

# FCR 21

Office of the President  
April 24, 2007

Members, Board of Trustees:

GIFTS AND PLEDGES TO THE PROFESSORSHIP IN GENERAL SURGERY AND  
APPROVAL OF NAME CHANGE TO THE PATRICK F. HAGIHARA, M.D.  
PROFESSORSHIP/CHAIR IN GENERAL SURGERY

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept gifts of \$1,200 and pledges of \$251,300 from multiple donors to add to the existing Professorship in General Surgery, rename it the Patrick F. Hagihara, M.D. Professorship/Chair in General Surgery in the College of Medicine's Department of Surgery, and submit these gifts and pledges of \$252,500 for matching funds from Kentucky's Endowment Match Program. Council on Postsecondary Education guidelines require that the Board of Trustees acknowledge its responsibility for UK's participation in the program and for all university endowment funds.

Background: Patrick F. Hagihara, M.D. has been a physician, teacher, mentor, colleague, and friend to many individuals for more than 35 years. They are honoring him with these gifts and a named endowment to acknowledge his retirement this year. In 1971, Dr. Hagihara was appointed assistant professor of surgery with a joint appointment at the Veterans Administration Medical Center.

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Action taken:     Approved     Disapproved     Other \_\_\_\_\_