

# vetmeduni

University of Veterinary Medicine, Vienna

The Clinic of Internal Medicine

Department for Companion Animals and Horses

Veterinary University Vienna, Austria

is offering a position as

**Resident in Internal Medicine - Companion Animals**

## **Responsibilities and tasks**

- The goal of the residency program is an intensified training in Internal Medicine and related disciplines. This includes an understanding of general pathomechanisms, problem solving, acquisition of specific diagnostic skills, training in the subspecialties of internal medicine as well as offering state of the art treatment. Furthermore, capabilities in teaching, presentation techniques and clinical research should be acquired in order to prepare the candidate as best as possible for scientific career or clinical specialist facility. Knowledge of the requirements for residency training programs and examination guidelines, as given by the ECVIM-CA to fulfil the starting competence, to complete the program and to sit the examinations (see: <http://www.ecvim-ca.org> in the current version), is mandatory.
- Diagnosis and treatment of internal medical diseases in companion animals at a specialist level including emergency duties, documentation, specific knowledge in all subspecialties of internal medicine and related disciplines.
- Regular participation with and presentation of book readings, journal clubs and other forms of continuing education.
- The candidate should demonstrate a clear intention to sit and pass the qualifying and certifying examination ECVIM-CA (Diplomate ECVIM-CA (Internal Medicine)) with the goal of obtaining specialist status.
- **General goals:**
  - understanding of pathomechanisms of disease
  - knowledge of medical diseases of dogs and cats, including gastroenterology, respiratory, cardiology, neurology, endocrinology, infectious disease, critical and intensive care, behavior and nutrition
  - training in clinical problem solving using a problem oriented approach
  - advanced diagnostic and therapeutic skills

- training of scientific presentation techniques
- training in scientific writing
- establishment of study designs and performance of clinical research
- the 4year program includes externships, currently taking place within Europe

### **Necessary education, qualifications and knowledge on taking up employment**

- Completed degree in veterinary medicine
- Completed one year rotating internship in small animal medicine or equivalent experience
- Good knowledge of German (at least level B2)
- Good knowledge of English (at least level B2)

### **Desirable qualifications and skills**

- Preexisting research activity (paper, doctoral theses, PhD or similar)
- Commitment, high level of achievement
- Ability and high motivation to integrate and work in a team
- Applications must include updated curriculum vitae and a letter of intent as well as 3 reference letters.

Application deadline is **December 9<sup>th</sup> 2023**. The residency begins with December 31<sup>st</sup> 2023.

Applications should be sent to the Department for Personnel, University of Veterinary Medicine, Veterinärplatz 1, 1210 Vienna, AUSTRIA, e-mail [bewerbungen@vetmeduni.ac.at](mailto:bewerbungen@vetmeduni.ac.at) . Please do not forget to include the **vacancy number 2023-0355** or we shall not be able to assign your application correctly.

For further details visit the university website at

[https://www.vetmeduni.ac.at/fileadmin/v/z/mitteilungsblatt/stellen/2023\\_2024/20231115\\_2023\\_0355\\_Univ.\\_Ass.\\_PraeDoc\\_Option\\_Residency\\_Interne\\_Medizin\\_Kleintiere\\_D4.pdf](https://www.vetmeduni.ac.at/fileadmin/v/z/mitteilungsblatt/stellen/2023_2024/20231115_2023_0355_Univ._Ass._PraeDoc_Option_Residency_Interne_Medizin_Kleintiere_D4.pdf)

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