

# Course Work in PaP

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## PhD and Doctoral programs at Vetmeduni

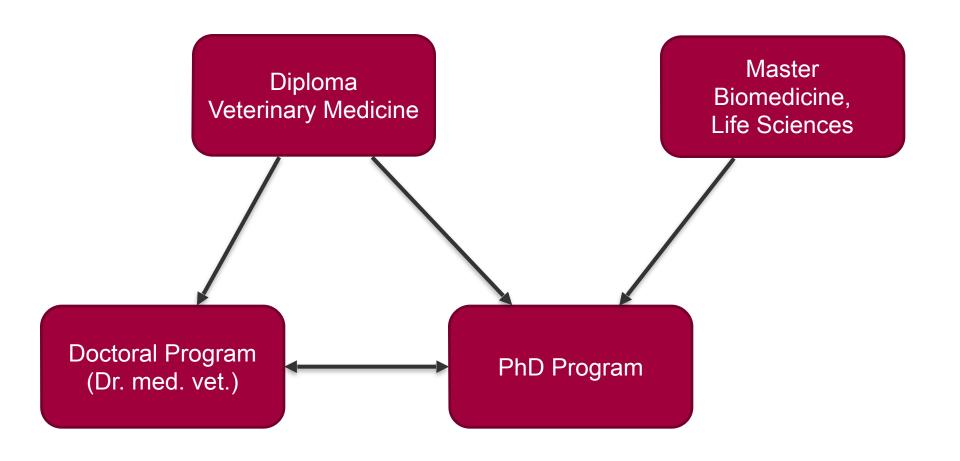
1–2 Semester	
Exams	
3–6 Semester	
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7–9 Semester	
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full time modules: 10-11 Semester	
Small Animal Medicine	Pig and Poultry Medicine
Equine Medicine	Ruminant Medicine
Veterinary Public Health	
Exams	
Diploma Thesis	

natural sciences propedeutics general clinical training special tracks

specialization



### PhD and Doctoral programs at Vetmeduni







Introductory courses: ("common denominator")

Supportive courses for research

Fit the needs and requirements of the student and her/his project!

Soft skills: personal and leadership development

Lecture series:deepen knowledge and skills in research area

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### Course Work in the PaP

### Introductory Course:

- Introduction to the Doctoral Program (Faculty, involved institutions, course work, time table, rules and regulations, troubleshooting)
- Introduction to animal work (legal issues, animal welfare, management and handling of species)
- Introduction to immunological methods (cell isolation, propagation, characterisation)
- Introduction to protein analytical methods (preparation, analytical tools, recombinant expression, purification)
- Introduction to cell culture (viruses, protozoa)

Training by the Faculty and Assoc. Faculty

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### Course Work in the PaP

#### Soft skills:

- General Courses
  - Presenting in English
  - Scientific writing
  - Good Scientific Practice
- Elective Courses
  - Publication Strategies in the Academic "Publish or Perish" Competition
  - Advanced Academic Writing in English
  - Discussion Strategies in the Academic Context
  - English Conversation in the Conference
  - How to Approach Proposal Writing
  - Introduction to Inventions, Patents and Patent Searching

Training at Vetmeduni (and other universities) in collaboration with HR of Vetmeduni

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### Course Work in the PaP

#### Lectures

Literature Club

Regular course to be taken in all semesters, held at Immunology and Parasitology

Seminar Series

Regular course to be taken in all semesters with topics related to the research areas of the DK, presented by the collegiate, the Faculty and the Associate Faculty

Guest Lectures

Guest speakers are regularly invited for presentations of up-to-date topics related to the research areas of the DK Training by Faculty, Assoc. Faculty



# **Informal and Formal General Meetings**

#### Retreat

Annual meeting of the members of the DK (including all Faculty Members) to discuss the progress of research

### PhD Symposium

Annual scientific symposium at the Vetmeduni Vienna with invited keynote speakers and presentation of the scientific work of the collegiate



# Students' Organisational Involvement

- Journal Club organisation: Rotation on organising the meetings, communication between attendees and lecturers
- Guest Lecture Organisation: Rotation on organising the guest lectures, communication with invited speakers, "meet the expert", common decisions on choice of speakers
- Retreat and Symposium Organisation: Support of the Faculty



### **Assessments**

Interim evaluations

To be taken at the end of the 1st and 2nd year

PhD Examination

To be taken at the end of the PhD course

Thesis assessment

After completion of all courses and submission of the Thesis

PhD defence

After positive assessment of the Thesis



# Time Frame of the PaP PhD Program

