving spouses** of former full-time faculty members or staff members who died prior to retirement.
4. In all cases, **spouses** are regarded as full members of the **Society**.

OFFICERS The Twinleaf Board of Directors will consist of at least seven members. The Board will elect from its own membership, four officers: a **president**, a **vice president**, a **secretary**, and a **treasurer**, all elected for two-year terms. There is no limit on the number of terms a member may serve on the Board or as an officer. The **Chancellor of the College** shall be an **Honorary Director**, and will be invited to all Twinleaf Society functions.

DUES All members will be in good standing upon payment of dues, the amount and frequency to be determined by the Board of Directors. Dues cover **the retiree and spouse or survivor**.

AMENDMENTS A majority of the dues-paying members present and voting may amend the constitution. All proposed amendments must be circulated among the membership at least one month prior to the vote.

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
TWINLEAF SOCIETY ON JANUARY 19, 2005