

# FACULTY DISCLOSURE FORM

## Conflict of Interest

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Role in CME Activity:

- Course Director  
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### Overview of University of Virginia Conflict of Interest Policy

According to the ACCME Standards of Commercial Support (approved September 2004), a **conflict of interest** is present when individuals (or their spouses/partners) in a position to control the content of CME have a relevant personal financial relationship with a commercial entity that benefits the individual and may ultimately bias the presentation of that content to colleagues and participants. Since fair, unbiased education serves as part of the foundation for development of quality CME, UVA CME needs to identify affiliations that have the following elements:

**both:**

- a relevant financial relationship with a commercial interest occurring within the past 12 months

**and,**

- the opportunity to affect the content of CME about the products or services of that commercial interest.

**Purpose:** This disclosure form provides a standardized mechanism for identification, review and analysis of relevant financial relationship(s) that may affect the independence, integrity and scientific balance of CME activities designated for credit by the University of Virginia School of Medicine. **Please respond to the questions below with regard to the past 12 months:**

1. Disclosure of financial relationship(s):

- I (and/or my spouse/partner) have a relevant financial relationship with a commercial entity producing healthcare goods and/or services. (Go to #2)
- I (and/or my spouse/partner) do not have a financial relationship or interest with any proprietary entity producing healthcare goods or services. (Go to #3)

2. If you (and/or your spouse/partner) have a relevant financial relationship:

- A. Please indicate the names of the commercial organizations and the clinical/research areas where you have a financial relationship(s). If you have more than 4 relationships, please add additional pages.

Name of Organization	Clinical/Research Area	Type of Relationship (Use Code Below)
1. J&J /CORDIS	STENTS	B E F
2. PFIZER	LIPIDS	C D F
3. MERCK	END POINT COMMITTEE	C F
4. LILLY	REG PRO	D, C

- a. Employment (includes retainer)
- b. Independent Contractor (contracted research and clinical trials)
- c. Consultant
- d. Speaker's bureau and teaching engagements
- e. Advisory Committee/Board
- f. Stock/Ownership
- g. Patent holder
- h. Other (please describe) \_\_\_\_\_

B. Please answer the following questions:

- Did you participate in **company-sponsored** training?  Yes  No
  - If you traveled to participate in the training, did the company pay your travel and lodging?  Yes  No
  - Did the commercial entity provide you with slides as part of the training sessions?  
 Yes  No
  - Did you receive an honorarium or consulting fee for participating in the training?  
 Yes  No
3. If you participated in **institutional** contracted research or clinical trials, please answer the following questions:
- Do you receive salary support, retainer, or other monies to support your position as part of the research grant/clinical trials?  Yes  No
  - Are you the PI (principal investigator) for the research grant?  Yes  No (TNT)
  - Have the results of your research/clinical trials been published?  Yes  No

*I agree to comply with the University of Virginia Conflict of Interest Policy and identify to the participants any discussion of non-FDA or investigational uses of products or medical devices included in my presentation/article/case.*

Signed



Signature

8/30/05

Date

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