

The University of Veterinary Medicine, Vienna is active in teaching and research and provides services in connection with ensuring animal health in Austria. These tasks represent our contribution to maintaining the health of humans and their animal companions as well as to producing healthy food.

To meet our objectives, our institute (Internal Medicine – Companion Animals, Oncology) (Department for Companion Animals and Horses) is looking for a

Residency Small Animal Oncology

Grade: B1

Level of employment: 40 hours

Length of employment: 40 months: Feb. 1st 2013 – May 31st 2016

Deadline for applications: 40 months: Fe

Responsibilities

The Small Animal Oncology Residency Program is a 40 months program designed to provide advanced clinical training in oncology, internal medicine and related fields. This program will permit the resident to achieve the requirements established by the European College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (ECVIM-CA, Oncology) for board certification. The resident will be expected to study towards the European Diploma in Veterinary Oncology.

The Oncology service serves as a referral center for small animal cancer patients but also sees primary cases. The service also offers daily radiation therapy with a linear accelerator on site. The residents will participate in primary patient care (including general emergency duties), daily rounds, journal clubs, seminars and clinical conferences. The resident will also be involved in clinical teaching of students and interns.

A major portion of the residency will be spent on clinical rotations with oncologists and internists. The resident is further expected to complete at least one research project resulting in a manuscript suitable for publication, and to present the research at an international meeting. Personal development time is provided for this and to study for boards.

 Appointments will be made for 12 months with annual renewal based on satisfactory completion of the previous year.

Necessary knowledge and qualifications

- Applicants must have successfully completed a 12-month rotating internship or must have gained equivalent experience. Further, candidates need to have sufficient knowledge of the German and English language to communicate with clients and to pass the certifying exam.
- Applications should include a letter of intent, curriculum vitae, exam transcripts, veterinary licensing documentation, internship diploma, and at least two letters of recommendation. An interview is strongly encouraged but not required.



Contact /Further Information

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Minimum salary

The minimum salary for university staff is regulated by the collective contract and at the level given above amounts to EUR 2.532,-- gross per month. The minimum salary may be increased when previous employment and other salary components are taken into account.

Applications

Please submit applications quoting the **reference number 2012/1114** via e-mail (preferably) to bewerbungen@vetmeduni.ac.at or by post to the Personnel Department of the University of Veterinary Medicine, Veterinarplatz 1, 1210 Vienna. Please do not forget to include the reference number or we shall be unable to relate your application to the correct vacancy announcement.

The Vetmeduni Vienna is attempting to increase the proportion of female staff, particularly in senior positions, and in accordance with § 41 of the 2002 Universities Act it is striving to attain a balanced representation of men and women, especially on its scientific staff. Applications from qualified women are thus particularly welcomed. If women are underrepresented (below 40%), female applicants who are as well qualified as the best qualified male applicants will be given preference, provided that there are no strong reasons for favouring a particular male candidate.

Applicants have no entitlement to reimbursement of any travel or accommodation costs they may incur as a result of the application procedure.

The Vetmeduni Vienna is proud to have been awarded the certificate "berufundfamilie" (career and family). We should thus be especially pleased to receive applications from people with families.