2021-2022 Oncology Clinical Trials Specialty Intern

Job Description
The Oncology Service at the University of Missouri, College of Veterinary Medicine invites applications for a position of Oncology Clinical Trials Specialty Intern Veterinarian in the Comparative Oncology Program. Our clinical trials service performs translational veterinary clinical trials (primarily in dogs and cats), evaluating novel anti-neoplastic agents, novel radiopharmaceuticals, cancer biology mechanisms, and assessing cancer pain. We strive to advance evidence-based medicine among all species with an emphasis in our research on comparative oncology.

The primary role of the intern will be to assist with all aspects of clinical trials, especially case accrual, case management, client communication, and data collection. There will also be an opportunity to participate in clinical cases and benchtop research, depending on the candidate’s strengths and interests. The intern will interact with the Veterinary Oncology Service in the Veterinary Health Center and the Comparative Oncology, Epigenetics, and Radiobiology Laboratory (COREL) in the College of Veterinary Medicine. We currently have five medical oncologists, three radiation oncologists, two surgical oncologists, and a clinical trials coordinator. For more information on our oncology group at the University of Missouri, please visit our website: https://vhc.missouri.edu/small-animal-hospital/oncology/

The position would provide the opportunity for an applicant who has completed their clinical training in veterinary medicine and a rotating internship to receive one year of intensive clinical research experience with the potential to extend that time, including an opportunity to pursue an advanced degree.

Qualifications
The successful candidate must have:

- Eligibility for veterinary licensure in Missouri. For details regarding licensing, requirements, applications, and preparatory materials see Missouri Veterinary Medical Board: http://pr.mo.gov/veterinarian.asp;
- Missouri Controlled Substance certification. (For the purpose of university practice, your federal DEA registration will utilize our VHC DEA registration.);
- Completion of a veterinary medicine and surgery rotating internship.

Any offer to enter a MU Department of Veterinary Medicine & Surgery internship is contingent upon:

1. License to practice veterinary medicine in the state of Missouri and state-controlled drug registration by start of employment;
2. Successful background screening which may include, but not be limited to, criminal history, verification of employment and education, and driving records;
4. Minimum of 1-year Internship or 1-year Practice Experience.
5. Maintaining a valid driver’s license for the duration of the program is required.

The program is restricted to United States Citizens, United States Permanent Residents (i.e. those holding a “Green Card”), or non-residents who have Employment Authorization from the United States Citizenship and Immigration Service valid for the duration of the program. The School provides neither assistance for nor support for obtaining such Employment Authorization. Our office does not sponsor H-1B, E-3, O-1 or J-1 visas or permanent residency applications for residents and interns. If you have questions regarding your immigration status and eligibility, please contact the MU International Center at scholars@missouri.edu.

**Salary and Benefits**

Annual salary will be $27,500. The position includes University Benefits plus $600 Professional Development fund assuming continual financial health of the Veterinary Health Center and 10-days paid leave. Licensure in the State of Missouri and a Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs permit. Licensing fees are $290 plus an additional $25 if a provisional license is required. As a benefit eligible employee at the university, you will be eligible to participate in a broad array of total reward programs that the university makes available including health and retirement benefits.

**Application Materials**

By March 8, 2021, please submit:
- Veterinary School Official Transcript from University Registrar
- Personal Statement of professional interests and goal
- Curriculum Vitae
- 3 - 4 Standardized Letters of Reference
  Or
- VIRMP application packet

Interested candidates should submit application materials to Dr. Brian Flesner via E-mail: flesnerb@missouri.edu by March 8, 2021; Phone: 573-882-7821. The position will remain open until filled.

**Note:**

Benefit Eligibility: This position is eligible for University benefits. The University offers a comprehensive benefits package, including medical, dental and vision plans, retirement, paid time off, and educational fee discounts. For additional information on University benefits, please visit the Faculty & Staff Benefits website at http://www.umsystem.edu/totalrewards/benefits

Diversity Commitment: The University of Missouri is fully committed to achieving the goal of a diverse and inclusive academic community of faculty, staff and students. We
seek individuals who are committed to this goal and our core campus values of respect, responsibility, discovery and excellence.

Equal Employment Opportunity: Equal Opportunity is and shall be provided for all employees and applicants for employment on the basis of their demonstrated ability and competence without unlawful discrimination on the basis of their race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, sex, pregnancy, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, age, disability, protected veteran status, or any other status protected by applicable state or federal law. This policy shall not be interpreted in such a manner as to violate the legal rights of religious organizations or the recruiting rights of military organizations associated with the Armed Forces or the Department of Homeland Security of the United States of America. For more information, call the Vice Chancellor of Human Resource Services/Affirmative Action officer at 573-882-4256.

To request ADA accommodations, please call the Disability Inclusion and ADA Compliance Manager at 573-884-7278.