Clinical Track Faculty Position in Small Animal Community Practice
Purdue University College of Veterinary Medicine

The Purdue University College of Veterinary Medicine (PVM), Department of Veterinary Clinical Sciences (VCS), invites applications for a full-time (100%, 12 month) Clinical Assistant Professor position in Small Animal Community Practice.

Qualifications for the position include a DVM or equivalent degree, ability to practice as a licensed veterinarian in Indiana, and primary care medicine and surgery experience with dogs, cats, avian, and exotic companion pets. Applicants must be either board certified in the American Board of Veterinary Practice (Canine/Feline or other pet species) or a relevant AVMA recognized specialty or be board eligible for one of these specialty boards.

The successful candidate will join an established primary care service with one other faculty member and two VTS certified (AVTCP - canine/feline) veterinary technicians. The primary care service has an average case load of 2700 visits per year with 10% being exotic animals (reptiles, avian, fish and small mammals). The primary care service is supported by the Purdue University Veterinary Teaching Hospital, clinical pathology laboratory, and Indiana’s Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory. The PVM is highly supportive of individual faculty career growth and development. A formal faculty mentoring program is in place.

The successful candidate will be expected to provide out-patient and in-patient care for dogs, cats, pet birds, small mammals, reptiles. The clinical commitment for this position is approximately 70%. The referral exotic pet emergency call is shared with one other primary care faculty. Candidates must be able to provide outstanding clinical service and possess effective interpersonal and communication skills, excellent teaching skills, and be able to work collaboratively with faculty and effectively engage students and staff. Teaching responsibilities include clinical, didactic and laboratory instruction of DVM students, veterinary technician students, interns and residents. Candidates will be encouraged to collaborate in clinical research projects to support the discovery activities of the PVM. Participation in engagement activities, including committee work and delivery of continuing education programs, is expected. Salary will be commensurate with the candidate’s qualifications and experience.

Commitment to the PVM missions of learning, discovery, and engagement and support of the College strategic plan (http://purduevetmed.freeflowdp.com/purduevetmed/9361875872484583?pg=1#pg1) is essential. The successful candidate is expected to promote an atmosphere of collegiality and support cultural diversity in the College.

Review of applications will begin on May 15, 2016 and will continue until the position is filled. The earliest start date for the position is July 1st, 2016. Applicants should send a letter of intent describing professional goals including a curriculum vitae, and the names, addresses, and contact information of three professional references to: Ms. Tressa Bowman, Department of Veterinary Clinical Sciences, College of Veterinary Medicine, 625 Harrison Street, West Lafayette, IN 47907-2026, email: bowman46@purdue.edu. A background check is required for employment in this position.

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