

Veterinary Pathologist, Animal Care and Use Program, Vanderbilt University Medical Center

Position. The Vanderbilt University Medical Center Animal Care and Use Program is currently seeking a motivated individual for a new faculty position of Veterinary Pathologist. The faculty appointment will be on the Basic Science/Clinician Educator (non-tenure) track in the Department of Pathology, Microbiology, and Immunology/Division of Comparative Medicine in Vanderbilt University's School of Medicine. Responsibilities will include: diagnostic pathology services for a large and diverse population of animal species (the majority of which are rodents), participation in collaborative research to support Vanderbilt faculty working with animal models, supervision of animal health monitoring programs, teaching and mentoring as part of the Laboratory Animal Medicine Residency Program, design and implementation of standard operating procedures for the Translational Pathology Shared Resource lab, and formal and informal training of animal care and research staff.

Vanderbilt University Medical Center (VUMC). Located in Nashville, Tennessee, VUMC is a premier research institution internationally recognized for its leadership and innovation in the biomedical and biological sciences. VUMC's animal care program collaborates with approximately 345 Principal Investigators working on over 850 IACUC-approved protocols, is registered with the USDA, and has been an AAALAC International accredited facility since 1967. The successful applicant will join a board certified veterinary pathologist and a team of five faculty clinical veterinarians who oversee the health and welfare of over 20 species of animals with an average daily census of over 100,000.

Qualifications. Applicants must have veterinary anatomic pathology experience and/or training. Experience in rodent pathobiology and comparative pathology of animal models of human disease is preferred. The successful applicant must also have a desire to participate in collaborative research teams, possess excellent communication, organizational and interpersonal skills, and enjoy teaching and training. The ability to interact positively with colleagues, scientific investigators and staff members is essential. Applicants must have a DVM/VMD degree from an AVMA accredited school, or a certificate issued by the AVMA's Education Commission for Foreign Veterinary Graduates, the North American Veterinary Licensing Exam (NAVLE), and be licensed to practice in at least one state. Applicants must be board certified by the American College of Veterinary Pathologists (ACVP) or the European College of Veterinary Clinical Pathology (ECVCP) or be eligible for the ACVP/ECVCP certifying examination at time of appointment. ACVP/ECVCP-eligible applicants are expected to obtain certification within four years of hire. Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Applicants should submit a letter of intent, Curriculum Vitae, and the names and addresses of three references to:

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