Qualified Default Investment Alternative (QDIA)
Annual Notice

Dear Participant:

Important Information
You are receiving this Annual Notice to inform you of how your contributions under the plan(s) for VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY may be invested and how such contributions will continue to be invested if you have not provided complete investment instructions.

How Will Your Contributions Be Invested
You may have a balance or have current contributions under the plan name(s) listed below for VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY that is invested in the plan’s default investment option(s). If you are participating in the plan but did not make an election choice, you were automatically defaulted into the plan’s default investment option(s). Your contributions will continue to be invested in the designated option(s) unless you provide complete investment instructions. Please disregard this notice if you already provided or updated your investment instructions.

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<td>VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN - RC</td>
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How You Can Change the Way Your Contributions are Being Invested:
You have the right to change the investment allocation of your account at any time. You can elect to direct the investment of your existing balances and future contributions to any of the plan's available investment options. This includes being able to transfer out of the plan designated default option(s) to another investment option available in the plan. If you have been defaulted into the designated default option(s) and you do not provide complete investment instructions, your contributions and existing balance will continue to be invested in the designated option(s).

To change how your account is invested, among the plan’s offered investment choices, you can contact TIAA-CREF at 800 842-2252, consultants are available Monday - Friday, 5 a.m. - 7 p.m. and Saturday 6 a.m. - 3 p.m. (PT) or by accessing your account online at www.tiaa-cref.org.

Please Note the Following:
The enclosed Fact Sheet(s) provide additional information, including the investment objectives and strategy, fund/account performance, risk and return characteristics, and fees and expenses. A list of the Plan's available investment options and a copy of the prospectus or information statement for each fund may be obtained from TIAA-CREF.
Distributions from 403(b) plans before age 59 ½, severance from employment, death, or disability may be prohibited, limited, and/or subject to substantial tax penalties. Different restrictions may apply to other types of plans.

**How to Contact Us**
If you have questions or would like to obtain updated information on fee expenses, a more detailed explanation of the default option(s), or more information about the other investment options available under the plan, please visit [www.tiaa-cref.org](http://www.tiaa-cref.org) or contact TIAA-CREF at **800 842-2252**, consultants are available Monday - Friday, 5 a.m. - 7 p.m. and Saturday 6 a.m. - 3 p.m. (PT).

Sincerely,

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Sally Geaney  
SMD, Head of Participant Servicing