

Departmental Checklist for Visiting Research Scholar (VRS) Appointment/Reappointment

SECTION I: IDENTIFICATION OF VRS CANDIDATE

□ New Appointment□ U.S. Citizen□ Reappointment□ Foreign National	Name (Last, First and Middle)
TU School/College	Department
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VRS Classification	Funding Source (if joint funding, check both blocks)
☐ Graduate ☐ Postgraduate	☐ Temple University ☐ Home Institution
SECTION II: DOCUMENTATION RECEIVED FROM VRS CANDIDATE	
CV or, if reappointment, updated CV	
Written recommendation from mentor in home program	
Official verification of enrollment or employment at home institution	
Letter documenting home institution's financial support, if funding is provided by home institution	
☐ Transcript or, if non-U.S. institution attended, copies of non-U.S. transcript	
Copy of baccalaureate or master's diploma/certificate, if VRS Graduate	
Copy of master's or doctoral diploma/certificate, if VRS Postgraduate	
☐ Completed DS-2019 application, if international candidate	
SECTION III: PAPERWORK GENERATED BY DEPARTMENT BUSINESS MANAGER	
☐ Appointment/Reappointment letter	
Requisition with appropriate approval signatures, if funding is provided by Temple	
Description of program objective	
☐ Comprehensive job description or, if reappointment, updated comprehensive job description	
SECTION IV: APPOINTMENTS FOR VRS SCHEDULED BY DEPARTMENT BUSINESS MANAGER	
☐ Meeting with Office of International Student and Scholar Services, if international candidate, upon arrival	
Orientation with Nina Marie Campellone, Project Manager, Postdoctoral Fellows Office	
University Orientation with Department of H	uman Resources, if funding is provided by Temple and appointment is for kil, Training Coordinator (ksakil@temple.edu, 215-926-2218)
 Environmental Health and Radiation Safety Coordinator (kgrady@temple.edu, 215-707- 	(EHRS) Training, if applicable, through Kisha Grady, Training Programs 7697)
 Appointment with Employee Health (215-20 declination form, if applicable 	4-2679) on Main Campus to begin Hepatitis B vaccination series or sign
Appointment for Institutional Review Board Initiative (http://www.citiprogram.org)	(IRB) training, if applicable, through the Collaborative Institutional Training
☐ Appointment for Institutional Animal Care at (http://www.temple.edu/ovpr/login.asp?val=	nd Use Committee (IACUC) approval, if applicable iacuc)
SECTION V: REQUIRED CLEARANCES FOR	R VRS LIKELY TO WORK WITH MINORS
☐ Child Abuse Clearance (http://www.dpw.sta	te.pa.us/ucmprd/groups/webcontent/documents/form/s_001762.pdf)
Pennsylvania State Police Criminal Background Check (http://www.temple.edu/grad/pfo/forms.html)	
FBI Fingerprint Check (https://www.pa.coge	