FOR DVM’s

- Residency/PhD program in veterinary toxicology
- PhD without residency in veterinary toxicology

The program will provide interested veterinarians with a solid, broad base training in toxicology through diagnostic casework, course work, seminars, and research. The goal of the program is to produce well-trained, board eligible toxicologists (American Board of Veterinary Toxicology and American Board of Toxicology) who are market ready in a variety of capacities to ensure human, animal and environmental health. Successful graduates can pursue careers in academia, industry or government.

- The residency program is designed to be completed within 3 years. Opportunity to concurrently pursue a PhD degree is negotiable. Completion of the PhD degree (straight path) is likely to require a minimum of 4 years.
- Qualified applicants will have a DVM or equivalent degree in veterinary medicine, demonstrate a desire for a career in veterinary toxicology and have excellent communication skills.
- A minimum of 1 year of practice or research experience is desirable. Areas of active research in the department include various topics in applied veterinary toxicology in livestock and investigations into the role of the environment in the pathogenesis of Parkinson’s disease.

DVMs interested in the combined residency/PhD program in veterinary toxicology should submit (1) a letter of intent stating interests and career goals, (2) a curriculum vitae, (3) transcripts from veterinary schools, and (4) three letters of recommendation to: Ms. Courtney Witte, Department of Veterinary Diagnostic and Production Animal Medicine 2203 Lloyd Vet Med Center, Ames, Iowa 50011-1250 or by e-mail at cwitte@iastate.edu.

DVMs interested in the straight path to a PhD program may apply either through the toxicology program http://www.gradcollege.iastate.edu/academics/programs/apresults.php?apnumber=150 or through the neuroscience program http://www.neuroscience.iastate.edu/application.

Please contact Dr. Wilson Rumbeiha, Department of Veterinary Diagnostic and Production Animal Medicine (VDPAM) (515-294-1950 or rumbeiha@iastate.edu) with questions about the position and program.

The position will remain open until filled.

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