



MACR Faculty Advisor Selection Form

Student's Name:

During the first semester of enrollment, each entering MACR graduate student must interview a minimum of five faculty members. This interview process is designed to introduce the students to the diverse graduate research opportunities at Virginia Tech, and to introduce the MII faculty to the entering class as prospective candidates to join their research groups. Interviews also allow students to meet professors who may later serve on the student's Advisory Committee. For this reason, five interviews must be completed even though a student may have already identified his or her Faculty Advisor.

Instructions:

- This form should be printed, filled in by hand, and signed by each faculty member interviewed.
- Upon mutual agreement, the student and proposed advisor should sign the faculty advisor selection statement below.

The undersigned agree that they have met with the above named student to discuss their research.

	Printed Name of Faculty Member	Faculty Signature
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The above named student requests to join the research group of:

Prof. _____ (*print name*)

The proposed advisor acknowledges responsibility for financial support of the above named student **beginning after the successful completion of their first year**. Continuation of support through the student's tenure at Virginia Tech is anticipated yet contingent upon financial resources, mutual agreement, and satisfactory progress toward the student's degree requirements.

The undersigned agree to the terms of this mutual agreement.

Printed Name of Student	Student's Signature	Date
Printed Name of Advisor	Advisor's Signature	Date

Approval of student's selection by signature of the MACR Director:

Signature, MACR Director	Date