

**CHAIR'S RECOMMENDATION**

After his spectacular success

our students are fortunate because  
inspire them and instill in them the qualities of creativity, bold enterprise, and hard work.

In the following, qualifications in a more specific manner.

### TEACHING AND ADVISING

proved himself to be one of the best teachers and educators. He received many teaching awards at the department and college levels. At the university level, in he won the prestigious Award". Few professors at the university can match such exalted performance. "**has had a profound impact on the direction of my career and life....** **is a great educator** ", writes former student, now Chief

### RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP

published in prestigious journals like

His publications include twelve refereed journal articles, eight patents, and seven conference papers. His research was at the cutting edge and set the standard for  
**" I would rate contributions to these areas state-of-the-art at the time of research "**, writes Dr.

attract research funding from prestigious and competitive sources like the National Science Foundation (NSF). He brought in eight grants over a period of  
With these grants, he was able to support graduate student researchers. He mentored 4 Ph.D. and four M.S. student graduates who have gone on to very successful careers in

chaired several technical conferences including the prestigious Society for and served on many technical program committees. He has presented 19 invited technical seminars and 16 papers before professional societies. Because of his pioneering research accomplishments, Lee was able to win 9 consulting assignments and his work has been written about in 10 articles appearing in national publications regarding research accomplishments. It is research brought fame and honor to

## SERVICE TO PROFESSION

In the quality and impact of his service to the university, professional community at the local, national and international levels and

completely outshines the best faculty not only at UK but also at the top ranking major research universities across the nation.

served on more than 10 committees as well as His  
service to profession in terms of conferences and promotion of science and  
is exemplary. To name just a few from his numerous honors,  
been the chairman of the Committee, chairman of  
Committee, chairman of  
, and co-founder and chairman of the  
Through these activities, promoting  
excellence in education

## EXTERNAL REFERENCES

Letters of evaluation were received from four nationally and internationally known experts in displays and materials research and related areas, at universities such as  
They all speak very  
highly and recommend his appointment.

## INTERNAL REFERENCES

Five tenured faculty from the Department (  
) met on March 9, 2001 and voted unanimously in favor of appointing  
Dr. Lee Todd to a faculty position with tenure at Full Professor level. In addition, all  
tenured faculty members in the department provided recommendation  
letters. All letters are supportive of the appointment and many are downright  
enthusiastic.

## SUMMARY

world-class research, has employed his creative talents in  
developing research and has created  
very successful This is what research and education is  
all about!

solid record of publications and presentations, and the letters from  
outside reviewers all speak highly of the contributions  
On the educational side, large number of students at graduate and  
undergraduate level and provided a unique contribution

Based on my review of the material in his dossier, the recommendations from outside and within the department, and my personal interaction with him, I recommend that be appointed as Professor with tenure in our department. I believe that he has demonstrated his ability to contribute to the college, and the university through research, teaching, and service, and has established a record appropriate for this appointment.

Sincerely,

Professor and Chair