



ONTARIO VETERINARY COLLEGE
Department of Pathobiology

A DVSc position in Anatomic Pathology with a focus on Pathology of Captive and Free-ranging wildlife is available, beginning in September 2019, in the Department of Pathobiology at the Ontario Veterinary College, University of Guelph in cooperation with The Toronto Zoo and the Canadian Wildlife Health Cooperative (CWHC). The DVSc program is a 3-year (9 semester) applied doctoral program that leads to eligibility for the certifying examination of the American College of Veterinary Pathologists. The program is directed by eight board-certified Anatomic Pathologists and will focus on both domestic animal pathology as well as pathology of non-domestic species, including significant involvement with the cases from The Toronto Zoo as well as non-domestic cases submitted to the Department of Pathobiology and the CWHC. The Anatomic Pathology program is closely integrated with graduate programs in Veterinary Clinical and Comparative Pathology, Veterinary Infectious Diseases, and Veterinary Immunology, and with the diagnostic services provided by the Animal Health Laboratory to the province of Ontario and beyond. It combines coursework, participation in necropsy and biopsy service, and an investigative research project that leads to a doctoral thesis. A competitive stipend is awarded annually upon satisfactory progress. Applicants must have a DVM or equivalent degree from an accredited school, a strong academic record, evidence of commitment to pathology, and obtain educational or general licensure with the CVO. Successful completion of the NAVLE or equivalent is normally required. An entrance exam will be required of qualified candidates from non-AVMA accredited schools to assess core knowledge of veterinary pathology.

Deadline for applications is March 29th, 2019 or until a suitable applicant is identified. Applications should be completed online at:

https://www.ouac.on.ca/apply/guelphgrad/en_CA/user/login

In addition, applicants must submit a curriculum vitae, a statement of career goals, and three letters of reference. Application inquiries should be directed to Jessie Beer (Department of Pathobiology, University of Guelph, Guelph Ontario N1G 2W1 Canada; phone: 519-824-4120 ext. 54725, fax 519-824-5930; e-mail pathgrad@uoguelph.ca). Inquiries regarding the DVSc program should be directed to Dr. Brandon Lillie (blillie@uoguelph.ca). Additional information is available at <https://ovc.uoguelph.ca/pathobiology/dvsc-program>. The University of Guelph has an International Doctoral Tuition Scholarship for full-time doctoral (DVSc) students with a minimum A-/80% entrance average (Guelph equivalent) to cover the difference between domestic and international tuition.

The University of Guelph is committed to an Employment Equity Program that includes special measures to achieve diversity among its faculty and staff. We therefore particularly encourage applications from qualified aboriginal Canadians, persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities, and women. If you require accommodation of any kind, please contact Michael Dunstan, Manager, Occupational Health and Wellness, 519-824-4120 x 52133.

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